

levy and assessment for any improvement of the character designated in section 1 of this act shall be valid and binding up to and including the fifty per cent. limit herein fixed regardless of any lesser limit fixed by any law or charter provision: *And provided further*, Proviso. That any city which, by charter provision, is authorized to incur a greater limit of cost and assessment than that herein prescribed, shall not be held to be limited by this act.

SEC. 2. An emergency exists and this act shall take Emergency effect immediately after the passage and approval thereof.

Passed the House March 2, 1901.

Passed the Senate March 4, 1901.

Approved by the Governor, March 6, 1901.

## CHAPTER XLVIII.

[H. B. No. 116.]

### RELATING TO QUARANTINE IN CITIES AND TOWNS.

AN ACT relating to quarantine in cities and towns.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever a house has been quarantined by the board of health in any city or towns in this state, it shall be unlawful for any person, without the per- Unlawful to leave premises. mission of the health officer, to leave the said house.

SEC. 2. Any person violating the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall Penalty. be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, or imprisoned in the county jail for a period of thirty days, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Passed the House February 16, 1901.

Passed the Senate March 4, 1901.

Approved by the Governor March 6, 1901.