

CHAPTER 41.

[S. B. 151.]

OATH AND BOND OF GUARDIANS.

AN ACT relating to oath and bond of guardians; amending section 203, chapter 156, Laws of 1917 (section 1573, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 206-17), and providing for issuance of letters of guardianship without bond in certain instances.

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

Amend-
ments.

SECTION 1. Section 203, chapter 156, Laws of 1917 (section 1573, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 206-17), is amended to read as follows:

Bond and
oath of
guardian.

Section 203. Before letters of guardianship are issued, each guardian shall take and subscribe on oath and file a bond, with sureties to be approved by the Court, payable to the State of Washington, in such sum as the Court may fix, and such bond shall be conditioned substantially as follows:

Form.

The condition of this obligation is such, that if the above bond [bound] A. B., who has been appointed guardian for C. D., shall faithfully discharge the office and trust of such guardian according to law and shall render a fair and just account of his guardianship to the Superior Court for the county of
....., from time to time as he shall thereto be required by such Court, and comply with all orders of the Court, lawfully made, relative to the goods, chattels, moneys, care, management and education of such minor, insane or mentally incompetent person, or his or her property, and render and pay to such minor, insane or mentally incompetent person all moneys, goods, chattels, title papers and effects which may come into the hands or possession of such guardian, at such time and in such manner as the Court may order or adjudge, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and effect.

The said bond shall be for the use of such minor, insane or mentally incompetent person, and shall not become void upon the first recovery, but may be put in suit from time to time against all or any one of the obligors, in the name and for the use and benefit of any person entitled by the breach thereof, until the whole penalty shall be recovered thereon. The Court may require an additional bond whenever for any reason it may appear to the Court that such additional bond should be given: *Provided, however,* That in all cases where a bank or trust company, authorized to act as guardian, is appointed as guardian no bond shall be required. Not limited.

Passed the Senate February 27, 1945.

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Approved by the Governor March 14, 1945.

CHAPTER 42.

[S. B. 156.]

STATE GAME DEPARTMENT.

AN ACT requiring the Department of Game to maintain its principal office at the state capital; and amending section 115, chapter 7, Laws of 1921, as amended by section 6, chapter 3, Laws of 1933 (section 10873, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 235-1).

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

SECTION 1. Section 115, chapter 7, Laws of 1921, as amended by section 6, chapter 3, Laws of 1933 (section 10873, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 235-1), is amended to read as follows: Amendments.

Section 115. The Department of Game shall be organized into and consist of the State Game Commission and the Director of Game, and shall maintain its principal office at the state capital. The Director of Game shall have charge and general Game Commission office.