

CHAPTER 39.

RELATING TO ELECTIONS AND PAYMENT OF EXPENSES THEREOF.

S. F. 248.

AN ACT amending the law as it appears in section eleven hundred and twenty-nine (1129) of the code, relating to elections and the payment of the expenses thereof.

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

SECTION 1. Special policemen—compensation. That the law as it appears in section eleven hundred and twenty-nine (1129) of the code be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the capital "T" in the first word of said section, and inserting a small letter "t" in lieu thereof; and by inserting after the number of said section and before the word "the" in the first line thereof, the following: "The special policemen appointed under the provisions of this chapter shall be entitled to receive two dollars (\$2) a day as compensation for their services, which with".

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 Register and Leader" and "The Des Moines Daily Capital," newspapers published at the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 31, A. D. 1904.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Daily Capital, April 1, 1904, and the Register and Leader, April 2, 1904.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 40.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

H. F. 1.

AN ACT providing for the election of delegates of political parties by a primary election and for the nomination of officers by a delegate convention system. [Additional to chapters three (3) and four (4) of title six (VI) of the code, relating to elections and canvass of votes.]

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

SECTION 1. Primary elections authorized. That in all counties having a population of seventy-five thousand (75,000) or more, the nomination of candidates for all offices filled by election of voters, except those of incorporated towns and school districts, by all political parties, shall be made by conventions composed of delegates, and the selection and instruction of delegates shall be made and given at primary elections conducted under the regulations herein provided. All delegates chosen and serving as such in convention assembled shall be considered as instructed to vote for, as long as good faith requires, and use their best endeavors to secure the nomination of persons for the various positions to be filled who have received the largest number of votes respectively in the precinct wherein the delegate was elected. The provisions of chapters three (3) and four (4) title six (6) and of chapter eight (8) title twenty-four (24) of the code, and the law as it appears in sections forty-nine hundred nineteen-a (4919-a), forty-nine hundred nineteen-b (4919-b), forty-nine hundred nineteen-c (4919-c) of the supplement to the code, shall apply to all such primary elections, the same as general elections, when not in conflict with this act.

SEC. 2. When held—polls open. This primary election shall consist of an election by all political parties held on the first Tuesday in May preceding the November general election at the usual voting places of the sev-