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ing school maintenance and building purposes, and public roads thereof, and not otherwise.

Passed the House February 4, 1949. Passed the Senate March 6, 1949. Approved by the Governor March 16, 1949.

CHAPTER 132.

[H.B.80.]

CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN STATE TIDE LANDS IN MASON COUNTY.

An Act relating to public lands and authorizing the issuance of a deed to School District No. 312, Hoodsport, Mason County, Washington for certain tidelands upon payment of the balance due on contract of purchase therefor.

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

SECTION 1. Upon payment to the State of Washington of the balance of principal and interest (approximately two-hundred-forty-four dollars and fifty-three cents) on contract No. 6216 issued to School District No. 19, Eldon, Mason County, Washington, since consolidated with School District No. 312, Hoodsport, Mason County, Washington, the Commissioner of Public Lands is authorized and directed to certify that the entire purchase price on all tidelands of the second class owned by the State of Washington situate in front of, adjacent to or abutting upon that portion of Section 26, Township 24 North, Range 3 West, W. M., in Mason County, Washington known as Tracts 9 and 10 of Block 2 of the unrecorded plat of Allie Ahl's Summer Home Tracts, has been paid in full and to cause to be issued to School District No. 312, Hoodsport, Mason County, Washington a deed therefor to be executed by the Governor and attested by the Secretary of State

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with the seal of the State of Washington attached thereto.

Passed the House February 1, 1949. Passed the Senate March 6, 1949. Approved by the Governor March 16, 1949.

CHAPTER 133.

[H.B. 303.]

TRANSPORTATION OF PROPERTY BY MOTOR VEHICLE.

AN ACT relating to the transportation of property by motor vehicle over the public highways of the State of Washington; amending section 3, chapter 184, Laws of 1935, as last amended by section 1, chapter 264, Laws of 1947 (sec. 6382-3, Rem. Supp. 1947), and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. Section 3, chapter 184, Laws of 1935, Amendment. as last amended by section 1, chapter 264, Laws of 1947 (sec. 6382-3 Rem. Supp. 1947), is amended to read as follows:

Section 3. The provisions of this act, except Act not apwhere specifically otherwise provided, and except certain motor the provisions providing for licenses, shall not apply to:

(a) Motor vehicles operated exclusively within Operated the corporate limits of any city or town of less than incity or town. ten thousand (10,000) population unless contiguous to a city or town of ten thousand (10,000) population or over, nor between contiguous cities or towns both or all of which are less than ten thousand (10,000) population;

(b) Motor vehicles operated exclusively in the United States mail or transportation of the United States mail or in the transportation of newspapers or periodicals;

(c) Motor vehicles owned and operated by the Federal or state. United States, the State of Washington, or any

plicable to vehicles.

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