

less, such estray may be at once appraised, and if found worthless may be destroyed. The person taking up the same shall notify some justice of the peace of the county, and such justice shall immediately choose one disinterested freeholder as one appraiser; the party taking up the estray shall choose another disinterested freeholder, and the two so chosen shall appoint a third person living in the vicinity where the estray was taken up, and the three persons, so chosen shall constitute a board of appraisers who shall act without compensation. If such appraisers shall appraise the estray as worthless it shall be destroyed by the party taking it up.

Approved March 15, 1919.

CHAPTER 126.

(S. B. No. 164—Committee Public Printing.)

OFFICIAL ESTRAY PAPER.

An Act to Repeal Section 2659 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Official Estray Paper.

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

Sec. 1. Section 2659 of the Revised Code of North Dakota for the year 1913 is hereby repealed.

Approved March 15, 1919.

EXAMINER

CHAPTER 127.

(S. B. No. 145—Hagan.)

DUTIES OF STATE EXAMINER.

An Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 225, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Duties of the State Examiner.

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

Sec. 1. AMENDMENT.) Section 225, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, is hereby amended, and re-enacted to read as follows:

Sec. 225. DUTIES.) It shall be the duty of the State Examiner to examine at least once a year, and as much oftener as he in his discretion may deem advisable, the books and accounts of the Secretary of State, State Auditor, State Treasurer, Clerk of the Supreme Court, Commissioner of Insurance, Commissioner of Ag-

riculture and Labor, Department of University and School Lands, Supply Department of the National Guard, City Auditors, City Treasurers, County Treasurers, County Clerks, County Judges, Registers of Deeds, County Superintendents of Schools, Sheriffs and County Auditors. Fees for such examinations to be charged by the State Examiner only for the examination of books and accounts of City Auditors, City Treasurers, County Treasurers, County Clerks, County Judges, Registers of Deeds, County Superintendents of Schools, Sheriffs and County Auditors at the rate of ten dollars a day for the time actually employed by himself, or his deputies, in such examination. Such fees to be paid into the State Treasury as provided by law for other fees collected by his office; provided, that on petition of thirty-five per cent of the electors of any school district, as determined by the number of votes cast at the last general election held therein, it shall be the duty of the State Examiner to examine and audit personally, or by a duly qualified deputy, within thirty days after receipt of such petition, the books, records and accounts of the Treasurer and Clerk of such school district. Fees for such services shall be paid by such district at the rate of ten dollars per day for the time actually employed in making said examination and audit, and said fees shall be paid into the State Treasury as provided by law for other fees collected by the State Examiner.

Sec. 2. EMERGENCY.) Whereas, under existing laws there is no provision made for the examination of all the books and records of Treasurers and Clerks of school districts this Act is declared to be an Emergency and shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved February 28, 1919.

EXEMPTIONS

CHAPTER 128.

(H. B. No. 25—Johnson.)

EXEMPTION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY FROM ATTACHMENT.

An Act Relating to the Exemption of Personal Property From Attachment, Levy and Sale on Execution and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 7731 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; and 7738 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 157 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915; and 7739 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 155 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915.

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

1. AMENDMENT.) Section 7731 of the Compiled Laws of