

CHAPTER 27.

[House Bill No. 58.]

RELATING TO SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

AN ACT to amend sections 193 and 437 of an act entitled "An act relating to crimes and punishments and the rights and custody of persons accused or convicted of crime, and repealing certain acts," being sections 193 and 437 of chapter 249 of the Session Laws of the regular session of the legislature of 1909, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. That section 193 of an act entitled "An act relating to crimes and punishments and the rights and custody of persons accused or convicted of crime, and repealing certain acts," being section 193 of chapter 249 of the Session Laws of the regular session of the legislature of 1909, be amended to read as follows: "Section 193. Every person who—1. Shall admit to or allow to remain in any drinking saloon, dance house, public pool or billiard hall, concert saloon, or in any place, except a restaurant or dining room, where intoxicating liquors are sold or given away, or in any place of entertainment injurious to health or morals owned, kept or managed by him, in whole or in part, any person under the age of twenty-one years, or any female person, whether as employe, visitor or patron; or in any of the places hereinbefore enumerated shall sell or give, or permit to be sold or given, any intoxicating liquor to any such minor or female person; or,

Female or
minor pro-
hibited,
where.

2. Shall suffer or permit any such person to play any game of skill or chance in any such place, or in any place adjacent thereto, or to be or remain therein, or admit or allow to remain in any reputed house of prostitution or assignation, or in any place where opium, or any preparation thereof, is smoked, or where any narcotic drug is used, any person under the age of twenty-one years; or,

Gambling
prohibited.

3. Shall sell, or give, or permit to be sold, or given to any person under the age of twenty-one years any intoxi-

Liquor or
tobacco to
minor.

cating liquor, cigar, cigarette, cigarette paper or wrapper, or tobacco in any form; or,

4. Shall sell, or give, or permit to be sold or given to any person under the age of eighteen years, any revolver, pistol, or toy pistol; shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor.

Revolvers or
toy pistols.

It shall be no defense to a prosecution for a violation of this section that the person acted, or was believed by the defendant to act, as agent or representative of another."

SEC. 2. That section 437 of said act be amended to read as follows: "Section 437. Every person, being the owner or manager of, or an employe in any drinking saloon, drinking cellar or public dance hall or music hall where intoxicating liquors are sold or kept for sale, who shall knowingly permit to enter such saloon, cellar or hall, or give employment to, or sell or give any intoxicating liquor to, any person previously convicted, whether in this state or elsewhere, of a crime of which fraud or the intent to defraud is an element, or of petit larceny, or of any crime which under the laws of this state would amount to a felony, or who shall sell or give any intoxicating liquor to any person known or adjudged to be a common drunkard, or to any person in an intoxicated condition, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

[Am'd. § 437,
ch. 249, p.
1029, L. '09,
Reg. Ses.]

Selling in-
toxicating
liquors to
convicts or
drunkards.

SEC. 3. An emergency exists and this act shall take effect on October 1, 1909.

Emergency.

Passed by the House August 20, 1909.

Passed by the Senate August 21, 1909.

Approved by the Governor August 28, 1909.