

LXI, Laws of 1893; also section 1, chapter XLIX, Laws of 1895; also sections 2 and 3, chapter 31, Laws of 1901; also section 1, chapter 81, Laws of 1903; also section 1, chapter 86, Laws of 1909; also sections 1 and 3, chapter 116, Laws of 1913; also sections 1 and 3, chapter 104, Laws of 1915; also sections 4 and 6, chapter 150, Laws of 1925, Extraordinary Session (sections 189, 304, 339, 351, 383, 384, 393, 1231, 1729, 1730, 1730-1, 1732, 2183, 2185 and 2186, Remington's Revised Statutes; sections 7305, 7307, 7315, 7317, 7726, 7811, 7812, 7821, 8270, 8337, 8504, 8515, 9343, 9345 and 9346, Pierce's Code).

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CHAPTER 207.

[H. B. 34.]

STATE LIBRARY.

AN ACT relating to the State Library and amending section 2, chapter 5, Laws of 1941, and repealing sections 2588 to and including section 2613, Code of Washington Territory, 1881, the chapter entitled "An Act relating to the State Library," approved March 27, 1890, sections 1 to and including section 6 of chapter 171, Laws of 1903, chapter 72, Laws of 1913, section 13, of chapter 7, Laws of 1921, and chapter 159, Laws of 1929.

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

State Library
created.

SECTION 1. There shall be a State Library, and a State Librarian as the chief executive officer in charge thereof.

SEC. 2. Section 2, chapter 5, Laws of 1941, is amended to read as follows:

Library
Commission,
powers and
duties.

Section 2. The State Library Commission shall have charge and control of the State Library. It shall appoint a State Librarian, who shall hold office at

the pleasure of the Commission. It may make rules and regulations governing the administration of the library.

Commission
to make
rules.

SEC. 3. The State Librarian is authorized, subject to any limitations and conditions imposed by the State Library Commission, to acquire by purchase, exchange, gift or otherwise library material, equipment and supplies and employ such assistance as is needed for the operation, growth and development of the library and to make rules and regulations governing the use of the library and the material therein.

Duties of
librarian.

SEC. 4. Sections 2588 to and including section 2613, Code of Washington Territory, 1881, the chapter entitled "An Act Relating to the State Library," approved March 27, 1890, sections 1 to and including section 6 of chapter 171, Laws of 1903 (sections 8208, 8214, 8215, and 8216, Remington's Revised Statutes) chapter 72, Laws of 1913 (section 8213, Remington's Revised Statutes), section 13 of chapter 7, Laws of 1921 (section 10771, Remington's Revised Statutes), and chapter 159, Laws of 1929 (section 10771-1, Remington's Revised Statutes) are repealed.

Repeals.

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