

ditional copies of every such volume to make the number of ten (10).

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage

When act to take effect.

Approved April 3, 1889.

## CHAPTER 242.

[S. F. No. 87.]

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN (115), GENERAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE (1881), ENTITLED "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE PUBLICATION OF A LEGISLATIVE MANUAL."

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota.*

SECTION 1. That chapter one hundred and fifteen (115), general laws one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (1881), entitled, "an act to provide for the publication of a legislative manual," be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Legislative Manual.

"Section 1. It shall be the duty of the secretary of state to cause to be prepared and printed by the state printer, biennially hereafter, for the use of the senate and house of representatives, a book to be denominated 'legislative manual,' which shall contain the constitution of the United States and of this state, Jefferson's manual, rules and orders of the senate and house, joint rules of the senate and house, list of senators and members of the house and employes of each house, diagrams of the senate and house of representatives chambers, statistical and other information of the same description with that heretofore published in the 'legislative manual,' with such other matter as may be deemed useful."

SEC. 2. The secretary of state shall procure stereotyped plates for the purpose of publishing the said legislative manual, which plates shall be kept and preserved by the secretary of state, and be used by the state printer at the discretion of the secretary of state in publishing such manual. The state printer shall receive no pay for composition of any matter embraced in such plates and shall be answerable to the state for any loss or damage, not occurring by reasonable use, which shall happen to them while in his possession for such purpose.

Stereotype plates.

SEC. 3. The secretary of state shall cause to be printed, biennially, three thousand (3,000) copies of such manual,

Number to be printed and disposition of same.

to be distributed as follows: Ten (10) copies to each member of the senate and house of representatives, two (2) copies to each officer of the two (2) houses, six (6) copies to each state officer and two (2) copies to their clerks, two (2) copies to each state institution, ten (10) copies to the state library and historical society each, two (2) copies to the judges of supreme and district courts. The balance shall be kept by the secretary of state, who shall at the commencement of each session distribute to the members of the legislature, one (1) copy to each member, the balance to be kept for exchange.

One (1) copy of such manual for each state officer and their clerks, and each member of the senate and house, and the officers thereof, shall be bound in morocco and be lettered with the name of the person entitled to receive it.

Appropriation.

SEC. 4. There is hereby biennially appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, belonging to the general fund, an amount sufficient for the expenses authorized by this act, not exceeding the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

SEC. 5. This act shall apply to the manual of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889), now under process of printing.

SEC. 6. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

When act to take effect.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 18, 1889.

## CHAPTER 243.

[H. F. No. 281.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO DISTRIBUTE CERTAIN PUBLIC DOCUMENTS AMONG THE SCHOOL AND OTHER PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN THE STATE.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:*

Public Documents, distribution.

SECTION 1. The secretary of state is hereby authorized and required to distribute free public documents of the state now stored in the basement of the capitol, including executive documents and other official reports, among the school libraries within the state.

Appropriation.

SEC. 2. The sum of five hundred (500) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated