

issued, is chargeable with the publication of any matter contained in such book, newspaper or serial. But in every prosecution therefor, the defendant may show in his defence that the matter complained of was published without his knowledge by another who had no authority from him to make the publication and whose act was disavowed by him as soon as known. May show matter was published without knowledge.

SEC. 4. Whenever two or more persons assemble for the purpose of advocating or teaching the doctrines of criminal anarchy, as defined in section 1 of this act, such an assembly is unlawful, and every person voluntarily participating therein by his presence, aid or instigation, is guilty of a felony and punishable by imprisonment for not more than ten years, or by a fine of not more than \$5,000, or both. Unlawful to assemble. Penalty.

Passed the House February 19, 1903.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1903.

Approved by the Governor March 7, 1903.

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## CHAPTER 46.

[H. B. No. 201.]

### REQUIRING STATEMENTS OF FACTS AND EVIDENCE IN CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE OF WASHINGTON.

AN ACT to require statements of fact and evidence produced in support of claims made to the Legislature against the State for money or property and to perpetuate the record of the same.

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

SECTION 1. That all claims hereafter made to the Legislature against the State of Washington for money or property, shall be accompanied by a statement of the facts on which such claim is based and such evidence as the claimant intends to offer in support thereof. Legislative committees to whom such claims are referred shall make a transcript or statement of the substance of the evidence given in support of such claim; such statement, together with the

Statement to  
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transcript of the evidence taken by the committee, shall be filed with the State Auditor who shall retain the same as a record of his office.

Passed the House February 19, 1903.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1903.

Approved by the Governor March 7, 1903.

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## CHAPTER 47.

[H. B. No. 55.]

### PROVIDING A CLOSE SEASON FOR TROUT FISHING IN CHELAN COUNTY.

AN ACT to provide for the close season for trout fishing in the streams and lakes within the County of Chelan, and declaring an emergency.

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

Chelan  
County.

SECTION 1. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to take, capture, catch or kill from any of the lakes or streams within the county of Chelan, or to have in their possession after the same have been taken, captured, caught or killed, any trout between the 15th day of April and the 1st day of June of each year.

Penalty.

SEC. 2. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100).

Repeal.

SEC. 3. All other laws relating to the close season for trout and other game fish shall be inoperative in the said county of Chelan after the passage of this act.

Emergency.

SEC. 4. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House February 16, 1903.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1903.

Approved by the Governor March 7, 1903.