

CHILDREN

CHAPTER 67.

[H. B. No. 373—Putnam.]

CARE OF BLIND CHILDREN.

AN ACT for an Act to Provide for the Care and Maintenance and Instruction of Blind Babies and Children Under School Age.

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

§ 1. Until there shall have been established by law in this state and institution for the care maintenance and instruction of blind children under school age the board of control of state institutions shall have power to provide for such care, maintenance and instruction of such children residing in this state in a suitable institution inside or without the state, in any case where by reason of lack of means or other cause, the parent or parents of such children may be unable to properly care for, maintain and instruct them until they reach school age.

§ 2. For the purpose of providing such care maintenance and instruction, the said board of control shall have power to contract with any suitable institution for the care, maintenance and instruction of such children and to provide for their transportation to and from the same.

§ 3. EMERGENCY.] Whereas an emergency exists in that there is now no law in this state covering the matter herein provided for, this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 11, 1913.

CHAPTER 68.

[H. B. No. 341—O'Connor.]

DEPENDENT AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN.

AN ACT to Amend Section 8 of Chapter 177, Session Laws of 1911, Relating to Dependent and Neglected Children.

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

§ 1. That Section 8 of Chapter 177 of the Session Laws of 1911 be amended so as to read as follows:

§ 8. DEPENDENT AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN.] If the court

shall find any child under the age of eighteen to be dependent or neglected within the meaning of this act the court may allow such child to remain in its own home subject to the friendly visitation of a juvenile officer, or to report to the court or juvenile officer from its home or school at such times as the court may require. And if the parent, parents, guardian, or custodian of such child are unfit or improper guardians, or are unable or unwilling to care for, protect, train, educate, correct or discipline such child, and that it is for the interest of such child and of the people of this state that such child be taken from the custody of its parents, custodian or guardian the court may make an order appointing as guardian of the person of such child some reputable citizen of good moral character and order such guardian to place such child in some family home, or other suitable place, which such guardian may provide for such child, or the court may enter an order committing such child to some suitable institution organized for the care of dependent or neglected children, or to some training school or industrial school, or the reform school of the State of North Dakota, or children's home finding society, or to some association embracing in its object the purpose of caring for or obtaining homes for neglected or dependent children, which association shall have been accredited as hereinafter provided.

Approved March 15, 1913.

CIGARETTES

CHAPTER 69.

[H. B. No. 67—Northrop.]

PROHIBITING SALE OF CIGARETTES.

AN ACT Prohibiting the Sale, Manufacture, Bartering or Giving Away of any Cigarettes or Cigarette Papers, and Providing a Penalty for The Violation Thereof.

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

§ 1. MANUFACTURE, SALE, AND GIVING AWAY OF CIGARETTES, CIGARETTE PAPER, PROHIBITED.] That it shall be unlawful for any person, by himself, clerk, servant, employee, or agent, directly or indirectly, upon any pretense or by any device, to manufacture, sell, exchange, barter, dispose of, or give