

## VETERINARY SURGEONS.

### CHAPTER 168.

[H. B. 114.]

#### PRACTICE OF VETERINARY.

AN ACT to Amend Section 1620 of the Revised Codes of the State of North Dakota, of the Revision of 1895. Relating to the Practice of Veterinary.

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

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] Section 1620 of the Revised Codes is here by amended to read as follows:

§ 1620. MISDEMEANOR TO PRACTICE, WHEN.] Any person who either

1. Practices veterinary medicines, surgery or dentistry, in this state without compliance with the provisions of this article; or

2. Willfully and falsely claims or pretends to have or hold a certificate of registration issued by such board; or

3. Willfully and falsely, with intent to deceive the public, claims or pretends to be a graduate of, or to hold a diploma granted by a legally authorized veterinary school, college or university, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction is punishable by a fine of not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, and in case of non-payment of such fine, the person so offending shall be liable to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months; provided, that the provisions of this section do not apply to persons practicing castration. All fines received under this article shall be paid into the common school fund of the county in which such conviction takes place

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] There being no law covering this subject an emergency exists; therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved February 27, 1899.