The operation or maintenance of any x-ray, fluroscopic, or other equipment or apparatus employing roentgen rays, in the fitting of shoes or other footwear or in the viewing of bones in the feet is This prohibition does not apply to any licensed prohibited. physician, surgeon, ((chiropodist)) podiatrist, or any practicing a licensed healing art, or any technician working under the direct and immediate supervision of such persons.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 28. There is added to chapter 18.22 RCW a new section as follows:

Nothing contained in this 1973 amendatory act shall be construed to require any person who has held a valid chiropody license of this state prior to the effective date of this 1973 amendatory act to meet any further eligibility or examination requirements for a podiatry license.

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CHAPTER 78

[House Bill No. 694]

ELECTIONS -- MANDATORY POLLING HOURS

AN ACT Relating to elections; and amending section 29.13.080, chapter 9, Laws of 1965 as amended by section 13, chapter 101, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 29.13.080 and declaring an emergency. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 29.13.080, chapter 9, Laws of 1965 as amended by section 13, chapter 101, Laws of 1965 ex. sess. and RCW 29.13.080 are each amended to read as follows:

((At every election and primary election the polls must be kept open from eight o'clock arm; to eight o'clock prm; PROVIDED; That the polling hours at a state primary election and state election; general or special; shall be from seven o'clock a:m: to eight o'elock p+m+)) At all primaries and elections, general or special, in all counties the polls must be kept open from seven o'clock a.m. to eight o'clock p.m. All qualified electors who are at the polling place at eight o'clock p.m., shall be allowed to cast their votes.

<u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

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CHAPTER 79

[House Bill No. 758]

FRATERNAL BENEFIT INSURANCE CERTIFICATES-VALUATION STANDARDS

AN ACT Relating to fraternal benefit insurance; amending section .32.23, chapter 79, Laws of 1947 and RCW 48.36.230; and repealing section .32.36, chapter 79, Laws of 1947, section 15, chapter 197, Laws of 1953 and RCW 48.36.360.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section .32.23, chapter 79, Laws of 1947 and RCW 48.36.230 are each amended to read as follows:

Every society transacting business in this state shall annually, on or before the fifteenth day of March, file with the commissioner in such form as he may require, a statement under oath of its president and secretary, or corresponding officers, of its condition and standing on the thirty-first day of December next preceding, and of its transactions for one year ending on that date, and also shall furnish such other information as the commissioner may deem necessary to a proper exhibit of its business and plan of working. The commissioner may at other times require any further statement he may deem necessary to be made relating to such society.

In addition to the annual report herein required, each society shall annually report to the commissioner in valuation of its certificates in force on the thirty-first day of December last preceding excluding those issued within the year for which the report is filed, in cases where the contributions for the first year in whole or in part are used for current mortality and expenses: PROVIDED, That the first report of valuation shall be made as of December 31, 1931. Such report of valuation shall show, as contingent liabilities, the present midyear value of the promised benefits provided in the constitution and laws of such society under certificates then subject to valuation; and as contingent assets, the present midyear value of the future net contributions provided in the