

CHAPTER 114.

[S. H. B. 255.]

OLYMPIC NATIONAL PARK.

AN ACT relating to Olympic National Park; providing for the ceding to the United States of exclusive jurisdiction over all lands therein; reserving certain rights to the State of Washington; amending section 1, chapter 170, Laws of 1939, as last amended by section 1, chapter 51, Laws of 1941 (section 8110-1, Rem. Supp., 1941, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 990-33); and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1, chapter 170, Laws of 1939, as last amended by section 1, chapter 51, Laws of 1941 (section 8110-1, Rem. Supp., 1941, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 990-33), is amended to read as follows: Amendment.

Section 1. Exclusive jurisdiction shall be, and the same is hereby ceded to the United States over and within all the territory that is now or hereafter included in that tract of land in the State of Washington, set aside for the purposes of a national park, and known as the Olympic National Park; saving, however, to the said state, the right to serve civil and criminal process within the limits of the aforesaid park, in suits or prosecutions for or on account of rights acquired, obligations incurred or crimes committed in said state, but outside of said park; and saving further to the said state the right to tax persons and corporations, their franchises and property on the lands included in said park: *Provided, however,* This jurisdiction shall not vest until the United States, through the proper officer, notifies the Governor of this state that they assume police or military jurisdiction over said park: *And provided further,* That full jurisdiction over a strip of land two hundred fifty feet (250') wide, being one hundred twenty-five feet (125') wide on each side of the now existing center line of Primary State Highway No. 9 together with existing pit sites and stock-

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pile sites within said park shall be retained by the State of Washington.

Effective immediately.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the preservation of the state government and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House March 7, 1945.

Passed the Senate March 7, 1945.

Approved by the Governor March 15, 1945.

CHAPTER 115.

[H. B. 262.]

EDUCATION.

AN ACT relating to education; providing for the extension of high schools and the merging of Junior Colleges with extended high schools.

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

Purpose.

SECTION 1. The purpose of this act is to authorize and encourage school districts to establish and maintain educational programs designed to meet the needs and interests of high school graduates for whom educational and vocational preparation opportunities would not otherwise be available and for war veterans and others in need of educational and vocational preparation and adjustment, and to provide a state plan for the orderly development of such programs.

Extended high schools authorized.

SEC. 2. School districts are hereby authorized to establish and maintain, under rules and regulations hereinafter provided for, vocational and/or general educational programs for high school graduates, war veterans and others, as thirteenth (13th) and fourteenth (14th) years in high schools and as a part of the common school system of the state, and to pay for such programs out of their general fund budgets.