the Laws of 1923, the State Forest Board is authorized to issue and dispose of utility bonds of the State of Washington in an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) in principal during the biennium expiring March 31, 1951: Provided, however, That no sum in excess of one dollar ($1) per acre shall ever be paid or allowed either in cash, bonds, or otherwise, for any lands suitable for forest growth, but devoid of such, nor shall any sum in excess of three dollars ($3) per acre be paid or allowed either in cash, bonds, or otherwise, for any lands adequately restocked with young growth.

Any utility bonds issued under the provisions of section 1 of this act may be retired from time to time, whenever there is sufficient money in the Forest Development Fund, said bonds to be retired at the discretion of the State Forest Board either in the order of issuance, or by first retiring bonds with the highest rate of interest.

Passed the Senate February 17, 1949.
Passed the House March 7, 1949.
Approved by the Governor March 16, 1949.

CHAPTER 81.
[S. B. 328.]

TIDE LANDS GRANTED CITY OF SEATTLE.
An Act relating to tidelands in the City of Seattle; and amending section 3, chapter 177, Laws of 1929, as amended.

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

SECTION 1. Section 3, chapter 177, Laws of 1929, as amended by section 1, chapter 33, Laws of 1931, is amended to read as follows:

Section 3. All of the tide lands described in section 1 of this act are hereby granted to said City of Seattle to be used for public park, boulevard, ferry
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landings and temporary waiting basin for shipping entering the government canal, boat moorage and boat service, and for no other purposes; and in case the said City of Seattle shall attempt to use or permit the use of said tide lands or any portion thereof for any other purposes, the same shall forthwith revert to the State of Washington without suit, action or other proceeding whatsoever, or the judgment of any court forfeiting the same: Provided, That the City of Seattle shall be and is hereby authorized to convey any portion of the above described tide lands to the Port of Seattle, for port purposes.

Passed the Senate March 2, 1949.
Passed the House March 7, 1949.
Approved by the Governor March 16, 1949.

CHAPTER 82.

[ S. B. 53. ]

DIRECTORS OF FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICTS.

An Act relating to flood control districts; and amending section 53, chapter 160, Laws of 1935, as amended by section 1, chapter 119, Laws of 1939.

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


Section 53. The County Commissioners of the county in which a flood control district is located shall be ex-officio the directors of such flood control district. The directors shall organize as a board each year and elect a chairman from their number. The County Auditor shall be Clerk of the Board and its records shall be kept in the office of the Board of County Commissioners: Provided, That, when a