

forge or counterfeit, any of said certificates or orders shall be deemed guilty of a forgery, and any person who shall swear falsely to any affidavits provided for this act, or procure the same to be done by another, with the intent of obtaining any one of said certificates or orders, shall be deemed guilty of a perjury; and any person convicted of any of the offenses declared in this section shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary for a term of not less than one year nor more than five.

§ 10. FINE AND IMPRISONMENT.] Any person or persons who shall patch up any skin or scalp, or who shall present any punched skin or scalp with intent to defraud the State, or any officer who shall sign any certificate herein provided for, without first counting the skins, or shall intentionally evade any of the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not exceeding three months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

§ 11. EMERGENCY.] *Whereas*, there is no law relating to the subject matter of this act, an emergency exists; *Therefore*, this act shall be in full force and effect, from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 3, 1897.

BRIEFS AND ABSTRACTS.

CHAPTER 38.

[S. B. 12.]

PRINTING OF BRIEFS AND ABSTRACTS.

AN ACT to Amend Section Five Thousand Six Hundred and Thirty-One (5631) of the Revised Codes, Relating to the Printing of Briefs and Abstracts.

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

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] Section 5631 of the Revised Codes is amended so as to read as follows:

"In actions whether denominated legal or equitable, or both, appealed to the Supreme Court, by either plaintiff or defendant, and in which the amount of the judgment appealed from, exclusive of costs, does not exceed three hundred dollars, no printed abstracts or briefs shall be required of either party; but in cases where printed copies of the same are not furnished, three typewritten copies thereof shall be served, and filed with the clerk of the Supreme Court, at such times as may be required by law or the rules of court in other cases."

Approved, February 13, 1897.