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the company or association, or its authorized agent, empowering him so to act; and to any resident of the state to act as an agent of any foreign insurance company, which has received a license to do business in the state as provided in section seventy-nine upon his filing such certificate. Such license shall continue until the first day of the next July. If any person solicits, receives or forwards any risk or application for insurance to any company, without first receiving such license, or fraudulently assumes to be an agent and thus procures risks and receives money for premiums, he forfeits not more than fifty dollars for each offense; but any policy issued on such application binds the company if otherwise valid. Agents of duly authorized insurance companies may place risks with agents of other duly authorized companies when necessary for the adequate insurance of property, persons or interests. An insurance agent shall be personally liable on all contracts of insurance unlawfully made by or through him, directly or indirectly, for or in behalf of any company not authorized to do business in the state. Nothing herein contained shall require a duly licensed insurance agent or broker to obtain any license for an employee doing only clerical office work in the office of said agent or broker.'

Approved February 12, 1907.

Chapter 6.

An Act to amend Section forty-five of Chapter four of Revised Statutes, relating to Registration and Licensing of Dogs.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section forty-five of chapter four of the revised statutes relating to registration and licensing of dogs is amended by adding thereto the following: 'If said dog is kept by the said owner or keeper in an unorganized place said owner or keeper shall cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed as aforesaid in the office of the clerk of the nearest town or plantation to the place where said dog is kept,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 45. Every owner or keeper, upon the first day of April, of a dog more than four months old, shall annually before the tenth day of said April, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed for one year commencing with the first day of said April, in the office of the clerk of the town where said dog is kept and shall keep around its neck a collar distinctly marked with the owner's name and its registered number and shall pay to said clerk for a license the sum of one dollar and

Section 45, chapter 4, R. S., amended.

Dogs shall be annually registered, numbered and licensed.

-penalty.

—policy issued without license, valid.

-agent personally liable for unlawful contracts. fifteen cents for each male dog and each female dog incapable of producing young, and three dollars and fifteen cents for each other female dog and a person becoming the owner or keeper of a dog after the first day of April, not duly licensed as required herein, shall within ten days after he becomes the owner or keeper of said dog, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed as provided above. Every owner or keeper of dogs kept for breeding purposes may receive annually a special kennel license authorizing him to keep such dogs for said purpose, provided he keep such dogs within a proper enclosure. When the number of dogs so kept does not exceed ten, the fee for such license shall be ten dollars. When the number of dogs so kept exceeds ten, the fee for such license shall be twenty dollars and no fee shall be required for the dogs of such owner or keeper under the age of six months. Dogs covered by kennel license shall be excepted from the provisions of this section requiring registration, numbering and collaring. If said dog is kept by the said owner or keeper in an unorganized place, said owner or keeper shall cause it to be registered, described and licensed as aforesaid in the office of the clerk of the nearest town or plantation to the place where said dog is kept."

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-license fee.

-kennel license.

-fee for kennel license.

-exception.

-dogs kept in unorgan-ized places, how licensed.

Chapter 7.

An Act additional to Chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the Revised Statutes, in relation to lumbering operations.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 1. Whoever enters into an agreement to labor for another in any lumbering operation or in driving logs and in consideration thereof receives any advance of goods, money, or transportation, and unreasonably and with intent to defraud fails to enter into said employment as agreed, and labor for a sufficient length of time to reimburse his employer for said advances and expenses of transportation, shall be punished by fine of not exceeding ten dollars or by imprisonment not exceed- -penalty. ing thirty days.

Section 2. Judges of municipal courts and trial justices shall have jurisdiction of the offense described in this act.

Section 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 13, 1907.

Intention to defraud in lumbering operations.

Municipal courts and trial justices shall have jurisdiction.