

CHAPTER CX.

[H. B. No. 254.]

TO PROTECT PERSONS WHO HAVE PLANTED OYSTERS
UPON TIDE OR SHORE LANDS PRIOR TO MARCH 26,
1890.

AN ACT to protect persons who have planted oysters upon tide and shore lands in this state prior to March 26, 1890.

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

Limit of time
for removal.

SECTION 1. That any person who has prior to the 26th day of March, A. D. 1890, planted oyster beds upon any of the tide or shore lands of this state, shall be granted a period of not less than six months nor more than three years after said land has been sold by the state, to remove the same; the time to be determined by the commissioner of public lands. And any person shall have the exclusive possession of said tide or shore lands during the time that he has to remove the said oysters under the provisions of this act: *Provided*, That in case any planter of oysters shall fail within the time allotted to remove the said oysters, he shall be deemed to forfeit the same to the purchaser or owner of said lands: *Provided*, That this shall not apply to tide lands within two miles of an incorporated city.

Rights for-
feited by de-
fault.

SEC. 2. Wherever the word person is used in this act it shall be deemed to mean person, persons, firm or corporation.

Approved March 7, 1891.

CHAPTER CXI.

[H. B. No. 160.]

TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR SUPPLYING WATER FOR
THE EASTERN WASHINGTON HOSPITAL FOR INSANE.

AN ACT to appropriate money for the water supply plant for the Eastern Washington hospital for insane.

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

SECTION 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise ap-