

certificate of authority and each annual renewal thereof, one (1) dollar.

SEC. 12. That section one (1) of chapter fourteen (14) of the general laws 1891, and chapter one hundred and seventy-seven (177) of the general laws 1895 be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1897.

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### CHAPTER 165.

H. F. No. 542.

*An act to compel the transfer agents of any foreign or domestic corporation doing business in this state to exhibit the transfer book or list of stockholders of said corporation to any stockholder of the same.*

*Corporations. Transfer agents to exhibit list of stockholders.*

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

SECTION 1. The transfer agent in this state of any foreign or domestic corporation, whether such agent shall be a corporation or a natural person, shall at all times during the usual hour of transacting business, exhibit to any stockholder of such corporation, when required by him, the transfer book and a list of the stockholders thereof if in their power to do so, and for every violation of the provisions of this section such agent, or any officer or clerk of such agent, shall forfeit the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), to be recovered by the person to whom such refusal was made.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1897.

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### CHAPTER 166.

H. F. No. 613.

*An act for an appropriation to reimburse Joseph H. Coats for his expenses incurred in contesting the election of E. S. Hall as a member of the legislature of the State of Minnesota for the present term.*

*\$966.93 to J. H. Coats, contesting election.*

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of nine hundred and sixty-six dollars and ninety-three cents (\$966.93) is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to be paid to Joseph H. Coats to reimburse him for expenses incurred in contesting the seat of E. S. Hall as a member of this house; that a warrant in favor of said Joseph H. Coats for that sum be drawn by the proper officers of the state of Minnesota and delivered to him for payment.

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

Approved April 21, 1897.

H. F. No. 690.

CHAPTER 167.

Adulteration  
of food  
jellies.

*An act to so provide against the manufacture, adulteration or sale of food jellies as to prevent fraud and preserve the public health.*

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

Food jellies  
defined.

SECTION 1. The term food jellies, as used herein, shall embrace and include all the substances known and recognized in commerce as jellies for human consumption as food, whether such jellies are preparations of animal or vegetable products.

Manufacture  
and sale  
prohibited.

SEC. 2. No person shall within this state by himself, his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of any other person or corporation, manufacture for sale or offer for sale or sell any food jellies which are adulterated with any foreign substance or substances within the meaning of this act, unless the can, jar, glass, firkin, tub or other package containing the same shall bear a label or brand in the manner and form hereinafter required and directed.

Adulteration.

SEC. 3. Any food jelly shall, for the purposes of this act, be deemed adulterated—

1. If any substance or substances, or any other jelly, shall have been mixed with it so as to lower or depreciate its quality, strength or purity.

2. If any inferior or cheaper substance or substances have been substituted wholly or in part for it.

3. If any valuable or necessary constituent or ingredient has been wholly or in part abstracted from it.

4. If it is an imitation of, or sold or represented for sale under the name of any other substance or article.