

CHANGES

IN THE

General Statutes of 1878,

OF THE

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

EFFECTED BY THE GENERAL LAWS OF THE EXTRA
SESSION OF 1881, AND THE REGULAR
SESSION OF 1883.

Arranged with reference to the Chapter and Section Amended.

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GENERAL STATUTES.

CHAPTER I.

ELECTIONS.

Change the word "twenty-fifth," in line 15 of § 34, (sec. 31.) p. 44, to "twenty-eighth." (1883, c. 34, § 1.)

ELECTIONS IN CITIES OF OVER 12,000 INHABITANTS.

Add to *§ 106:

The said board shall again meet on the Friday and on the Saturday next preceding any general or special election to be held on Tuesday, and on the two days next preceding the day before any special election to be held on any other day in the week, (not counting Sunday in any case,) in their respective election districts, at the place designated for holding the polls of the election, for the purpose of further revising and correcting said lists and of finally completing the same, and for this purpose they shall meet at twelve o'clock noon and remain in session until ten o'clock in the evening of each of said days. (1883, c. 33, § 2.)
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Strike from *§ 109, in second line, the words "within three days thereafter," and insert in lieu thereof the words "by twelve o'clock noon on the day before the election." (*Id.* § 3.)

Also change the last sentence of this section to read:

No vote shall be received at any general or special election, if the name of the person offering to vote, and his place of residence clearly and definitely stated, be not on said register as finally completed and certified to by the board of registry above provided, unless the person offering to vote be personally known to at least one of the judges of election, and unless such person shall furnish to the judges the same affidavits and evidence that he is entitled to vote as is required by this act of a person whose vote is challenged. (*Id.* § 4.)

Also change "five days" to "seven days" in line four, *§ 113, p. 60. (*Id.* § 5.)

See pages 59, 60.

CHAPTER II.

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

*§ 1. **Five districts.** The state of Minnesota is hereby divided into five congressional districts, each of which is entitled to elect one representative to the congress of the United States.

*§ 2. **First district.** The counties of Houston, Fillmore, Mower, Freeborn, Steele, Dodge, Olmsted, Winona and Wabasha shall constitute the first congressional district.

*§ 3. **Second district.** The counties of Faribault, Blue Earth, Waseca, Watonwan, Martin, Cottonwood, Jackson, Murray, Nobles, Rock, Pipe Stone, Lincoln, Lyon, Redwood, Brown, Nicollet, Yellow Medicine, Lac qui Parle, Sibley and Le Sueur shall constitute the second congressional district.

*§ 4. **Third district.** The counties of Goodhue, Rice, Dakota, Scott, Carver, McLeod, Meeker, Kandiyohi, Renville, Swift and Chippewa shall constitute the third congressional district.

*§ 5. **Fourth district.** The counties of Washington, Ramsey, Hennepin, Wright, Pine, Kanabec, Anoka, Chisago, Isanti and Sherburne shall constitute the fourth congressional district.

*§ 6. **Fifth district.** The counties of Mille Lacs, Benton, Morrison, Stearns, Pope, Douglas, Stevens, Big Stone, Traverse, Grant, Todd, Crow Wing, Aitkin, Carlton, Wadena, Otter Tail, Wilkin, Cass, Becker, Clay, Polk, Beltrami, Marshall, Kittson, Itasca, St. Louis, Lake and Cook shall constitute the fifth congressional district. (1881, *Ex. Sess.* c. 70, §§ 1 to 6.)

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CHAPTER III.

THE LEGISLATURE.

APPORTIONMENT.

Change *§ 2. (subd. 23,) to read:

Twenty-third district. The twenty-third district shall be composed of the county of Wabasha, and shall be entitled to elect one senator and three representatives. (1881, c. 128, § 1, *as amended by* 1881, *Ex. Sess.* c. 17, § 1.)

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ORGANIZATION.

*§ 18. **Compensation for preparing journals.** The secretary of the senate and the chief clerk of the house shall be paid each two hundred dollars for fully and completely indexing the printed journals of their respective legislative bodies. The assistant secretary of the senate and the assistant clerk of the house shall be paid three hundred dollars each for transcribing the journals of their respective legislative bodies. (1873, c. 113, § 3, *as amended* 1883, c. 14, § 1.)

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CHAPTER V.

PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTION OF LAWS AND DOCUMENTS.

*§ 40a. **Printing and distribution of reports of horticultural society.** There shall be annually printed and bound thirty-five hundred copies of the annual report of the state horticultural society, provided the number of printed pages of the same shall not exceed five hundred; which report shall be transmitted to the governor, and shall be distributed by the state horticultural society, as follows:

One copy to each of the state officers, members of the legislature, judges and clerks of the supreme and district courts, county auditors and members of the board of regents and faculty of the state university; fifty copies to the state historical society; one hundred copies to the state board of immigration; one hundred copies to the state agricultural society in exchange for a like number of its annual reports; and a sufficient number of copies to each county horticultural society to supply one copy to each of its members: *provided*, such county society shall be in active existence, and shall have filed with the secretary of the state horticultural society a list of its officers and committees, and an abstract of its proceedings, for the year preceding; and the remaining copies shall be distributed by the state horticultural society in such manner as it shall deem best, after retaining a sufficient number for its library and to supply future members and exchanges. (*As amended* 1883, c. 8, § 1.)

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