SECRETARY OF STATE

CHAPTER 224.

[S. B. No. 283—Nelson of Rolette.]

BLUE BOOK—DISTRIBUTION.

AN ACT to Amend Sections 92 and 93 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Printing and Distribution of the Legislaltive Manual or North Dakota Blue Book.

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

- § 1. AMENDMENT.] That Sections 92 and 93 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, be amended and re-enacted to read as follows:
- § 92. Blue Book to be Printed for Distribution.] The Secretary of State shall cause to be printed a sufficient number of Blue Books for distribution to the members of the legislative assembly, state institutions, elective state officers and their appointees, elective county officers, public libraries, legal newspapers, state high schools, and district schools of the state. *Provided* that it shall be the duty of the County Superintendent of Schools to certify to the Secretary of State on the first day of March of each year in which the legislature is in session, or as soon thereafter as possible, the total number of district schools in his county, in the libraries of which one copy of the Blue Book is placed.
- § 93. Procedure for Distribution of Blue Books.] The Secretary of State shall furnish and distribute, transportation collect, the Legislative Manual or Blue Book as follows: Five copies to each member of the legislative assembly; sixty copies to the State Historical Society for exchange with other historical societies, soventy-five copies to the State Law Library for exchange with other state law libraries; sixty copies to the State Agricultural College for exchange purposes; two copies to each public institution maintained by the state; one copy to each elective officer of the state and one copy to each appointee of elective state officers; two copies to each state high school to be placed in the school library and one copy to each legal newspaper in the state. Five hundred copies of the Blue Book shall be held in the office of the Secretary of State for distribution among the members of the next succeeding legislature. Upon receiving the certificate from the County Superintendent, provided for in the preceding Section, the Secretary of State shall consign a number of Blue Books to the County Superintendent which shall be equal to the number of district schools certified as provided herein. The County Superintendents shall upon receipt of such consignment distribute the same among the district schools of his county, and it shall be his duty to see that each

and every school within his jurisdiction is provided with a Blue Book. The remaining copies shall be held for distribution to residents of the state upon application to the Secretary of State accompanied by an amount of money sufficient to cover the cost of postage and packing as may be determined by the Secretary of State.

The printing and binding of the Legislative Manual known as the North Dakota Blue Book shall be let as are other classes of state printing upon competitive bidding to the lowest bidder.

Approved, March 11, 1915.

CHAPTER 225.

[S. B. No. 128—Wartner.]

SECRETARY OF STATE'S FEES.

AN ACT to Amend Section 129 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Fees to be Collected and Charged by the Secretary of State.

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

- § 1. AMENDMENT.] That Section 129 of the 1913 Compiled Laws be amended to read as follows:
- § 129. FEES.] The Secretary of State for services performed in his office must charge and collect the following fees:
- 1. For a copy of any law, resolution, record or other document or paper on file in his office, twenty-five cents per folio.
- 2. For affixing his certificate and seal to any document, one dollar.
- 3. For affixing his signature and seal without a certificate, fifty cents.
- 4. For filing and recording articles of incorporation of domestic corporations for profit, five dollars; other domestic corporations, two dollars
- 5. For filing and recording copy of articles of incorporation, copy of charter and copy of by-laws of foreign corporations intending to do business in this state, twenty dollars.
- 6. For filing and recording certificates of appointment of attorney, five dollars.
- 7. For issuing a certificate of corporate existence of domestic corporations, three dollars.
- 8. For issuing a certificate of authority to transact business to foreign corporations, three dollars.
 - 9. For recording official bonds, two dollars.
- 10. For each commission or other document signed by the Governor and attested by the Secretary of State, except pardons and military commissions, three dollars.
- 11. For searching records and archives of the state, one dollar.

- 12. For filing and recording notice of removal of place of business, three dollars.
- 13. For filing certificate of increase or decrease of capital stock, three dollars.
- 14. For issuing certificate of increase or decrease of capital stock, three dollars.
- 15. For filing certificate of continuance of existence of a corporation, three dollars.

16. For issuing such certificate, three dollars.

17. For recording miscellaneous records, papers or other documents, twenty-five cents per folio, and for filing any paper not otherwise provided for, one dollar. But no member of the legislative assembly, or state or county officer can be charged for any search relative to matters appertaining to duties of his office, nor must he be charged any fee for a certified copy of any law or resolution passed by the legislative assembly, relative to his official duties. All fees must be paid in advance, and when collected must be paid into the state treasury at the end of each month and placed to the credit of the salary fund.

EMERGENCY.] Whereas, an emergency exists for the passage of this law, therefore, this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved, February 13, 1915.

STATE BOARD OF AUDITORS

CHAPTER 226.

[H. B. No.-407--Thompson of Sargent.]

RELATING TO STATE BOARD OF AUDITORS.

AN ACT to Amend Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Membership and Duties of the State Board of Auditors.

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

- § 1. AMENDMENT.] Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 is hereby amended to read as follows:
- § 369. Membership of Board of Auditors. Duties.] There is hereby created a Board of Auditors for the State of North Dakota, which shall consist of the Secretary of State, the State Auditor and the Attorney General, whose duty it shall be to witness and attest the transfer and delivery of accounts, books, vouchers and funds by any out-going Treasurer to his successor in office, and report the same to the Governor.

Approved, March 5, 1915.