CHAPTER 92.

[S. B. 342.]

COUNTIES—DETERMINATION OF POPULATION FOR ALLOCATION OF FUNDS.

An Act providing for determination of population of counties for allocation of funds.

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

Method of determining population.

Section 1. Whenever any funds are allocated to counties on the basis of population, the population of the respective counties shall be determined by the most recent census, estimate or survey by the Federal Bureau of Census or any State Board or Commission authorized to make such a census, estimate or survey. If a maximum per cent of error is shown on any such survey or estimate, the population of the county shall be computed by deducting from the estimate fifty per cent of the maximum possible error.

Passed the Senate March 1, 1949. Passed the House March 7, 1949. Approved by the Governor March 16, 1949.

CHAPTER 93.

[S. B. 335.]

INTOXICATING LIQUORS—ELECTIONS.

An Act relating to intoxicating liquors; providing for the control and regulation thereof and amending sections 82 to 88, inclusive, of chapter 62, Laws of Washington, Extraordinary Session, 1933 (Rem. Rev. Stat. Supp. 7306-1 to 7306-95, incl.), by adding thereto a new section to immediately precede section 89, to be known as section 88-A.

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

Amendment.

Section 1. That chapter 62, Laws of Washington, 1933, Extraordinary Session, the same being sections 7306-1 to 7306-95, inclusive, of Remington's Revised

Statutes, be amended by adding thereto a new section to immediately precede section 89, to be known as section 88-A.

Section 88-A. No election in any unit referred to Restriction in sections 82 to 88, inclusive, upon the question of on number of questions whether the sale of liquor shall be permitted within ballot. the boundaries of such unit shall be held at the same time as an election is held in the same unit upon the question of whether the sale of liquor under the provisions of section 83-A shall be permitted. In the event valid and sufficient petitions are filed which would otherwise place both questions on the same ballot that question upon which the petition was filed with the County Auditor first shall be placed on the ballot to the exclusion of the other.

Passed the Senate February 26, 1949.

Passed the House March 7, 1949.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1949.

CHAPTER 94.

[S. B. 6,]

COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES.

An Act relating to county parks and recreation; providing for acquisition, improvement and maintenance by counties of parks, playgrounds and recreational facilities; authorizing county public recreation programs; authorizing the establishment of County Park and Recreation Boards; defining the duties and powers of such Boards; authorizing certain contracts between counties and other municipal corporations and governmental and private agencies; and repealing certain statutes.

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

Section 1. Counties may establish park and play- counties ground systems for public recreational purposes, and playgrounds. for such purposes shall have power to acquire lands, buildings and other facilities by gift, purchase, lease, devise and bequest.