CHAPTER 148.

[H. B. 309.]

CIGARETTES.

An Act to regulate and in certain cases to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping, keeping for sale, owning, or giving away of cigarettes, cigarette paper, cigarette wrappers, and other substitutes for the same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

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

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, by himself, clerk, servant, employe or agent, directly or indirectly, upon any pretense or by any device, to manufacture, sell, exchange, barter, dispose of or give away, or keep for sale, any cigarettes, cigarette paper or cigarette wrappers, or any paper made or prepared for the purpose of being filled with tobacco for smoking; and any person, for violation of the same, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall, for the first offense, pay a fine of not less than ten dollars ($10) nor more than fifty dollars ($50) and cost of prosecution, and stand committed to the county jail until such costs are paid; and for the second and each subsequent offense, shall pay, upon conviction thereof, a fine of not less than one hundred dollars ($100) nor more than five hundred dollars ($500), and the cost of prosecution, or be imprisoned in the county jail not to exceed six months: Provided, That the provisions hereof shall not apply to the sales of jobbers doing an interstate business with customers outside the State.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect September 1, 1907. Passed the House February 20th, 1907. Passed the Senate March 6th, 1907. Approved by the Governor March 13th, 1907.