

CHAPTER 42.

ELECTION BOARDS.

H. F. 832.

AN ACT to amend section ten hundred and ninety-three (1033) of the code, relating to election boards.

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

SECTION 1. Election boards in township precincts. That section ten hundred and ninety-three (1093) of the code be and the same is hereby amended by striking out of the thirteenth and fourteenth lines thereof the words, "expire in one and two years from the following January", and to insert in lieu thereof the words, "shall next expire".

Approved March 23, A. D. 1906.

CHAPTER 43.

FORM OF BALLOT.

H. F. 862.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section eleven hundred and six (1106) of the supplement to the code relating to the form of ballots to be used at elections.

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

SECTION 1. Candidates for district judge indorsed by the bar. The law as it appears in section eleven hundred and six (1106) of the supplement to the code is amended by adding after the word "petition" in the 15th line the words "except as hereinafter provided", and after the word "ticket" in the 20th line thereof, the words, "provided, that in any judicial district of the state in which the bar association, or a convention of attorneys of the district nominates or recommends candidate or candidates for the office of district judge, and such candidates are also nominated or indorsed by any political party, in preparing the ballots for the general election, the names of such candidate or candidates shall be printed as candidate or candidates for each party by whom they are nominated, whether by primary, convention or petition."

Approved April 10, A. D. 1906.

CHAPTER 44.

REMOVAL OF THE CIRCLE FROM THE BALLOT.

S. F. 48.

AN ACT to amend sections eleven hundred and nine (1109), eleven hundred and twenty (1120), and eleven hundred and twenty-one (1121) of the code, and to amend the law as it appears in sections eleven hundred and six (1106) and eleven hundred and nineteen (1119) of the supplement to the code, relating to elections, form of, and manner of marking the ballots.

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

SECTION 1. The circle removed from form of ballot. That the law as it appears in section eleven hundred and six (1106) of the supplement to the code be amended by striking out the circle in the form of ballot.

SEC. 2. Provisions for printing circle on ballot repealed. That section eleven hundred and nine (1109) be amended by striking out the words beginning with the word "and" in the fourth line thereof, and ending with the word "printed" in the fifth line thereof.

SEC. 3. Provisions for marking ballot in circle repealed. That the law as it appears in section eleven hundred and nineteen (1119) of the sup-

plement to the code be amended by striking out the words beginning with the word "or" in the third line thereof and ending with the word "ticket" in the fifth line thereof. Also by striking out the words beginning with the word "or" in the ninth line and ending with the word "circle" in the tenth line thereof.

SEC. 4. Provisions for counting ballots marked in circle repealed. That section eleven hundred and twenty (1120) be amended by striking out the word "first" in the first line of said section, also by striking out the words beginning with the word "when" in the third line thereof and ending with the word "rejected" in the ninth line. Also by striking out the words "whether the circle is marked, or not" in the twelfth line of said section.

SEC. 5. Voting mark—where made. That section eleven hundred and twenty-one (1121) be amended by striking out the words "circle or" in the second line of said section and inserting the words "opposite to the name of the candidate for whom the voter desires to vote" after the word "square" in the second line of said section.

Approved March 15, A. D. 1906.

CHAPTER 45.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

H. F. 237.

AN ACT to amend sections two (2) and five (5) of chapter forty (40) of the acts of the Thirtieth General Assembly, relating to primary elections.

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

SECTION 1. Boundaries of voting precincts. That section two (2) of chapter forty (40) of the acts of the Thirtieth General Assembly be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding thereto the following:

"If the boundaries of any voting precinct are changed between the time of a general election and the time of a subsequent primary election, the boundaries of such precinct for such primary election shall be the same as they were at the last preceding general election."

SEC. 2. Registration of voters. That section five (5) of chapter forty (40) of the acts of the Thirtieth General Assembly be, and the same is hereby, amended by striking out of the twenty-eighth line of said section the words, "were too ill to", and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "did not"; also by striking out of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth lines of said section the words, "or who were prevented therefrom by sickness or death or other calamity in their family"; also by striking out of the forty-seventh, forty-eighth, forty-ninth, fiftieth and fifty-first lines of said section the following, "and reason or reasons for the failure of such persons to attend the general election held in November for the purpose of voting and registering thereat. In all cases where illness is given as the cause for failure to register, the affidavit of some reputable physician setting forth the fact shall also be produced."

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 Register and Leader, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Valley Express, a newspaper published at Valley Junction, Polk county, Iowa.

Approved April 6, A. D. 1906.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader, April 11, 1906, and the Valley Express, April 12, 1906.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.