CHAPTER 38.

[H. B. 6.]

RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS.

AN ACT prohibiting certain persons from teaching in the public schools of this state and providing punishment for the violation thereof.

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

SECTION 1. No person, who is not a citizen of the United States of America, shall teach or be permitted or qualified to teach in any common school or high school in this state: *Provided, however*, That the superintendent of public instruction may grant to aliens a permit to teach in the common and high schools of this state; providing such teacher has all the other qualifications required by law, has declared his or her intention of becoming a citizen of the United States of America, and that five years and six months have not expired since such declaration was made. Such permits shall at all times be subject to revocation by and at the discretion of the superintendent of public instruction.

SEC. 2. No person, whose certificate or diploma authorizing him or her to teach in the public schools of this state shall have been revoked on account of his or her failure to endeavor to impress on the minds of his or her pupils the principles of patriotism, or to train them up to the true comprehension of the rights, duty and dignity of American Citizenship, shall teach or be permitted or qualified to teach in any public school in this state, and no certificate or diploma shall be issued to such person.

SEC. 3. Any person teaching in any school in violation of this act, and any school director knowingly permitting any person to teach in any school

Right restricted to citizens.

Permits to aliens.

Want of patriotism ground for debarring teachers.

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in violation of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Passed the House February 3, 1919. Passed the Senate February 11, 1919. Approved by the Governor February 20, 1919.

CHAPTER 39.

[H. B. 56.]

DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION FOR STATE LIBRARY.

- AN ACT making an appropriation for the state library for capital outlays, and declaring that this act shall take effect immediately.
- Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. That there be and hereby is re-appropriated out of the unexpended funds of the appropriation for the state library for supplies, material and service, appropriated by chapter 171 of the Laws of 1917, the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900.00), to be expended in the current biennium for capital outlays: Books, magazines, etc.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the support of Emergency. the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House January 28, 1919.

Passed the Senate February 11, 1919.

Approved by the Governor February 20, 1919.

Appropriation, \$900.00.