

INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE MINDED

CHAPTER 166.

[S. B. No. 94—Cashel.]

INMATES OF INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE MINDED.

AN ACT to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 213 of the Laws of 1909, Relating to the Inmates of the Institution for the Feeble Minded.

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

§ 1. Chapter 213 of the Laws of 1909 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 1165. WHO MAY RECEIVE BENEFITS OF SCHOOL.] All feeble minded persons residents of this state, who, in the opinion of the superintendent, are of suitable age and capacity to receive instruction in the Institution for Feeble Minded, and whose defects prevent them from receiving proper training in the public schools of the state, and all idiotic and epileptic persons resident of this state, may be admitted to and receive the benefits of the institution, subject to payment of the sums hereinafter provided, and to such rules and regulations as may be made by the Board of Control; *provided*, however, that any inmate of such institution shall not be removed therefrom, except upon a written request of the parent, parents, guardian or custodian of such inmate, which said request must receive the approval of the superintendent before such inmate can be removed. But any feeble minded person who is offensive to the public peace or to good morals, and who is a proper subject for classification and discipline in the institution, may be committed, on pursuing the same course of legal commitment as govern admissions to the State Hospital for the Insane. Such commitment shall comply with such rules and regulations as may be made by the Board of Control, and shall be accompanied by the certificate of indigence, as provided in Chapter 165 of the Laws of 1911.

§ 2. REPEAL.] All Acts or parts of Acts in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

§ 3. Whereas, an emergency exists in the fact that there is now no law for compulsory commitment of feeble minded persons obnoxious to the peace and good morals of the public, therefore, this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 1, 1913.

CHAPTER 167.

[S. B. No. 104—Cashel.]

PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR SUPPORT OF PERSONS IN
INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE MINDED.

AN ACT to Provide for the Maintenance of Inmates of the Institution for the Feeble Minded, and to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 165 of the Laws of 1911, Relating Thereto.

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

§ 1. Chapter 165 of the Laws of 1911 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 1167. PAYMENTS REQUIRED.] The person legally responsible for the support of any person heretofore or hereafter admitted to such institution shall pay to the support of said institution the sum of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per month during all the time such person is an inmate of said institution, but if the person so liable be unable to pay such sum, for which inability the certificate of the county judge of the county from which said person is admitted shall be prima facie evidence, it is hereby made a charge upon the county, and upon the presentation of a certificate by the superintendent of said institution, certified to by the chairman of the Board of Control, to the auditor of said county, that such indigent person is a regular and proper inmate of such institution, said auditor shall immediately transmit to the superintendent of said institution his warrant as such auditor payable out of the county treasury for said sum of fifteen dollars, and a county auditor's warrant for a like amount each month thereafter so long as such person remains an inmate of said institution.

§ 2. Any inmate of said institution shall become a charge on the county from which such inmate came when the superintendent of the institution certifies to the county judge of such county under oath that he is no longer able to collect the monthly payment herein provided for from the legally responsible parent or guardian of such feeble-minded inmate, and that he has exhausted all means at his disposal to compel payment. The county judge shall then issue a certificate of indigence, and upon the presentation thereof, certified to in the same manner as is provided for in Section 1 of this act, the county auditor shall immediately transmit to the superintendent of said institution his warrant as such auditor, and the sum of fifteen dollars (\$15) each month shall be paid to said superintendent as provided for in Section 1 of this act.

§ 3. REPEAL.] All acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

§ 4. EMERGENCY.] An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act shall be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 6, 1913.

FEES

CHAPTER 168.

[S. B. No. 54—Talcott.]

FEES, COVERED INTO STATE TREASURY.

AN ACT Prescribing the Time When Payments of Fees and Profits Arising From the Several State Offices Shall be Covered into the State Treasury.

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

§ 1. All fees and profits arising from any of the state offices, which are required by law to be paid into the state treasury, shall be covered into the state treasury at the end of each month.

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] Whereas, there are on adequate provisions of law prescribing when certain fees and profits arising from the state offices shall be covered into the state treasury, therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 10, 1913.