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Bonds.

Effective immediately. issuance of bonds of such district was approved by three-fifths of the voters therein voting on such proposition, is hereby validated, notwithstanding any irregularity or omission in the calling or holding of such election.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate March 8, 1929.

Passed the House March 13, 1929.

Approved by the Governor March 22, 1929.

## CHAPTER 220.

[S. B. 324.]

## SALE OF MATERIALS BELONGING TO STATE.

AN ACT relating to the sale of materials belonging to the state and defining the duties of the Commissioner of Public Lands, and amending Section 31 of Chapter 255 of the Session Laws of 1927.

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

SECTION 1. That section 31 of chapter 255, Laws. of 1927, be amended to read as follows:

Section 31. Timber, fallen timber, stone, gravel, or other valuable material situated upon state lands, except capitol building lands, or upon tide or shore lands, or the bed of navigable waters belonging to the state may be sold separate from the land, when in the judgment of the commissioner of public lands, it is for the best interest of the state so to sell the same, and in case the estimated amount of timber on any tract of state lands, except capitol building lands, shall exceed one million feet to the quarter section, the timber shall be sold separate from the land. When application is made for the

Amends § 31, Chap. 255 Laws 1927.

Materials on state lands and tide and shore lands.

Timber more than 1,000,000 feet, sold separate from land. purchase of any valuable material, situated upon state lands, except capitol building lands, or upon tide or shore lands, or the bed of navigable waters belonging to the state, the same inspection and report shall be had as upon an application for the appraisement and sale of such lands, and the commissioner of public lands shall appraise the value of the material applied for. No timber, fallen timber, stone, gravel or other valuable material. shall be sold for less than the appraised value Appraised value. thereof. The commissioner of public lands is authorized and empowered to confer with and enter into any agreements with the public authorities of the State of Oregon, which, in the judgment of said Agreements with Oregon commissioner of public lands will assist the State respecting of Washington and the State of Oregon in securing the maximum revenues for sand, gravel or other materials taken from the bed of the Columbia River where said river forms the boundary line between said states.

Passed the Senate March 7, 1929. Passed the House March 13, 1929. Approved by the Governor March 22, 1929.

River bed.