be considered as binding on the parties thereto, in so far as the same shall be in accordance with the provisions of this act and the constitution of this state.

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] Whereas, an emergency exists in that dormitories as are contemplated in this act are now in the process of erection, and no law exists covering the provisions herein contemplated, therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its passage and approval.

Approved February 19, 1909.

## EMBALMERS

## CHAPTER 108.

[S. B. No. 162-Duis]

## QUALIFICATIONS OF EMBALMER.

AN ACT to Amend and Re-enact Section 344 of Article 17 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota of 1905, Relating to Qualifications of Embalmers of Dead Human Bodies, and the Duties and Relations for the Shipment Thereof.

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

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] Section 344 of article 17 of the revised codes of North Dakota is amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 344. LICENSE ISSUED, WHEN.] Every person who wishes to practice the profession of embalming dead human bodies in the state of North Dakota or prepare for shipment any dead human body, shall appear before the state board of embalmers, or such member thereof designated, as hereinbefore provided, for examination on their knowledge of embalming, sanitation, preservation of the dead, disinfection of a deceased person and the apartments, bedding, clothing, excretion and anything likely to be affected in case of death from infectious or contagious disease, in accordance with the rules and regulations of the state board of health. Such examination shall be in writing and all examination papers shall be kept on record by said state board of embalmers; and if the applicant be of good moral character and passes a satisfactory examination, then the said board shall issue to said applicant, on payment of the sum of five dollars to the treasurer of said board, a license to practise the profession of embalming for the term of one year. If the applicant desires the renewal of the license, the said board shall grant it, except for cause, and the annual fee for the renewal of the license shall not exceed three dollars.

Approved March 13, 1909.