CHAPTER 90.
[ H. B. 108. ]

ELECTIONS—DISPOSITION OF BALLOTS.

AN ACT relating to the disposition of ballots, and amending section 3092, Code of Washington, 1881.

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

SECTION 1. Section 3092, Code of Washington, 1881, is amended to read as follows:

Section 3092. It shall be the duty of the inspector, or one of the judges, to string the ballots at the time of counting, and after all the ballots have been counted and strung, it shall be the duty of the inspector to place them in a sealed envelope, and write thereon, "Ballots of .................. precinct, .................. county, State of Washington, of election held this .................. day of .................., 19..........," and send said sealed envelope to the auditor of the county where said election is held, who shall keep said sealed envelope containing said ballots unopened for the period of six months, to be used only as evidence in case or cases of contest when called for, at the end of which time it shall be the duty of said county auditor to burn or make such disposal of said ballots as he may deem expedient in presence of two other county officers.

Passed the House February 17, 1945.
Passed the Senate March 7, 1945.
Approved by the Governor March 15, 1945.