

CHAPTER IX.

AN ACT to Provide for the Publication, Indexing and Distributing the Code passed at the Adjourned Session of the 14th General Assembly.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That William H. Seevers is hereby appointed to edit the code and superintend its publication and to prepare a full and complete index and brief marginal notes thereto, and to arrange and properly number in a convenient and suitable manner the parts, titles, divisions and subdivisions, and to examine and correct the proof sheets and cause all clerical, typographical and grammatical errors and errors of punctuation, to be corrected, and to change the numbers of chapters and all references made in the code from one section or subdivision thereof to another by number, so that the same shall conform to the numbering in the code as printed.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of State is directed within ten days after the adjournment of this session, to have the enrolled bills bound in a sufficient number of volumes and deliver the same to the editor, who shall be responsible therefor and shall return the same to said Secretary on or before the first day of September, A. D. 1873.

SEC. 3. The chapters of each title shall be numbered separately, but the sections shall be numbered continuously and an appendix shall accompany such code, which shall contain the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of this State, and of the United States, and the naturalization laws.

SEC. 4. Said editor may employ a clerk who shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his duties who shall also be proof-reader, at a compensation of not exceeding five dollars per day, to be paid from any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, the same to be paid monthly on the certificate of such editor.

SEC. 5. Said code shall be printed on paper of the same size and quality of the Revision of 1860, and if there is no such paper belonging to the State, the Secretary, Auditor and Treasurer of State shall immediately procure a sufficient quantity for the edition of the code herein provided for.

SEC. 6. Said code shall be printed by the State Printer with fresh new type of the same kind as that used in printing the Revision of 1860, and the State Binder shall bind it in the same manner and with the same kind and quality of binding; *Provided,* that five hundred copies shall be bound in two volumes and interleaved, one copy of which shall be distributed to each member of this General Assembly, and one copy to each officer thereof, the balance to be kept for the use of future General Assemblies. These copies shall be the first bound by the State Binder, and immediately upon

their completion the Secretary of State shall send them to those entitled thereto.

SEC. 7. When the State Printer has delivered any portion of said printing to the State Binder and the same has been executed to the satisfaction of the Secretary of State, he shall so certify, and upon such certificate there shall be paid such printer two-thirds the compensation allowed by law, therefor, and when any portion of said edition has been bound and delivered to such Secretary and the same has been done to the satisfaction of said Secretary, he shall so certify, and upon such certificate there shall be paid the State Binder two-thirds of the compensation allowed by law, therefor, and when said printing or binding is completed to the satisfaction of such Secretary, the residue of said compensation shall be paid.

SEC. 8. There shall be published fifteen thousand copies of said code and the Secretary of State shall immediately deliver or transmit to the Governor, two copies; to each Judge of a court of record and to each District Attorney and County officer, one copy each; to the State Historical society five copies, and shall retain in his own office one copy; deposit twenty copies in the State Library, transmit to the Law Library of the State University twenty copies; to the Library of each State or Territory of the United States one copy, and one copy to each Governor thereof; and to each member of the Fourteenth General Assembly one copy, and to each secretary and clerk thereof one copy, and to each officer of the House and Senate one copy; one copy each to the following named reporters of daily newspapers who have reported the proceedings of this session: Will Porter, Daily Leader; Ambrose Lammey and Edgar M. Hungerford, Daily Register; T. P. Keator and E. T. Cressey, Daily Republican; and R. B. Baird, Daily Journal.

SEC. 9. Of the remainder of the edition the Secretary shall divide five thousand copies among the counties of the State in proportion to the population, but giving to no county less than ten copies, and as soon as practicable transmit to the auditor of each county the number of copies to which his county is entitled, which the auditor is required to sell at three dollars a copy, and pay to the treasurer of his county the amount received by him for them on or before the fifteenth day of November of each year, and the treasurer shall pay the same into the State treasury at the time of making his next return. Each county auditor shall, upon receipt of the copies transmitted to him, execute receipts therefor in duplicate, one of which he shall immediately transmit to the Secretary of State and the other to the State Auditor.

SEC. 10. The said auditor shall also on or before the fifteenth day of November each year, make out in writing under oath, a statement of the number of copies sold by him and not before accounted for, and the number remaining on hand and the amount paid to the county treasurer, and transmit such statement to the the Auditor of State, who shall charge the county treasurer with such

amount, and the Secretary of State shall certify to the Auditor the number of copies transmitted to each county auditor and the State Auditor shall charge such county auditor therewith and subsequently credit him with such as may be sold or otherwise lawfully disposed of.

SEC. 11. When the auditor goes out of office having any such copies remaining, he shall deliver them to his successor, taking his receipt therefor in duplicate, one of which shall be sent to the State Auditor which shall be his sufficient discharge for the same; and every county officer receiving a copy shall give his receipt therefor, and shall pass the copy to his successor or deliver it to the auditor for the use of subsequent officers, and each shall be liable therefor on his official bond.

SEC. 12. The editor hereby appointed shall receive for his services, to be paid when he has delivered the code, to be prepared by him as herein contemplated, to the State Printer, the sum of two thousand dollars, including his services in the General Assembly, and the Secretary of State shall receive for the distribution of the code as aforesaid, the sum of twelve hundred dollars.

SEC. 13. It shall be the duty of the State Printer to complete the printing of the code ready for delivery to the State Binder not later than the first day of May, and it shall be the duty of said State officers to furnish the paper in due time therefor and the editor to furnish the copy as fast as possible.

SEC. 14. This act shall take effect from and after its publication in the Daily State Register and the Daily Republican, or any other two newspapers published in the State of Iowa.

Approved February 20, 1873.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily Des Moines Republican* February 25, and in the *Daily Iowa State Register* February 27, 1873.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER X.

AN ACT to Legalize the Ordinances of the town of Newton.

WHEREAS, Under Section 1122, of the Revision of 1860, for the incorporation of towns and cities, all by-laws and ordinances of a general nature are required to be read fully and distinctly on three different days unless the rule is suspended by a three-fourths vote, and

WHEREAS, Many of the ordinances of the town of Newton have been adopted by the city council without fully complying with the