upon a strip or portion of the east half of the Holman waterway, eighty feet wide and four hundred feet long, beginning at a point on the east half of the said waterway fourteen hundred feet southerly from the point of intersection of the United States government meander line and the east line of said waterway and extending towards the inner harbor line, according to the official plat of the tide lands and inner harbor line in front of the town of Ilwaco, on file in the county of Pacific, state of Washington, and to conduct on the said described premises all the operations necessary for the catching, canning, packing and preserving of salmon and other fish and food products.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate February 26, 1953.
Passed the House February 25, 1953.
Approved by the Governor March 4, 1953.

CHAPTER 69.
[S. B. 159.]

METROPOLITAN BUILDING TRACT.

An Act relating to the board of regents of the university and the powers of said board relative to the metropolitan building tract; and amending section 28.77.340, RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 28.77.340, RCW, being section 1, chapter 97, Laws of 1951, is amended to read as follows:

The board of regents of the university shall not sell, renew the present lease, lease for a term in excess of sixty years, or make any other disposition for a period in excess of sixty years of that certain tract of land in the city of Seattle, commonly known as

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as the "old university grounds," or any part thereof, until authorized and empowered to do so by statute of the legislature, and any contract of sale, renewal of the present lease, lease for a term in excess of sixty years, or any other disposition for a period in excess of sixty years, made or attempted to be made by the board of regents shall be null and void unless and until the same has been approved, ratified and confirmed by legislative act.

The board of regents shall have power to lease or demise the property or any part thereof without authorization or confirmation by the legislature when the interest so created is for a term not exceeding sixty years: Provided, That the board of regents shall make a full detailed report of all leases and transactions pertaining to the metropolitan building tract to each session of the legislature.

Passed the Senate February 26, 1953.
Passed the House February 25, 1953.
Approved by the Governor March 4, 1953.

CHAPTER 70.
[S. B. 81.]

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR VOLUNTEERS—CAMP ROGERS FUNDS.

An Act relating to state government; providing for the deposit of certain trust funds in the general fund of the state treasury; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. The sum of one thousand four hundred seventy-six ($1,476) dollars in the Services at Camp Rogers Fund and the sum of seven hundred eighty-nine ($789) dollars in the Rejected Soldiers' Services at Camp Rogers Fund, which amounts represent the balances remaining unexpended of the moneys ap-