

cent of flour, also data as to the moisture and proteids in the different grades of wheat, and analysis of the flour made from the different grades of wheat and the yield and quality of bread made from the different grades of wheat. In addition to such information it shall be the duty of the said North Dakota government agricultural experiment station to obtain, tabulate and publish such other and further information in relation to the comparative values of the different grades of wheat and flour made therefrom as shall be of value to the wheat growers of this state.

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] Whereas, an emergency exists in this, that there is now no method provided by law for determining the comparative milling values of wheat and flour, now, therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 9, 1905.

GOPHER TAX.

CHAPTER 114.

[H. B. No. 176—Spangberg.]

GOPHER TAX.

AN ACT to Amend Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of 1901, Relating to Gopher and Prairie Dog Tax.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That chapter 107 of the session laws of 1901 be amended to read as follows:

§ 107. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY LEVY GOPHER TAX.] The board of county commissioners of every county in this state may, at any time fixed by law for levy and assessment of taxes, levy a tax not exceeding one-half of one mill on the dollar of assessed valuation upon all real estate in such county, the proceeds of which shall be used solely for the purpose of promoting the destruction of gophers and prairie dogs in said county; the fund provided to be raised in accordance with this section shall be denominated the "gopher and prairie dog destruction fund," and shall be kept separate and distinct by the county treasurer and shall be expended by the board of county commissioners at such time and in such manner as is by said board deemed best to secure the abatement and extermination of the gopher and prairie dog pest.

§ 2. PETITION REQUIRED.] It shall be the duty of the board of county commissioners of any county, on receiving a petition signed by not less than thirty-five per cent of the total number of votes cast at the last general election held in such county request-

ing them to do so, to offer a bounty or reward for each gopher and prairie dog destroyed during the months of April and May. The board of county commissioners when so petitioned, as herein provided, shall publish in the local papers of the county during the month of March of each year, the amount of bounty or reward to be paid for each gopher and prairie dog destroyed, the manner of ascertaining the number of gophers and prairie dogs destroyed and the manner of procedure necessary to obtain such reward.

§ 3. EMERGENCY.] Whereas, an emergency exists, in that the season when the gophers and prairie dogs are most destructive to crops will be passed before July 1st, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 13, 1905.

GRAIN INSPECTION.

CHAPTER 115.

[S. B. No. 177—Young.]

GRAIN INSPECTION.

AN ACT Providing for the Recommendation by the Governor of North Dakota of a Member of the Grain and Warehouse Commission for the City of Superior, Wisconsin, and Providing for His Compensation for the Period of Two Years.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. GOVERNOR TO RECOMMEND SUITABLE PERSON OR PERSONS TO THE GOVERNOR OF WISCONSIN AS GRAIN INSPECTOR. QUALIFICATIONS.] That the governor of this state shall, within sixty days after receipt by him of a request by the governor of the state of Wisconsin so to do, recommend one or more persons who shall have had at least five years' experience in the handling or grading of grain, for appointment upon the grain and warehouse commission for the city of Superior, Wisconsin, and shall, within said period, forward to the governor of said state of Wisconsin, the name or names of the person or persons so recommended.

§ 2. TERM OF OFFICE. SALARY.] The person appointed by the governor of Wisconsin, if he has been recommended by the governor of North Dakota, shall be paid the sum of three hundred dollars per annum from the date of his appointment for the period of two years, which shall be in addition to all sums paid him under the laws of the state of Wisconsin.

§ 3. REPEAL.] Chapter 191 of the laws of North Dakota for the year 1903 is hereby repealed.

Approved March 7, 1905.