

CHAPTER 23.

[S. B. 72.]

PRIVATE SEALS.

AN ACT abolishing the use of private seals and validating the instruments heretofore executed without seals, and amending Sections 10556 and 10557 of Remington's Compiled Statutes of Washington, the same being Sections 1912 and 1913 of Pierce's Code.

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

Amends Rem.
Comp. Stat.
§ 10556;
Pierce's Code
§ 1912.

SECTION 1. That section 10556 of Remington's Compiled Statutes of Washington, the same being section 1912 of Pierce's Code, be amended to read as follows:

Abolished on
deeds, mort-
gage, lease,
bond, etc.

Section 10556. The use of private seals upon all deeds, mortgages, leases, bonds, and other instruments, and contracts in writing, including deeds from a husband to his wife and from a wife to her husband for their respective community right, title, interest or estate in all or any portion of their community real property, is hereby abolished, and the addition of a private seal to any such instrument or contract in writing hereafter made, shall not affect its validity or legality in any respect.

Amends Rem.
Comp. Stat.
§ 10557;
Pierce's Code
§ 1913.

SEC. 2. That section 10557 of Remington's Compiled Statutes of Washington, the same being section 1913 of Pierce's Code, be amended to read as follows:

Deeds,
mortgages,
etc., without
seal validated.

Section 10557. All deeds, mortgages, leases, bonds and other instruments and contracts in writing, including deeds from a husband to his wife and from a wife to her husband for their respective community right, title, interest or estate in all or any portion of their community real property, which have heretofore been executed without the use of a

private seal, are, notwithstanding, hereby declared to be legal and valid.

Passed the Senate January 31, 1923.

Passed the House February 14, 1923.

Approved by the Governor February 23, 1923.

CHAPTER 24.

[S. B. 45.]

STATE FUNDS.

AN ACT relating to funds of the state treasury.

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

SECTION 1. The state treasurer is hereby au- Transferred.
thorized to withdraw and transfer and place in the general fund of the state treasury, all sums now in the following named funds of the state treasury: state nautical school fund, state board of medical examiners fund, and United States social hygiene fund.

Passed the Senate January 27, 1923.

Passed the House February 14, 1923.

Approved by the Governor February 23, 1923.