CHAPTER 70.

[H. B. 263.]

FIXING THE INTEREST ON BONDS OF JEFFERSON COUNTY.

An Act providing the rate of interest to be paid on bonds of Jefferson county and owned by the State of Washington, and declaring an emergency.

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

6 per cent.

SECTION 1. That the treasurer of the State of Washington be and he is hereby authorized and directed to accept in full payment of interest upon thirty-six thousand dollars of Jefferson county bonds issued January, 1891, and owned by the State of Washington, for four years beginning January 1st, 1908, and ending December 31st, 1911, interest at the rate of four per cent per annum.

SEC. 2. An emergency exists and this act shall take effect immediately.

Passed by the House February 23, 1909. Passed by the Senate March 3, 1909. Approved March 9, 1909.

CHAPTER 71.

[S. B. 234.]

RELATING TO LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

An Act to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled, "An act relating to and authorizing the collection of assessments for local improvements by a new assessment or re-assessment of the cost and expense of making same in cities and towns, and declaring an emergency," approved March 9, 1893.

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

[Am'd. § 2. ch. 95, p. 226, L. '93.] SECTION 1. That Section 2 of the act entitled, "An act relating to and authorizing the collection of assessments for local improvements by a new assessment or re-assessment of the cost and expense of making same in cities and towns, and declaring an emergency," approved March

9, 1893, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: "Section 2. The city council of such city or town shall by ordinance order and make a new assessment or reassessment, as provided in preceding section, upon the lots, Re-assessment blocks, or parcels of land, which have been or will be benefited by such improvement, to the extent of their proportionate part of the cost, expense and value thereof. city council may include in such new assessment or re-assessment any property which they shall find to be benefited by Additional property. said improvement whether or not the same was included in the original assessment district and whether or not the same abuts upon the said improvement. Such additional property so assessed shall thereby become a part of the local improvement district theretofore created, or attempted to be created, for the purpose of assessment to provide a fund to pay for said improvement, and the said new assessments shall all be paid into and become a part of the local improvement fund provided to pay for said improvement."

That Section 4 of said act is hereby amended to ch. 95, p. 228, ows: "Section 4. Upon receiving the said asread as follows: "Section 4. Upon receiving the said assessment roll the clerk of such city or town shall give notice by three (3) successive publications in the official newspaper of such city or town, that such assessment roll is on file in his office, the date of filing the same, and said notice shall state a time not less than thirty (30) days after the first publication of said notice at which the council will hear and consider objections to said assessment roll by the parties aggrieved by such assessment. The owner or owners of any property which is assessed in such assessment roll, Objections. whether named or not in such roll, may, at any time prior to the time of hearing fixed in said notice, file with the clerk his objection in writing to said assessment. If by said assessment roll an assesment is levied upon any property not included in the original assessment roll made for the purpose of providing a fund to pay for said improvement or upon any property not abutting upon said improvement, said notice shall also include a statement of that fact, together with either a description of all property included

in said assessment roll or a description of the exterior boundaries of said assessment district: *Provided*, That the fact that there may be included within said boundaries some property not assessed shall not be held to invalidate said notice or said roll."

Passed by the Senate February 19, 1909. Passed by the House March 4, 1909. Approved March 9, 1909.

CHAPTER 72.

[S. B. 176.]

RELATING TO DISBARMENT OF ATTORNEYS.

An Act relating to the disbarment and suspension of attorneys and counselors-at-law, and amending section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 3289 of the Code of 1881, relating to the removal and suspension of attorneys," being chapter IX of the Laws of 1897.

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

[Am'd. §3289, C. '81; §4775 Bal.; § 3197 Pierce.]

Section 1. That section 1 of chapter IX of the Laws of 1897, being an act entitled "An act to amend section 3289 of the Code of 1881, relating to the removal and suspension of attorneys," be amended to read as follows: An attorney and counselor may be re-Section 3289. moved or suspended by any court of record of the state, for either of the following causes, arising after his admission to practice: 1. His conviction of a felony or misdemeanor involving moral turpitude, in which case the record of conviction shall be conclusive evidence. 2. Wilful and malicious disobedience or violation of an order of the court requiring him to do or forbear an act connected with, or in the course of, his profession, which he ought in good faith to do or forbear, and any violation of the oath taken by him, or of his duties as such attorney and counselor. 3. Corruptly or wilfully, and without authority, appearing as attorney for a party to an action or proceeding. 4. Lending his name to be used as attorney

Grounds for disbarment.