

CHAPTER 235.

[S. B. 372.]

WASHINGTON SOLDIERS' HOME—MEMBERSHIP.

AN ACT relating to membership in the colony of the Washington soldiers' home and amending section 72.36.040, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.36.040.

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

RCW 72.36.040 amended.

SECTION 1. Section 72.36.040, chapter 28, Laws of 1959 and RCW 72.36.040 are each amended to read as follows:

Colony established—Who may be admitted.

There is hereby established what shall be known as the "Colony of the State Soldiers' Home." All of the following persons who reside within the limits of Orting precinct and have been actual bona fide citizens of this state for a period of three years at the time of their application and who have personal property of less than one thousand dollars and/or a monthly income insufficient to meet their needs as determined by the standards of the county welfare department, may be admitted to membership in said colony under such rules and regulations as may be adopted by the department.

(1) All honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who have served the United States government in any of its wars, and members of the state militia disabled while in the line of duty, and their wives, who were married and living with their wives for five years prior to application to membership in said colony or who, since said date, have married widows of soldiers who were members of a soldiers' home or colony in this state or entitled to admission thereto at the time of death: *Provided*, That such soldiers, sailors, and marines and members of the state militia shall, while they are members of said colony, be living with their said wives.

(2) The widows of all soldiers who were mem-

bers of a soldiers' home or colony in this state or entitled to admission thereto at the time of death, and the widows of all soldiers who would have been entitled to admission to a soldiers' home or colony in this state at the time of death but for the fact that they were not indigent and unable to support themselves and families, which widows have since the death of their said husbands become indigent and unable to earn a support for themselves: *Provided*, That such widows are not less than fifty years of age and have not been married since the decease of their said husbands to any person not a member of a soldiers' home or colony in this state or entitled to admission thereto. Any resident of said colony may be admitted to the hospital at the state soldiers' home for temporary care when requiring hospital treatment.

Colony established—Who may be admitted.

Passed the Senate March 6, 1959.

Passed the House March 10, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 23, 1959.

CHAPTER 236.

[S. B. 394.]

PORT DISTRICTS—TOLL BRIDGES AND TUNNELS.

AN ACT relating to port districts; authorizing port districts to construct or otherwise acquire tunnels and bridges; to fix, charge and collect tolls, rates, rents and charges for the use of such facilities; to authorize the issuance of negotiable revenue bonds and other revenue obligations payable solely from such tolls, rates, rents and charges; to authorize port districts to contract with other municipal corporations, public agencies and departments of the government of the state and of the United States concerning the acquisition, construction, ownership, operation, maintenance, renewal, replacement and extension of facilities constructed pursuant to the authority of this act, and to authorize such other municipal corporations, public agencies and departments of the government of the state to enter into such contracts with port districts; to provide for actions and the limitation