

provided for by law and every such tax is a lien upon the mine or mining claim or where the net profits thereof are the product of a group of mining claims operated by the same person or persons or corporation shall be a lien upon all of the mining claims included in said group. Said lien attaches at the same time as is provided for the attachment of the lien of taxes upon other property in this state and the sale thereof for delinquent taxes shall be made in the same manner as is provided by law for the sale of real estate: *Provided*, That on unpatented mining claims only the surface improvements thereon shall be assessed and only such surface improvements can be subjected to the lien of said taxes and such surface improvements on unpatented mining claims shall be sold in the same manner as is provided for the sale of personal property for taxes.

Passed the House February 25, 1921.

Passed the Senate March 8, 1921.

Approved by the Governor March 19, 1921.

CHAPTER 125.

[H. B. 170.]

PUBLICLY OWNED MOTOR VEHICLES.

AN ACT relating to publicly owned automobiles and motor vehicles, and requiring the marking thereof with the names of the public bodies owning the same.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of every public officer and department having charge of any automobile or other motor vehicle owned by any county, city, town or other public body in this state and used in the public business, except automobiles used by

the sheriff's office, police department, constables and game wardens, except automobiles engaged in police duty, to cause to be painted upon such automobile or other motor vehicle, in letters of contrasting colors, not less than two by two and one-half inches in size, the name of such county, city, town or other public body, together with the name of the department or office upon the business of which said automobile or other motor vehicle is used.

SEC. 2. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this act, or any person driving or using any automobile or other motor vehicle, required to be marked under the provisions of this act, which is not so marked, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Violations.

Passed the House February 26, 1921.

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Approved by the Governor March 19, 1921.

CHAPTER 126.

[H. B. 131.]

RELATING TO PRACTICE OF LAW.

AN ACT relating to the practice of law, providing for a State Board of Law Examiners, defining its powers and duties, providing for the licensing of attorneys and counselors at law and for the suspension or revocation of licenses, providing penalties for the violation hereof, and repealing Chapter 115 Laws of 1917, Chapter 100 Laws of 1919 and Sections 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 139, 140, 141 and 142 of Remington & Ballinger's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Washington.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby created a State Board of Law Examiners composed of three members of the bar, each of whom shall have been admitted to practice in this state for at least five years

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