of incorporation or constitution and by-laws of said association.

SEC. 3. The pension authorized by this act shall not be paid to any police matron while drawing salary in any amount from said police department.

SEC. 4. Each and every of the provisions of chapter 159 of the Laws of 1903 as amended by H. F. No. 542, 1905, are hereby made subject to the provisions of this act for the purpose of allowing all police matrons in cities of 50,000 inhabitants and over to obtain the same privileges and benefits as disabled and retired policemen in such cities.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 15, 1905.

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Commission

for printing revised code.

Duties

## CHAPTER 185.

An act to provide for printing, binding, publishing and distributing the Revised Laws, 1905.

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

SECTION I. The attorney general, the secretary of state and the state printer are hereby appointed and required to serve as a commission to provide for printing, binding, publishing and distributing the Revised Laws, 1905.

SEC. 2. The said commissioners may determine whether said Revised Laws shall be published by the state or by a private person, and are authorized to enter into contracts, for and on behalf of the state, for printing, binding, publishing and distributing said Revised Laws; they are authorized to fix the amount for which such Revised Laws shall be sold, but the price shall not exceed five dollars per volume to citizens or residents of the state; they shall cause said Revised Laws, when printed, to be copyrighted for the state, and they shall not sell or transfer the copyright to any person; and if said Revised Laws are published by a private person, said commissioners shall purchase not to exceed one thousand copies for distribution among the public officers of the state and for exchange.

Custodian.

Copyright.

SEC. 3. The secretary of state shall be the custodian of the copies of said Revised Laws owned by the state

When not drawing salary.

and he shall distribute them among the public officers of the state as said commissioners shall prescribe.

SEC. 4. Ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated to carry out the provisions of this act, but said commissioners shall serve without compensation.

SEC. 5. The Revised Laws, 1905, as published under the provisions of this act shall be competent evidence of the laws therein contained in all the courts of this state without further proof or authentication.

SEC. 6. The Revised Laws, 1905, shall not be published otherwise than under the provisions of this act.

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

Approved April 15, 1905.

## CHAPTER 186.

An act to amend chapter 336 of the laws of 1903 re- Game and fish. lating to the preservation, propagation, protection, taking, use and transportation of game and fish.

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

SECTION I. Amend chapter 336 of the laws of 1903 by adding thereto the following sections:

Nets or seines in boundary waters: The taking of any fish with or the placing, maintaining or using a net or seine in any river, lake or waters forming the boundary line between Minnesota and any other state of the United States, is hereby prohibited and made unlawful, except in Exceptions. Lake St. Croix, Lake Pepin and the Mississippi river, where they form the boundary between the states of Minnesota and Wisconsin, where the same are placed, maintained and used in the manner hereinafter prescribed; and except also the person so placing, maintaining or using any such net or seine shall first obtain from the commission a license therefor, and shall have complied with all the requirements of this chapter.

SEC. 2. Nets may be used in boundary waters, when: Boundary waters. The game and fish commission shall between the first day of May and the first day of April following, upon written application therefor, issued to any resident of this state, a license to use seines, or pound nets of not less than two and one-fourth inch bar and gill nets of not less

S. F. No. 366.

Appropria-tion.