

CONTRACTS.

CHAPTER 33.

[S. B. No. 23.]

TRUSTEES AND CONTRACTS.

AN ACT to Prohibit Managers, Officers and Employes of State Institutions From Being Interested in Contracts, Purchases or Sales For or an Account of Said Institutions.

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

§ 1. TRUSTEES OR MANAGERS SHALL NOT BE INTERESTED IN CONTRACTS.] No member of any board of trustees or managers, or any officer or employe of any State, educational, charitable or correctional institution now existing in this State, or which may hereafter be established by law; shall be interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract, purchase or sale for, or an account of, the institution with which he may be connected.

§ 2. PENALTY.] Any violation of the preceding section shall be sufficient cause for removal from office.

§ 3. EMERGENCY.] *Whereas*, There is no sufficient law covering this subject, *Therefore*, an emergency exists, and this act shall be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved, February 5, 1895.

COMMISSIONER DISTRICTS.

CHAPTER 34.

[S. B. No. 13.]

REGULATING REDISTRICTING.

AN ACT Providing for and Regulating the Redistricting of Counties into Commissioner Districts.

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

§ 1. COMMISSIONER DISTRICTS REDISTRICTED—WHEN.] Whenever a majority of the legal voters of any county commissioner district shall petition the board of county commissioners, to change

the boundaries of the commissioner districts it shall be the duty of the county commissioners, at their next regular meeting to consider such petition, and if it shall appear that the commissioner districts of such county are not reasonably equal in population, they shall proceed at once to redistrict such county into commissioner districts.

§ 2. DUTY OF COMMISSIONERS.] In redistricting any county it shall be the duty of the county commissioners to make the districts as regular and as compact in form as practicable, and as equal in population as possible, as shall be determined by the votes cast at the next preceding general election; *Provided*, that no new district shall be so formed that any two of the then acting commissioners shall reside in the same district; and, *Provided, further*, that no county shall be redistricted oftener than once in three (3) years.

§ 3. REPEAL.] That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Approved, February 8, 1895.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

CHAPTER 35.

[S. B. No. 87.]

DUTIES OF VETERINARIANS.

AN ACT to Prevent the Spread of Contagious, Infectious and Epidemic Diseases Among Domestic Animals, Creating the Office of Chief State Veterinarian, Prescribing the Duties Thereof, and Appropriating Money for the Necessary Expense Thereof.

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

§ 1. STATE VETERINARIAN TO TAKE OATH.] The professor of veterinary science of the State Agricultural college is hereby made Chief State Veterinarian, who shall serve as such without salary, and who shall upon entering upon his duties take an oath to well and truly perform all the duties required of him by law, which said oath shall be taken before any judge of a district court or notary public within the State, and shall be filed with the Secretary of State.

§ 2. DIVISION OF STATE INTO DISTRICTS.] The State shall be divided into seven "veterinarian districts," in each of which there shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, one competent veterinarian, who shall be known as