

No. 553, A.]

[Published June 26, 1911.]

CHAPTER 436.

AN ACT to amend section 1919a and to repeal section 1945e of the statutes, relating to resident agents of insurance companies.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1919a of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1919a. * * *

1. *No policy of insurance shall be issued or delivered in this state by any company, except through an agent who shall be a resident of this state and hold a certificate of authority under section 1976, for the kind of insurance effected by such policy.*

2. *In case of fire insurance, the agent shall countersign and enter the policy in a permanent record to be kept by him for that purpose. Such agent shall be paid the commission on the policy.*

3. *The books of every person transacting or purporting to transact the business of an insurance agent shall at all times be open to the inspection of the commissioner of insurance, his deputy or examiners, and a refusal to permit such inspection shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of this section.*

4. *This section shall not prevent any insurance placed in violation thereof taking effect.*

5. *Any company or person soliciting or placing insurance without complying with this section shall, in addition to other penalties provided by law, be liable personally upon such policy or contract of insurance to the same extent as the company issuing the same.*

6. *This section shall not apply to:*

(a) *Policies issued directly from the home office of any company organized under the laws of this state.*

(b) *Policies covering property in transit while in the possession or custody of any common carrier, or the rolling stock or other property of any common carrier used and employed by it as a common carrier of freight or passengers.*

(c) *Policies issued directly, by any mutual company or any association doing business on the inter-insurance or reciprocal plan, on which no commissions are paid, except to a home office manager or an attorney in fact for such company or association, as specifically authorized by the insured.*

7. *Any company or agent violating this section shall be subject to the penalty provided by subsection 5, of section 1955o.*

SECTION 2. Section 1945e of the statutes is repealed.

• SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved June 24, 1911.

No. 709, A.]

[Published June 26, 1911.]

CHAPTER 437.

AN ACT to amend subsection 4, of section 36, of the statutes, relating to the publication of election notices.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subsection 4, of section 36, of the statutes, is amended to read: (Section 36) 4. Such publication shall be made twice in daily or weekly newspapers in counties or cities having such, one of which publications in daily papers shall be on the day preceding the election and the other publication one week previously, and when published in a weekly paper the dates shall be designated by the county clerk; but if there be no daily or weekly newspaper published within the county or city, * * * publication * * * may be made in any daily or weekly newspaper having a general circulation in such county or city.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved June 24, 1911.

No. 725, A.]

[Published June 26, 1911.]

CHAPTER 438.

AN ACT to create section 288b of the statutes, relating to the cleansing and disinfecting of cuspidors and other materials and appliances used in the capitol building, and making an appropriation therefor.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 288b. For the purpose of better safeguarding the health of the state employes and the general public who frequent the capitol building, the superintendent of public property shall provide and equip a room or rooms in the capitol building as a sterilizing chamber or chambers to be used for thoroughly cleansing and disinfecting cuspidors, substantially according to the Manning system as now established and used in the government printing office at Washington, District of Columbia, and for cleansing and disinfecting such other materials