

HOSPITAL FOR INSANE

CHAPTER 144.

(S. B. No. 169—State Affairs Committee.)

MAINTAINING IN HOSPITAL FOR INSANE.

An Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1762 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of the Year 1917 and as Amended by Chapter 8 of the Laws Passed at the Special Session of the Fifteenth Legislative Assembly in January, 1918, Relating to Maintaining Patients in the Hospital for the Insane.

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

Sec. 1. AMENDMENT.) That Section 1762 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 144 of the Session Laws for the year 1917, and as amended by Chapter 8 of the Laws passed at the Special Session of the Fifteenth Legislative Assembly in January, 1918, relating to Maintaining Patients in the Hospital for the Insane, is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows, to-wit:

Sec. 1762. COST OF TREATMENT. HOW DETERMINED.) The Board of Control of the State Hospital for the Insane shall, from time to time, fix the amount to be paid for the board, care and treatment of the patients, which shall not exceed the sum of thirty dollars per month for residents of the state; provided, however, that all non-residents shall pay the actual cost of care and treatment, and the amounts so fixed shall be the sum the State Hospital for the Insane shall be entitled to demand for keeping any patient, and the certificate to that effect, subscribed and sworn to by the Superintendent, shall be evidence of the amount due as fixed.

Sec. 2. EMERGENCY.) Whereas an emergency exists in that sufficient funds are not now provided with which to properly feed and clothe the patients in the State Hospital for the Insane; and whereas, it is necessary for the immediate preservation of the health, safety and peace of the public, therefore, this Act is hereby declared an emergency measure and shall become and be in effect and in force immediately upon its passage and approval.

Approved March 4, 1919.

CHAPTER 145.

(H. B. No. 193—Delayed Bills Committee)

RESIDENT OFFICERS OF HOSPITAL FOR INSANE.

An Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1755 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Salaries of Resident Officers of the State Hospital for the Insane.

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

Sec. 1. AMENDMENT.) Section 1755 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

Sec. 1755. POWERS AND DUTIES OF BOARD. SALARIES.) The Board of Control shall have general control and management of the hospital, and shall make all by-laws, rules and regulations necessary for the government of the same, not inconsistent with the laws of the State. It shall appoint a Superintendent who must be a physician of acknowledged skill and ability and a graduate of a reputable medical college. The Superintendent shall appoint one or more assistant physicians who shall possess like skill and ability, and be a graduate of a reputable medical college and the Board of Control shall appoint a Matron, all of whom shall be styled the resident officers of the hospital, and who shall reside therein, and be governed by the laws and by-laws of the institution. The maximum annual salaries of the resident officers shall be as follows:

Superintendent, not to exceed Four Thousand Dollars; Matron, not to exceed Nine Hundred Dollars; Assistant Superintendent, not to exceed Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, Assistant Physician, not to exceed Two Thousand Dollars, which said salaries shall be fixed by the Board of Control with the approval of the Governor.

Approved March 7, 1919.

IMMIGRATION

CHAPTER 146.

(H. B. No. 123—S. W. Johnson.)

COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION.

An Act Creating the Office of Commissioner of Immigration; Prescribing His Powers and Duties and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

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

Sec. 1. There is hereby created the office of Commissioner of Immigration for the State of North Dakota. The Governor shall