accountants, inspectors, examiners, experts, clerks, physicians, stenographers, and other assistants, and all other expenses of the bureau authorized in the Workmen's Compensation Acts, and the premium on the bond of the State Treasurer, for the biennium beginning July 1st, 1939, and ending June 30th, 1941, to-wit:

Salary\$	13,440.00
Clerkhire	79,680.00
Postage	13,000.00
Office supplies	4,000.00
Furniture & fixtures	4,000.00
Printing	4,800.00
Miscellaneous	5,000.00
Travel expense	6,000.00
Automobile equipment & maintenance	2,000.00
Safety work	8,000.00
Legal expense	12,000.00
Actuary	5,000.00
Medical director	3,000.00
Total\$	159,920.00

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## **ATHLETICS**

## CHAPTER 98

H. B. No. 172—(Byrne and Schimke)

## STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION AMENDMENTS

- An act to amend and re-enact Sections 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of Chapter 91 of the 1935 Session Laws, relating to an act creating the State Athletic Commission, prescribing its powers and duties, providing penalties for violations and repealing all acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith; and providing an appropriation therefor.
- Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:
- § I. AMENDMENT.] That Section 5 of Chapter 91 of the 1935 Session Laws of North Dakota be and the same is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
- § 5. The State Athletic Commission shall have charge and supervision of all boxing, sparring and wrestling exhibitions held in the State of North Dakota and shall have power:

- (1) To provide such rules and regulations governing the conduct of boxing, sparring and wrestling exhibitions.
- (2) To issue licenses to individuals or organizations desiring to promote or conduct such exhibitions and to suspend or revoke such licenses at pleasure. Every application for such license shall designate the territory in which he intends to operate, and the license granted shall entitle the licensee to conduct such exhibition in such territory and no other, provided no person or organization with license to promote or conduct such exhibitions shall directly or indirectly engage in the managing of any boxer or wrestler.
- (3) To collect 5% of the gross receipts from admission to boxing, sparring and wrestling exhibitions held within the State. and all moneys so collected shall be paid by the commission into the State Treasury.
- (4) Provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any boxing, sparring or wrestling exhibitions, the net proceeds of which are to be devoted to charitable purposes.
- § 2. AMENDMENT.] That Section 6 of Chapter 91 of the 1935 Session Laws of North Dakota be and the same is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
- § 6. All moneys collected by the commission shall be paid into the State Treasury and shall only be disbursed in the same manner as other State funds are by law disbursed. The 5% collected by the said commission as provided in Section 5, Sub-division 3, shall be paid into the State Treasury at such times and in such manner as the State Treasurer may direct.
- § 3. AMENDMENT.] That Section 7 of Chapter 91 of the 1935 Session Laws of North Dakota be and the same is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
- § 7. Unless revoked by the commission, licenses granted hereunder shall authorize the individuals or organizations receiving the same to conduct boxing, sparring and wrestling exhibitions in the community designated therein for the period of time specified, subject to the rules and regulations of the commission and to such restrictions as the commission may in its discretion incorporate therein. No boxing, sparring or wrestling exhibitions shall be held on Sunday and no boxing or sparring or wrestling match shall be of more than fifteen rounds duration, said rounds not to exceed three minutes each.
- § 4. AMENDMENT.] That Section 8 of Chapter 91 of the 1935 Session Laws of North Dakota be and the same is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
  - § 8. The commission shall have authority to collect and re-

quire the payment of an annual license fee for the license above mentioned, pursuant to the following schedule:

For cities of ten thousand or more population	\$35.00
For cities of from five thousand to ten thousand population	15.00
For cities of from five [one] thousand to one [five] thousand	-
population	10.00
For cities of less than one thousand population	5.00

The commission shall require the payment of said annual license fee at the time of the issuance of the license. The money so derived by the commission shall be paid to the State Treasurer and together with the 5% tax hereinbefore set forth shall be disbursed only in the manner by law provided. The commission shall also have authority to license all boxers, wrestlers, managers and referees, and may, in its discretion, require them to pay an annual fee, not to exceed the sum of \$5.00 per year. All moneys so collected by the commission shall be paid into the State Treasury and shall only be disbursed as in the manner by law provided.

- § 5. AMENDMENT.] That Section 9 of Chapter 91 of the 1935 Session Laws of North Dakota be and the same is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
- § 9. The commission shall make rules and regulations to govern the holding of amateur and professional boxing and wrestling exhibitions within the State, and such rules and regulations shall conform, wherever practicable, to the rules and regulations prescribed by the New York Boxing Commission. The promoter or holder of any bout for which any charge is made or money collected, shall be liable for 5% of the gross receipts as hereinbefore provided.
- § 6. APPROPRIATION.] For the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this act there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$1500.00 or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay salaries, travel and incidental expenses for the biennium beginning July 1, 1939, and ending June 30, 1941, to-wit:

  Salary, boxing commissioner \_\_\_\_\_\_\$ 1200.00 Travel, trophies, and incidental expenses \_\_\_\_\_\_\$ 300.00
- § 7. Repeal.] All acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

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