

sit in place of such municipal judge from day to day, and such special judge shall be subject to the same rights, powers and duties as are herein conferred upon the municipal judge.

Sec. 5. Judge shall act as court clerk—disposition of fines and fees.—The judge of said municipal court shall act as clerk of said court. The judge shall receive all fines, deposits, penalties and other money paid into court and keep detailed accounts thereof. On or before the tenth day of each month, he shall pay to the village treasurer all such sums then in his hands, except such fees which he is entitled to retain as his compensation as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 6. Compensation.—Said municipal judge shall receive no salary out of the treasury of the village of Gaylord, but he shall receive as compensation the fees allowable by Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 239.

Sec. 7. Village shall provide court room.—The village council shall provide adequate space for the municipal judge to be used as a court room, and a set of the compiled statutes of this state and all subsequent compiled statutes, together with all session laws of this state hereafter enacted. The village council shall provide the municipal judge with all necessary blank forms in criminal proceedings in said court.

Sec. 8. Jurisdiction of court.—Said court shall have jurisdiction over offenses committed within the village of Gaylord and shall have jurisdiction, concurrently with the justices and other courts, over all offenses committed elsewhere within the county. All cases arising under the ordinances or by-laws of the village of Gaylord shall be tried by said court without a jury. Appeals may be taken from the orders and decisions and judgments of said judge in the same manner as provided for appeals in other municipal courts now organized and existing under the general laws of the state of Minnesota.

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CHAPTER 188—H. F. No. 691

An act relating to the preparation of ballot labels for voting machines, preparation of voting machines for use at elections and for designation of representatives of parties and candidates to inspect such machines; amending Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 601-8(1)o.

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 601-8(1)o, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"601-8(1)o. **Officials to prepare proper ballot labels.**—It shall be the duty of the proper authority having direct charge of elections in each municipal corporation where voting machines are to be used to cause the proper ballot labels to be placed on the voting machines and to place said machines in proper order for voting. *Said ballot labels shall have printed on the face thereof the words "Official Ballot", the date of the election, a facsimile of the signature of the officer under whose direction the ballot is printed.* Said authorities shall examine all voting machines before they are sent out to the different polling places, to see that all the registering counters are set at zero (000), to lock all voting machines so that the counting mechanism cannot be operated, and to seal each voting machine with a numbered seal and to make a written record thereof.

Before preparing the voting machines for any election written notices shall be mailed to the chairman of the county committee of each political party, *who have theretofore presented the name of said chairman to the county auditor*, stating the times when and the place or places where the voting machines will be prepared, at which times and places one representative of each such political party designated by the respective chairman of such county committee of such party shall be entitled to be present and see that the machines are properly prepared and placed in proper condition and order for use at the election. In non-partisan primaries and elections each candidate may designate one representative who shall have the same powers as the political party representatives.

When the machines have been prepared for the election it shall be the duty of the custodians and political party or candidate representatives, to make a certificate in writing which shall be filed in the office of the proper authority having charge of the conduct of elections in such municipal corporation, stating the serial number of each machine, whether or not all registering counters have been set at zero (000), the number registered on the protective counter and the number on the metal seal with which the machine is sealed."

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