

ing or certifying to the acknowledgments of such instruments, whether such officers were qualified or otherwise by law at the time to do so or not, are hereby declared legal and valid for all purposes.

§ 4. GOOD FAITH PRESUMED.] Good faith shall be presumed on the part of all persons and officers in the execution, acknowledgment, filing and recording of such instruments, and it shall be prima facie presumed that such officer acted within the scope of his authority.

Approved March 1, 1913.

DISINFECTING SECOND HAND GOODS

CHAPTER 131.

[S. B. No. 256—Gronvold.]

DISINFECTING SECOND-HAND GOODS.

AN ACT to Require Dealers Selling or Disposing of Second-Hand Furniture or Wearing Apparel to Disinfect Same Before Offering Same for Sale.

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

§ 1. It shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation dealing in second-hand furniture, before selling or exchanging, or offering for sale or exchange, or intending to sell or offer for sale or exchange to the public in this state, second-hand furniture, bed clothes, wearing apparel, or any articles, including kitchen equipments and utensils of every description ordinarily used in furnishing, equipping or decorating a home, to disinfect thoroughly each and every such article before the same shall be sold or exchanged, or offered for sale or exchange, or in any manner disposed of, in a manner approved or prescribed by the state board of health, and it shall be the duty of the said board to prescribe the rules and regulations necessary to secure proper disinfection, as contemplated in this Act, and such other rules relative to the working or tagging of disinfected articles, as in the judgment of said board may be necessary to the proper safeguard of the public from contagious infection.

§ 2. Any persons violating any of the provisions of this Act in selling or offering for sale or exchange any article or articles of furniture without first having disinfected the same as required herein shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined in a sum not less than twenty-five dollars

and not more than one hundred dollars, or be imprisoned in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days, in the discretion of the court.

Approved March, 11, 1913.

DISTRICT COURTS

CHAPTER 135.

[H. B. No. 1—Moen of Benson.]

RELATING TO SUMMONING OF JURORS.

AN ACT to Amend Sections 525 and 527, of the Revised Codes of 1905, Relating to the Summoning of Jurors:

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

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] Section 525 of the Revised Codes of 1905 is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 525. DUTIES OF THE CLERK OF COURT.] Such clerk shall on the day of the drawing aforesaid issue a venire, or venires, as the case may be, directed to the proper officer of the county, commanding such officer to summon the persons whose names are drawn to appear before the district court at the hour, day and place designated in the order of the judge. A separate venire shall issue for the grand jury when such jury is ordered. It shall be the duty of the clerk, when issuing such venire for jurors as aforesaid to ascertain and insert therein their post office addresses.

§ 2. AMENDMENT.] Section 527 of the Revised Codes is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 527. VENIRE, HOW SERVED.] The officer receiving a venire shall forthwith serve the same by addressing to each person therein whose post office address is given in said venire, or can be promptly ascertained by such officer, a true and correct copy of such venire, containing the name only of the juror to be served, enclosed in an envelope addressed to the person to be summoned as above provided, with the postage prepaid, and shall be registered and deposited in the post office. The envelope containing such copy of venire shall have printed thereon, in the usual form, a request that the same be returned to the sender if it is not delivered within five days, and shall have written or printed thereon the words, "Return Receipt Demanded." The receipt of such registered copy of venire by the person to whom addressed shall be deemed personal service upon