

branch banks, offices or agencies other than those branch banks, offices and agencies which are now authorized in this Territory.

Amendment
by adding
Sec. 35.

Section 3. That said Chapter 48 of the Session Laws of Alaska, 1913, as amended, be amended by adding thereto at the end of the chapter a new section to be known as Section 35 to read as follows:

Penalty for
violation in
absence of
specific
penalties.

Section 35: That any person or persons, company or corporation, or any of the officers, servants, agents or employees of any such person, company or corporation, who shall violate any provision of this act for which no specific penalty is otherwise provided, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) or by imprisonment in a federal jail in the Territory of Alaska for a period of not more than one year or by both fine and imprisonment; and in the case of a corporation by a fine of not more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

Approved May 1, 1917.

CHAPTER 24.

AN ACT

(H. B. 49)

To amend Section 1712, Chapter 87, Title 13, of the Compiled Laws of Alaska relating to the administration of estates, to provide for the disposition of personal property belonging to estates in the absence of heirs or other claimants.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Amends Sec.
1712 C. L. A.

Section 1. That Section 1712, Chapter 87, Title 13, of the Compiled Laws of Alaska relating to the administration of estates, be amended to read as follows:

Distribution
of personal
property of
decedents to
heirs.

Section 1712. If all the charges and claims shall have been satisfied upon the first distribution of assets or as soon thereafter as they may be, the Commissioner shall direct the payment of legacies and the distribution of the

remaining proceeds of the personal property among the heirs or others persons entitled thereto.

After a final settlement of any estate, if no heirs or other claimant appears, the administrator must deliver to the Territorial Treasurer all monies and personal property in his hands belonging to such estate, upon the order of the probate court.

In the absence of heirs.

Approved May 1, 1917.

CHAPTER 25.

AN ACT

(S. B. 35)

To amend Chapter 11 of the 1915 Session Laws of Alaska, entitled "An Act to Provide for Local Self Government in certain Native Villages in the Territory of Alaska, by adding Section 5.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. That Chapter 11 of the 1915 Session Laws of Alaska, entitled "An Act to provide for local Self Government in certain Native Villages in the Territory of Alaska", be, and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Chapter one more section, said section to be numbered Section 5, and to read as follows:

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"Section 5. That nothing contained in this Act shall be construed or interpreted as in any way giving to the village organizations, provided for herein any right, authority, or jurisdiction over the property of white residents residing within the corporate limits of the village; it being the purpose of this act to provide governments for the Indian residents of such villages only. Provided, however, that if any white person violates any lawful ordinance of such village he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and tried before a United States Commissioner."

Jurisdiction not to extend to white residents.

Proviso.

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