

2. The next of kin in the following order: 1, Next of kin. child or children; 2, father or mother; 3, brothers or sisters; 4, grandchildren; 5, nephews or nieces.

3. One or more of the principal creditors. Creditors.

4. If the persons so entitled shall fail for more than forty days after the death of the intestate to present a petition for letters of administration, or if it appear to the satisfaction of the court that there are no relatives or next of kin, as above specified eligible to appointment, or they waive their right, and there are no principal creditor or creditors, or such creditor or creditors waive their right, then the court may appoint any suitable person to administer such estate. Appointment by court.

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CHAPTER 77.

[S. B. 10.]

HOTEL INSPECTION.

AN ACT relating to hotels, inns and public lodging houses, and amending Section 17 of Chapter 29 of the Laws of 1909.

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

SECTION 1. That section 17 of chapter 29 of the Laws of 1909, page 48, (section 6886 of Remington's § 17, Ch. 29, L. 1909; § 6886 Rem. Stats.; § 2797 Pierce's 1919 Code. Compiled Statutes; section 2797 of Pierce's 1919 Code) be amended to read as follows:

Section 17. Any owner, manager, agent or person in charge of a hotel who shall obstruct or hinder an inspector in the proper discharge of his duties under this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than ten dollars (\$10.00) nor more than one hundred Penalty for obstructing or hindering inspection.

(\$100.00) dollars or shall be imprisoned in the county jail for not less than ten days, nor more than three months or both.

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CHAPTER 78.

[S. B. 11.]

CRIMINAL CODE.

AN ACT relating to the defense of insanity, idiocy or imbecility in criminal prosecutions, and repealing Sections 7 and 31 of Chapter 249 of the Laws of 1909.

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

SECTION 1. That sections 7 and 31 of chapter 249 of the Laws of 1909, pages 891-892 and 897-898, (sections 8694 and 8718 of Pierce's 1919 Code) are hereby repealed.

Statute
repealed.

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