

machine, and that the discrepancy still remains unaccounted for, the county commissioners, council, board or other governing body, with the assistance of the custodian, shall in the presence of said inspector and judges of election and the authorized representatives of the several political parties or organizations, unlock the voting and counting mechanism of said machine and proceed to thoroughly examine and test the machine to determine and reveal the true cause or causes, if any, of the discrepancy in the returns from said machine. Before being tested the counter shall be set at "000," after which each counter shall be operated at least 100 times. After the completion of said examination and test, the custodian shall then and there prepare a statement in writing giving in detail the result thereof and said statement shall be witnessed by the persons present and shall be filed with the officer or board in charge of the election.

Testing
machine.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate support of the state government and shall take effect immediately.

Emergency.

Passed the House January 25, 1917.

Passed the Senate February 1, 1917.

Approved by the Governor February 3, 1917.

CHAPTER 8.

[H. B. 54.]

REGULATING USE OF ARMORIES AND RIFLE RANGES.

AN ACT relating to the governing and regulation of armories and rifle ranges, and amending section 7334 of Remington & Ballinger's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Washington.

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

SECTION 1. That section 7334 of Remington & Ballinger's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Washington be amended to read as follows:

Section 7334. The commander-in-chief shall promulgate in general orders such regulations for the use of

Use of
military real
property.

armories, rifle ranges, and other real property owned or leased by the state for military purposes as may be proper: *Provided*, That no armory shall be used for any other than a strictly military purpose without the recommendation of the officer in charge thereof: *And provided further*, That all civilian rifle clubs affiliated with the National Rifle Association of America shall be permitted the use of the rifle ranges in the armories owned by the state at least one night each week under such regulations as the commander-in-chief may direct: *And provided further*, That one room shall be set aside for the exclusive use of all veteran organizations subject to the direction of the officer in charge thereof; and the members of all veteran organizations and their auxiliaries shall have, at all times, access to said room, and said room shall be provided with furniture, heat, light and janitor service out of the maintenance item from the military fund, and said veteran organizations and their auxiliaries shall bear no expense or expenses whatever in connection with the maintenance, heating, lighting and furnishing of such room: *And provided further*, That all revenue derived from rentals of these armories shall be turned in to the state treasurer under such regulations as the commander-in-chief may direct and credited to the military fund.

Civilian
rifle clubs.

Room for
veteran or-
ganizations.

Disposition
of armory
rentals.

Passed the House January 29, 1917.

Passed the Senate January 31, 1917.

Approved by the Governor February 6, 1917.