

CHAPTER CX.

[H. B. No. 254.]

TO PROTECT PERSONS WHO HAVE PLANTED OYSTERS
UPON TIDE OR SHORE LANDS PRIOR TO MARCH 26,
1890.

AN ACT to protect persons who have planted oysters upon tide and shore lands in this state prior to March 26, 1890.

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

Limit of time
for removal.

SECTION 1. That any person who has prior to the 26th day of March, A. D. 1890, planted oyster beds upon any of the tide or shore lands of this state, shall be granted a period of not less than six months nor more than three years after said land has been sold by the state, to remove the same; the time to be determined by the commissioner of public lands. And any person shall have the exclusive possession of said tide or shore lands during the time that he has to remove the said oysters under the provisions of this act: *Provided*, That in case any planter of oysters shall fail within the time allotted to remove the said oysters, he shall be deemed to forfeit the same to the purchaser or owner of said lands: *Provided*, That this shall not apply to tide lands within two miles of an incorporated city.

Rights for-
feited by de-
fault.

SEC. 2. Wherever the word person is used in this act it shall be deemed to mean person, persons, firm or corporation.

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CHAPTER CXI.

[H. B. No. 160.]

TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR SUPPLYING WATER FOR
THE EASTERN WASHINGTON HOSPITAL FOR INSANE.

AN ACT to appropriate money for the water supply plant for the Eastern Washington hospital for insane.

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

SECTION 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise ap-

propriated the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to furnish the Eastern Washington hospital for the insane with water supply and plant necessary for the maintenance of the same.

SEC. 2. That said money shall be expended for the purpose above specified under the direction of the board of commissioners of the Eastern Washington hospital for the insane, in the manner as provided for the completion and furnishing of said hospital in an act entitled "An act to provide for the completion and furnishing of the hospital for the insane at Medical Lake, Washington, and making an appropriation therefor," approved January 31st, 1890: *Provided, however,* That any advertising done prior to the approval of this act may be considered as if done thereafter.

SEC. 3. Before any work shall be commenced or hereby expended, under the provisions of this act, the said commissioners shall procure the water rights necessary to provide water for said hospital and the right-of-way for the necessary water pipes.

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CHAPTER CXII.

[H. B. No. 220.]

TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR IMPROVEMENT OF THE STATE PENITENTIARY.

AN ACT appropriating money for the improvement of the state penitentiary.

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

SECTION 1. The sum of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the construction at the