CHAPTER 80.

[S. B. 32.1

ALLOWANCE OUT OF PROPERTY OF ABSENTEE.

An Acr relating to property of absentees and amending Remington's Compiled Statutes by adding thereto a new section to Title X Chapter 8 thereof to be known as Section 1715-4-A.

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

Section 1. That Remington's Compiled Statutes be amended by adding to Title X Chapter 8 thereof a new section to be known as Section 1715-4-A to read as follows:

Section 1715-4-A. Whenever a petition is filed in said estate from which it appears to the satisfaction of the court that the owner of such property left a husband or wife, child or children, dependent upon such absentee for support or upon the property in the estate of such absentee, either in whole or in part, the court shall hold a hearing on said petition, Hearing. after such notice as the court may direct, and upon such hearing shall enter such order as it deems advisable and may order an allowance to be paid out Allowance. of any of the property of such estate, either community or separate, as the court shall deem reasonable and necessary for the support and maintenance of such dependent or dependents, pending the return of the absentee, or until such time as the property of said estate may be provisionally distributed to the presumptive heirs or to the devisees and legatees. Such allowance shall be paid by the trustee to such Payment by trustee. persons and in such manner and at such periods of time as the court may direct. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this section the court may direct the sale of any of the property of the Sale of estate in accordance with the provisions of section

1715-4 of Remington's Compiled Statutes of Washington.

Passed the Senate December 29, 1925. Passed the House December 18, 1925. Approved by the Governor January 5, 1926.

CHAPTER 81.

[S. B. 77.]

PUBLIC AUDITORIUMS IN FIRST CLASS CITIES.

An Acr relating to the powers of cities of the first class in regard to public auditoriums and museums and amending Chapter 179 of the Laws of 1923 as amended by Chapter 12 of the Laws of 1925 and declaring that this act shall take effect immediately.

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

Section 1. That Section 1 of Chapter 179 of the Laws of 1923 as amended by Chapter 12 of the Laws of 1925, be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. That cities of the first class shall have the power to lease, purchase or construct, and maintain public auditoriums and art museums, and to use or let the same for such public and private purposes for such compensation and rental and upon such conditions as shall be prescribed by ordinance, and to issue negotiable bonds for the purchase or construction thereof on such conditions and in such manner as shall be prescribed by its charter or by general law for the borrowing of money for corporate purposes.

Emergency.

Amends

§ 8981-2 Rem. 1923

Sup. § 687-b,

Pierce's Code.

and art museums.

Power to

acquire.

Auditoriums

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

Passed the Senate December 1, 1925. Passed the House December 17, 1925. Vetoed by the Governor December 24, 1925. Passed over Governor's veto January 6, 1926.