code, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "drawn," in the fifth line thereof, the following words, to wit:

"And a statement indicating the purpose for which warrant is issued, whether for salaries or wages, services or supplies, and what kind of supplies, and for what office or department, or for any

other general or special purpose whatsoever."

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 4, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Leader, April 13, 1900, and in the Iowa State Register April 14, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON. Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 3.

THE CHARGING OFF OF BALANCES OF UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS.

S. F. 257.

AN ACT amending section one hundred and twenty-three (123) of the code, and to prohibit the charging off of balances of unexpended appropriations.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Unexpended balances. That section 123 of the code be

and is amended by adding thereto the following:

"The maximum amount named as appropriations made for the support of inmates or for pay of officers or teachers or for any other purpose whatever connected with the operating of any state instilution under the control of the board of control of state institutions shall be available until used for the purpose for which said appropriation was made, and no part of the same shall be, by the auditor of state or treasurer of state, charged off as an unexpended balance unless said officers shall be notified in writing by said board that said balance so unexpended will not be needed, and any sums charged off as unexpended balance by the auditor or treasurer of state, since chapter one hundred and eighteen (118), acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, took effect, shall still be available and subject to the provisions of this section."

SEC. 2. Acts in conflict repealed. All acts and parts of acts incon-

sistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Ia.

Approved April 6, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Leader April 10, 1900, and in the Iowa State Register April 14, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON. Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 4.

S. F. 190.

PRINTING AND BINDING OF THE REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS.

AN ACT to amend section one hundred twenty-five (125) of the code, relating to the printing and binding of the reports of state officers.