the annual statement is accompanied by a verified copy of the receipt or receipts evidencing payment of the taxes upon the basis of which the credit or offset is claimed.

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Passed the House March 6, 1933.
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CHAPTER 132.
[S. B. 370.]

FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND.

AN ACT relating to firemen's pension fund, providing for the investment of such funds in general obligation warrants and amending section 15 of chapter 196 of the Laws of 1919, as amended by section 12 of chapter 86 of the Laws of 1929.

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

SECTION 1. That section 15 of chapter 196 of the Laws of 1919, as amended by section 12 of chapter 86 of the Laws of 1929, be amended to read as follows:

Section 15. The city council or city commissioners of each city or town are hereby authorized and empowered to, and shall, when requested in writing by two-thirds of the members of said board of trustees of the firemen's relief and pension fund, at the same time other levies of taxes are made as provided by the charter or laws, and in addition to the levy authorized by the charter or laws, levy a tax for an amount estimated to be required by the pension fund board of trustees, not to exceed one-half mill on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the property in such city or town not exempt from taxation, which taxes shall be credited to the firemen's relief and pension fund. Should the amount in the fund at any time be exhausted
by unforseen circumstances, the board of trustees shall be empowered to obtain a loan from the general fund or any other fund available or budget allowance of such city or town, until the firemen's relief and pension fund can be replenished and the loan returned to the other fund. The board of trustees by a two-thirds vote shall have power to invest all funds, or any part thereof not required for immediate use, in government, county or city bonds, or general obligation warrants of such city, to be taken in the name of the firemen's relief and pension fund of such city or town and deposited in such bank or banks or vaults together with other securities of such city or town; by the same vote the board shall have the power to sell and dispose of any securities.

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CHAPTER 133.
[S. B. 332.]
ORNAMENTAL TREES AND SHRUBS.

AN ACT relating to flowering ornamental trees and shrubs and flowering plants, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, and amending section 1 of chapter 59 of the Session Laws of 1925 of the Extraordinary Session.

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

SECTION 1. That section 1 of chapter 59 of the Extraordinary Session Laws of 1925 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Any person who shall break or cut from any lands owned by the State of Washington or shall cut down, remove, destroy or uproot any