

who shall hunt, pursue, take, kill, trap, ensnare, injure or destroy any imported or oriental pheasant, golden, silver, ring-necked, copper, bronze, Chinese or Mongolian pheasant, or California, valley or mountain quail or Bob White quail, at any time after the passage of this act and before the 15th day of October in the year 1901, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished as hereinafter provided: *Provided*, That thereafter and after the 15th day of October, A. D. 1901, the hunting and killing of all varieties of imported and oriental pheasants, valley, mountain, California or Bob White quail shall be permitted between the 15th day of October and the 1st day of December, otherwise be governed by the law heretofore enacted for the hunting and killing of native pheasants and grouse: *Provided, further*, That the clause prohibiting the killing of Chinese or Mongolian pheasant shall not apply to Skamania county: *Provided*, That in the counties of Kittitas and Klickitat it shall be unlawful to hunt, pursue, take, kill, trap, ensnare, injure or destroy any prairie chicken from and after the passage of this act and before October, A. D. 1901.

Closed season
for certain
game birds.

Quail.

Prairie
chickens.

Passed the House February 9, 1899.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1899.

Approved March 14, 1899.

CHAPTER CXXXIX.

[H. B. No. 300.]

FOR THE RELIEF OF MRS. J. H. STAHL, ET AL.

AN ACT for the relief of Mrs. J. H. Stahl, R. A. Koontz and the Vancouver Auditorium Association and appropriating money therefor.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of three hundred and twenty-five (\$325) dollars be and the same is hereby

appropriated out of the state treasury from the general military fund to pay Mrs. J. H. Stahl for rent of armory used and occupied by Company C, First Battalion, National Guard of Washington, from the first day of March, 1897, to the first day of April, 1898.

SEC. 2. That the sum of three hundred (\$300) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the state treasury from the general military fund to pay the Vancouver Auditorium Association for rent of armory used and occupied by Company H, Second Battalion, National Guard of Washington, for the period of twelve months.

SEC. 3. That the sum of one hundred and sixty-three and $\frac{5}{100}$ (\$163.50) dollars for maintenance and armory fund be and is hereby appropriated for the relief of Captain R. A. Koontz, Company B, First Regiment, National Guard of Washington.

SEC. 4. The state auditor is hereby authorized to draw warrants on the state treasurer for the sum in favor of the said persons, and said treasurer is hereby directed to pay said warrants out of any funds in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed the House March 7, 1899.

Passed the Senate March 8, 1899.

Approved March 14, 1899.

CHAPTER CXL.

[H. B. No. 284.]

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

AN ACT providing for the compulsory attendance of children in the public schools in cities of more than ten thousand inhabitants.

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

SECTION 1. Every person residing in a city containing ten thousand or more inhabitants, having under

School at-
tendance
compulsory.