and 5519 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, and any such secondary transfers since the enactment of said sections containing such reservations are hereby declared to be legal and valid transfers of such property.

Approved March 10th, 1923.

PUBLICATION

CHAPTER 270.

(H. B. No. 311-State Affairs Committee.)

PRINTING FEES.

An Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93 Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

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

Sec. 1. AMENDMENT.) That Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

Sec 3540. PAY REQUIRED.) The fees to be paid to newspapers for the publication of all notices and publications that are now required or hereafter may be required by law to be pub lished by county officers; all summons, citations, notices, orders and other processes in actions or proceedings in the supreme, district, county or justice courts of the state, which are or hereafter may be required by law to be published; all publications of every nature that are now or hereafter may be required to be published by state officers, elective or appointive; all notices of foreclosure of real estate or chattel mortgages or other liens on real estate or personal property foreclosed by advertisement; all notices required to be published by cities, villages, townships, school districts and other political subdivisions of the state and the officers thereof; and all legal notices of whatsoever kind or character required by law to be published shall be as follows: Nine cents per counted line of non-pareil type for the first insertion and six cents per counted line of nonpareil type for each subsequent insertion, or seven cents per counted line of brevier type for the first insertion and five cents per counted line for each subsequent insertion. All tabulated matter, leader work, or work containing one column of figures shall be figured at one and one-half times the rate for straight matter on first publication, and all tabulated matter with two or more columns of figures

shall be computed at double the rate for straight matter on first publication. A line shall be construed to mean twelve and onehalf or thirteen ems pica in length, and all such legal notices shall be set in single column wherever possible.

Sec. 2. All Acts and parts of Acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. EMERGENCY.) This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 6th, 1923.

RAILROADS

CHAPTER 271.

(H. B. No. 4—Heaton.)

CONDITIONAL SALES OF BAILROAD EQUIPMENT.

An Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, relating to conditional sale contracts given by railroad corporations.

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

Sec. 1. AMENDMENT.) Section 4625, Compiled Laws for 1913, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 4625. CONDITIONAL SALE VALID.) In all cases where railroad equipment and rolling stock may have been or shall be sold to any person, firm or corporation to be paid for in whole or in part in installments, or shall be leased, rented, hired or delivered on condition that the same may be used by the person, firm or corporation purchasing, leasing, renting, hiring or receiving the same, and that the title to the same shall remain in the vendor, lessor, renter, hirer or deliverer of the same until the price agreed upon or rent for such property shall have been fully paid, such condition in regard to the title so remaining in the vendor, lessor, renter, hirer or deliverer until such payments are fully made shall be valid for all intents and purposes as to subsequent purchasers in good faith, and creditors; provided, that the term during which the installments or rents are to be paid shall not exceed fifteen years and such contract shall be in writing and acknowledged.

Sec. 2. Whereas, the law of this state should be made uniform with the laws of other states as to the term during which the installments or rents under such contract may be paid, it