courts in referring to existing statutes, to refer to or cite Pierce's Washington Code containing such law, and in any such references or citations to abbreviate the same to Pierce's Code.

SEC. 3. The secretary of state is hereby authorized and directed to certify the laws 1925-6 and 1927 as a part of said compilation.

Passed the Senate February 10, 1927.
Passed the House March 9, 1927.
Approved by the Governor March 19, 1927.

CHAPTER 238.
[S. B. 206.]

GRANT OF LAND TO FRANK A. FAAS.

AN ACT granting to Frank A. Faas, all right, title and interest of the State of Washington in and to the following land, situate in Lewis County, Washington, to-wit: The South half of the Northeast quarter of Section 10, Township 13 North, Range 2, East W. M., containing 80 acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

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

SECTION 1. The following described land in Lewis County, Washington, to-wit: The South half of the Northeast quarter of Section 10, Township 13 North, Range 2 East, W. M., containing 80 acres, more or less, according to the government survey, was a part of the estate of Gilbert M. M. Lafayette Carmack, of Kitsap County, Washington, who died October 7, 1912, leaving no heirs. No record of such death was made in Lewis County, and such property was carried on the tax rolls and taxed, and said Frank A. Faas acquired title to such property in 1922, under a sale thereof for taxes, paying a total of $515.97 therefor, which seems to be the present value of said land, and has since paid taxes
Escheat proceedings. Thereon. That proceedings to escheat said property were commenced in March, 1926, and such facts were disclosed.

The State of Washington hereby grants unto the said Frank A. Faas, his heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, all right, title and interest of the State of Washington in and to the following described land, situated in Lewis County, Washington, to-wit: The South half of the Northeast quarter of Section 10, Township 13 North, Range 2 East, W. M., containing 80 acres, more or less, according to the government survey.

Passed the Senate February 17, 1927.
Passed the House March 9, 1927.
Approved by the Governor March 19, 1927.

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CHAPTER 239.
[8. B. 178.]

SALARY OF THE STATE LAW LIBRARIAN.

AN ACT fixing the salary of the state law librarian.

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

Section 1. The salary of the state law librarian shall be four thousand eight hundred dollars ($4,800.00) per annum.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1927.
Passed the House March 8, 1927.
Approved by the Governor March 19, 1927.