CHAPTER 217.
[H. B. 646.]
DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONS—PURCHASE OF FORT WORDEN.

An Act relating to the department of institutions; authorizing the purchase of certain lands, buildings and equipment situate at Fort Worden, Jefferson county, for the institutionalization of children and youth, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby established under the supervision and control of the department of institutions, an institution for the care and custody of children and youth, to be located at Fort Worden, near Port Townsend, in Jefferson county.

Sec. 2. The director of the department of institutions is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the commissioners of the port of Port Townsend for the purchase of, and to accept a deed in the name of the state of Washington, subject to the approval as to form by the attorney general, of certain lands, buildings and equipment situate at Port Townsend in Jefferson county, and known as Fort Worden, a former United States military installation.

Sec. 3. The director of the department of institutions, upon the acquisition of the land, buildings and equipment at Fort Worden, may cause plans, specifications and estimates of cost to be prepared for the remodeling and alteration of said buildings for the institutionalization of children and youth, and for this purpose the director is authorized to employ the services of architects.

Sec. 4. The director of the department of institutions shall have authority to transfer children and youth to Fort Worden who are now confined at, or who may hereafter be committed to, any other fa-
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cility under the supervision of the department of institutions for the custody of children and youth.

Sec. 5. The director of the department of institutions is hereby authorized to appoint a superintendent and such other officers and employees as are deemed necessary for the proper operation of the institutions and facilities authorized by this act.

Sec. 6. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House February 27, 1957.
Passed the Senate March 11, 1957.
Approved by the Governor March 22, 1957.

CHAPTER 218.
[ Sub. H. B. 291. ]

MOTOR VEHICLE FUEL TAX.

An Act relating to the motor vehicle fuel tax; amending section 1, chapter 157, Laws of 1953 and RCW 82.36.200; section 4, chapter 81, Laws of 1923, section 18, chapter 58, Laws of 1933, section 2, chapter 109, Laws of 1935, section 2, chapter 219, Laws of 1937, section 5, chapter 84, Laws of 1942, section 1, chapter 38, Laws of 1945, as last amended by section 1, chapter 263, Laws of 1951 and section 1, chapter 90, Laws of 1955 and RCW 82.36.270 through 82.36.370; and adding four new sections to chapter 82.36 RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 157, Laws of 1953 and RCW 82.36.200 are each amended to read as follows:

On or before the twenty-fifth day of each month, all persons operating trucks, pipe lines, and other conveyances in the transportation of motor vehicle fuel into this state shall report under oath to the