

CHAPTER 181.

[S. B. 169.]

CIVIL ACTIONS IN JUSTICE COURTS.

AN ACT relating to proceedings in justice courts and the service of complaint and notice, and amending section 1761 of Remington's Compiled Statutes.

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

SECTION 1. That section 1761 of Remington's Compiled Statutes be amended to read as follows:

Section 1761. The complaint and notice shall be served at least five days before the time mentioned in the notice for the defendant to appear and answer the complaint, by delivering to the defendant, or leaving at his place of abode, with some person over twelve years of age, a true copy of the complaint and notice.

Passed the Senate December 17, 1925.

Passed the House January 6, 1926.

Approved by the Governor January 15, 1926.

CHAPTER 182.

[S. B. 172.]

AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATIONS.

AN ACT giving legislative assent to the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 24, 1925, entitled "An Act to authorize the more complete endowment of agricultural experiment stations and for other purposes."

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

SECTION 1. That the assent of the Legislature of the state of Washington to the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 24, 1925, en-

Amends
§ 9623.
Pierce's
Code.

Complaint
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titled "An Act to authorize the more complete endowment of agricultural experiment stations and for other purposes," is hereby given.

Passed the Senate December 10, 1925.

Passed the House January 6, 1926.

Approved by the Governor January 16, 1926.

CHAPTER 183.

[S. B. 206.]

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

AN ACT relating to local improvements and bonds issued therefor, amending sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter 141 of the 1923 Session Laws of Washington, and repealing section 6 thereof.

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

SECTION 1. That section 1 of Chapter 141 of the Laws of 1923 be amended to read as follows: Amends § 9351-1, Rem. 1923 Sup.

Section 1. There is hereby established for each city and town in the State a fund for the purpose of guaranteeing, to the extent of such fund and in the manner hereinafter provided, the payment of its local improvement bonds and warrants issued to pay for any local improvement ordered subsequent to the effective date of this act: *Provided*, That this act shall not apply to any city of the first class having a population of more than 300,000 nor to any city of the first class maintaining a local improvement guaranty fund pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 138 of the 1917 Session Laws of Washington, but any such city of the first class may by ordinance elect to operate under the provisions of this act, and may transfer to the guaranty fund created hereunder all of the assets of the former fund, and upon such election and transfer all bonds Fund established to guarantee local improvement bonds and warrants.

Not applicable to certain cities.

Excepted cities may operate under act.