

capacity whatever in operating or assisting to operate any passenger or freight elevator ; nor shall they be employed in any capacity whatever in the manufacture of goods for immoral purposes, or any other employment that may be considered dangerous to their lives or limbs, or where their health may be injured or morals depraved ; nor in any theatre, concert hall, or place of amusement wherein intoxicating liquors are sold ; nor shall females under sixteen years of age be employed in any capacity where such employment compels them to remain standing constantly.

§ 10. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF THIS ACT.] Each owner, superintendent, manager or overseer of any mine, factory, workshop or mercantile establishment, and any other person who shall employ any child contrary to the provisions of this act or who shall in any manner violate the provisions thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined for each offense in a sum not less than twenty dollars nor more than fifty dollars and costs. Each person authorized to sign a certificate as prescribed in the preceding section who certifies to any material false statement therein shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than twenty dollars nor more than fifty dollars and costs.

§ 11. PROSECUTION, HOW BROUGHT.] Prosecutions under this act shall be brought in the name of the state of North Dakota before any court of competent jurisdiction, and the fines collected shall be paid over to the county treasurer and by him credited to the general fund of the state.

§ 12. REPEAL.] All acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved March 11, 1909.

LAW STUDENTS

CHAPTER 154.

[S. B. No. 101—Koffel]

QUALIFICATIONS OF LAW STUDENTS.

AN ACT to Amend and Re-enact Section 496 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota of 1905, Relating to Qualifications of Applicants for Admission to the Bar of the State of North Dakota.

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

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] Section 496 of the revised codes of North Dakota of 1905 is amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 496. QUALIFICATIONS OF APPLICANTS.] Applicants for admission to practice as attorneys and counselors at law must be residents of this state, at least twenty-one years of age, of good moral character, and must have actually and in good faith pursued a regular course of study of the law for at least three full years, either in the office of a member of the bar of this state residing therein, and in regular practice, or with and under the immediate direction of a judge of the supreme or district court of this state, or in some reputable law school in the United States, or partly in such office and partly in such law school; but in computing such period of study the school year of any such law school, consisting of not less than thirty-five weeks, exclusive of vacation, shall be considered equivalent to one full year.

§ 2. EXEMPTION FROM PROVISIONS.] This act shall not apply to those students who have already in a bona-fide manner entered upon the study of law either in a reputable law school or in the office of an attorney residing and located in the state.

§ 3. REPEAL.] All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act, and especially section 496 of the revised codes of North Dakota for 1905, are hereby repealed.

Approved March 5, 1909.

LIBRARIES

CHAPTER 155.

[H. B. No. 296—Skulason]

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

AN ACT to Amend and Re-enact Article 10, of Chapter 32, Section 2972, of the Political Code of 1905, Relating to Free Public Libraries.

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

§ 2972. PUBLIC LIBRARIES, HOW ESTABLISHED. LIBRARY FUND, HOW CREATED.] The city council of each city, and each village or township board of every village or township shall have the power to establish and maintain a public library and reading room, and for such purposes may annually levy and cause to be collected as other taxes are collected, a tax not exceeding four mills on each dollar of the taxable property of such city, village or township, to constitute the library fund, which fund shall be kept separate and apart from the other money of the city, village or township, by the treasurer thereof, and the same shall be used exclusively for