CHAPTER LXVI.

[H. B. No. 98.]

FIXING FEES AND COMPENSATION OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

AN ACT fixing the fees and compensation of justices of the peace, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. The fees and compensation of justices of the peace shall be as follows, to wit:

For docketing each cause, to be charged but once	\$0 2	25
For issuing notice		25
For issuing warrant in criminal cases	5	50
For taking recognizance of bail, including justification	7	75
For committing to jail	2	25
For issuing subpœna, with any number of names	2	25
For entering judgment on trial, by confession or by default.	2	25
For each folio of certified copy of proceeding of any kind be-		
fore a justice of the peace, or of papers filed therein, in-		
cluding certificate	1	0
For issuing any writ or venire	2	25
For taking affidavits or acklowledgments, each	2	25
For attending with clerk of county commissioners at the		
opening of polls, per diem	30	0
For filing each paper in a cause, other than exhibits	0)5
For approving a bond, including justification	5	50
For administering an oath, except in a judicial proceeding		
before such justice	1	5
For taking depositions, for each folio	1	0
For solemnization of marriage and making return thereof	50	0
For each continuance or adjournment granted by consent or		
on motion of either party	2	5
For trial of each cause.	10	0

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SEC. 2. In any civil action commenced before or trans- Fees where ferred to a justice of the peace receiving a salary, the salary. plaintiff may, at the time of such commencement or transfer, pay to such justice the sum of two dollars, which sum shall be all the fees and charges which any party to such action shall be compelled to pay to such justice up to and including the rendition of judgment in such action, unless process in replevin, attachment or garnishment shall issue therein, in which case the party procuring such process may pay to such justice the sum of one dollar as full payment for the fees and charges of such justice incident to

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the proceedings under such process; but in case said action is transferred from such justice before final judgment, such justice shall repay to any party making such payments any sum in excess of what said party would have been compelled to pay by section one hereof.⁽²⁾

SEC. 3. No justice of the peace in any civil action or proceeding shall be entitled to or receive any fees or compensations not provided for by this act.

SEC. 4. Whereas, justices of the peace are, by law, in this state allowed fees which are deemed excessive, and the immediate reduction thereof is deemed expedient: therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the governor.

Approved March 9, 1893.

CHAPTER LXVII. [H. B. No. 180.]

AUTHORIZING FISH COMMISSIONER TO MAKE RE-SEARCH.

AN ACT to authorize the Fish Commissioner to make research for the purpose of enforcing the fish laws of the State of Washington.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. The fish commissioner of the State of Washington and his deputies are hereby authorized to inspect all canneries, boats, nets, wheels, traps and other appliances and all property used in the catching and packing of fish, or in the fish industry, for the purpose of enforcing the fish laws of the State of Washington, and to that end said commissioner and his deputies are authorized to enter on said property and make inspection thereof.

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Emergency.