

## CHAPTER 426—S. F. No. 165.

*An Act to amend Chapter One Hundred and Six (106) of the Revised Laws 1905, entitled "Jails, Lockups and Juvenile Offenders," as amended by Chapter Three Hundred and Forty-two (342) of the General Laws 1907.*

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

**Committing of juvenile offender.**—Section 1. That section five thousand four hundred and ninety-seven (5497) of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905 as amended by section (2) two of chapter three hundred and forty-two (342) of the General Laws 1907 be amended so as to read as follows:

"5497. Such officer or his deputy shall be present in the municipal courts in his county, and in the district court whenever any person under twenty-one years of age is brought into either court for trial for any offense, and in the probate court when such person is brought in for the purpose of having it determined whether he should be committed to a state institution. He shall supervise and be responsible for the conveyance of all children committed by the court to the state public school for dependent children, and when so directed by the court to the state training school or to such other public institution as the court shall designate, without compensation, except transportation and expenses actually incurred, and a contingent fund of \$500.00 per annum for the payment of such transportation and expenses shall be set aside in the treasury of his said county to be paid out only upon order of the court upon proper vouchers attached thereto."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 22, 1909.

## CHAPTER 427—S. F. No. 197.

*An Act entitled An act to prohibit the payment, allowance, or receiving of rebates in the procuring of certain insurance contracts and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.*

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

**Rebate on insurance contracts prohibited.**—Section 1. No insurance company or association, however constituted or entitled, doing business in this state, nor any officer, agent, sub-agent, broker, solicitor, employe, intermediary, or representative thereof, shall make or permit any advantage or distinction in favor of any insured individual, firm, corporation or association.

with respect to the amount of premium named in, or to be paid on, any policy of insurance, or shall offer to pay or allow, directly or indirectly, or by means of any device or artifice, as inducement to insurance, any rebate or premium payable on the policy, or any special favor or advantage in the dividends or other profit to accrue thereon, or any valuable consideration or inducement not specified in the policy contract of insurance; or give, sell or purchase, offer to give, sell or purchase, as inducement to insure or in connection therewith, any stocks, bonds or other securities of any insurance company or other corporation, association, partnership or individual, or any dividends or profits accrued or to accrue thereon, or anything of value whatsoever, not specified in the policy.

**Insured prohibited from receiving rebates.**—Sec. 2. No person shall receive or accept from any such company or association, or from any of its officers, agents, sub-agents, brokers, solicitors, employes, intermediaries or representatives, or any other person, any such rebate of premium payable on the policy, or any special favor or advantage in the dividends or other financial profits accrued, or to accrue thereon, or any valuable consideration or inducement not specified in the policy of insurance. No person shall be excused from testifying, or from producing any books, papers, contracts, agreements or documents at the trial of any other person, co-partnership, association or company charged with violation of any provision of this section, on the ground that such testimony or evidence may tend to incriminate; but no person shall be prosecuted for any act, concerning which he shall be compelled to so testify or produce evidence, documentary or otherwise, except for perjury committed in so testifying.

**Application of act.**—Sec. 3. The provisions of this act shall not apply to any policy or policies procured by officers, agents, sub-agents, brokers, employes, intermediaries or representatives wholly and solely upon property of which they are respectively the owners at the time of procuring such policy or policies, where such officers, agents, sub-agents, brokers, employes, intermediaries or representatives are, and have been for more than six months prior to the issuing of such policy or policies, regularly employed by, or connected with, the company or association issuing said policy or policies; and any life insurance company doing business in this state may issue industrial policies of life or endowment insurance with or without annuities with special rates of premiums less than the usual rates of premiums for such policies to members of labor organizations, lodges, beneficial societies, or similar organizations, or employes of one employer, who through their secretary or employer may take out insurance in an aggregate of not less than fifty members, and pay their premiums through such secretary or employer.

**Penalty for violation.**—Sec. 4. Any company, association or individual violating any provision of this act, whether such violation be in the giving or accepting of anything herein prohibited, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$60 nor more than \$200.

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

Approved April 22, 1909.

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CHAPTER 428—S. F. No. 231.

*An Act to amend Sections 1735, 1739, 1740, 1741, 1743, 1744 and 1756 of the Revised Laws of 1905, and the several acts amendatory thereof, relating to the Dairy and Food Department.*

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

**Salary of dairy and food commissioner and assistants.**—Section 1. Section 1735, of the Revised Laws of Minnesota of 1905, as amended by chapter 236 of the General Laws of 1907, is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

“1735. Assistant—Employes—Salaries.—He shall receive a salary of \$2,600 per annum and shall be allowed the expenses necessarily incurred by him in the discharge of his duties. He may appoint an assistant examiner at a salary of \$1,800 per annum; a secretary at a salary of \$1,500 per annum; one chief chemist at a salary of \$2,400 per annum; and, when needed, an assistant chemist or chemists each at a salary of not to exceed \$100 per month; and such number of inspectors as may be necessary at not to exceed \$100 per month. The expenses necessarily incurred by such subordinates shall be allowed and paid in addition to salary. He may employ necessary legal counsel. The expenses properly incurred by him and his appointees shall be paid by warrant of the state auditor upon itemized accounts thereof, approved by him or his assistant. The total expenses of the office, including salaries and compensation of all employes, shall not exceed in any fiscal year the appropriation made therefor plus the amount allowed by law to the commission from moneys received from licenses, fines and articles confiscated and sold under this chapter. The provisions of this section shall not be construed in any way to repeal the provisions of chapter 300, of the Laws of 1905.”

**Impure milk and cream.**—Sec. 2. Section 1739, of the Revised Laws of 1905, is hereby amended so as to read as follows :