

CHAPTER 4.

[H. B. 6.]

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE IN CLASS "A" COUNTIES.

AN ACT relating to the jurisdiction and authority in criminal matters of justices of the peace of country precincts in a Class "A" county.

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

SECTION 1. In a Class "A" county no justice of the peace of a precinct outside the limits of an incorporated city or town shall have jurisdiction to receive a complaint or to issue a warrant for any criminal offense committed outside of the boundaries of his precinct, or to issue a search warrant for the seizure of property located outside his precinct. Class "A" counties. Limits of jurisdiction.

Passed the House December 27, 1933.

Passed the Senate December 27, 1933.

Approved by the Governor December 30, 1933.

CHAPTER 5.

[H. B. 118.]

GAME AND GAME FISH.

AN ACT relating to wild animals, wild birds and game fish, and referring to rules and regulations of the state game commission; providing penalties for the violation thereof; and declaring that this act shall take effect immediately.

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

SECTION 1. Unless another penalty is specifically provided by law, any person violating or failing to comply with any rules or regulations of the state game commission shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Violation. Penalty.

Effective immediately.

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

Passed the House December 21, 1933.

Passed the Senate December 28, 1933.

Approved by the Governor December 30, 1933.

CHAPTER 6.

[H. B. 14.]

KIDNAPING.

AN ACT relating to the crime of kidnaping and the punishment therefor, and repealing section 158, chapter 249, Session Laws, 1909 (section 2410, Remington's Revised Statutes of Washington), and declaring that this act shall take effect immediately.

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

SECTION 1. Every person who shall wilfully,

Kidnapping defined. (1) Seize, confine or inveigle another with intent to cause him without authority of law to be secretly confined or imprisoned, or in any way held to service with the intent to extort or obtain money or reward for his release or disposition, shall be guilty of kidnaping in the first degree, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by death or by imprisonment in the state penitentiary for life as the jury shall determine; and in every trial for kidnaping in the first degree, the jury shall, if it find the defendant guilty, also find a special verdict as to whether or not the death penalty shall be inflicted; and if such special verdict is in the affirmative, the penalty shall be death, otherwise, it shall be as herein provided. All executions in accordance herewith shall take place at the state penitentiary under the direction of and pursuant to arrangements made by the superintendent thereof: *Provided*, the time when

First degree.

Death penalty or life imprisonment.