

## CHAPTER 37.

[H. B. 100.]

## COMPENSATION OF PUBLIC PRINTER.

AN ACT relating to the public printing and the compensation to be paid therefor, amending sections 8622, 8622½ and 8624 of Remington & Ballinger's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Washington, and declaring that this act shall take effect immediately.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

SECTION 1. That section 8622 of Rem. & Bal. Code be amended to read as follows:

Section 8622. For the purpose of providing for the compensation of the public printer for his services, the public printing shall be divided into the following classes, and be paid for as herein stated:

Classifica-  
tion and  
rates for  
composition  
and press  
work.

FIRST CLASS. The bills, resolutions, and other matters that may be ordered by the legislature, or either branch thereof, in bill form, shall constitute the first class, and shall be printed on half sheet cap paper, weighing not less than twelve pounds to the ream of 14 x 17 inches in small pica type; each page to contain not more than forty-four lines of said matter of the usual length of forty pica ems, and the lines shall be successively numbered, with a nonpareil slug between each line; and the same shall be measured as solid matter at single price when lines are not underscored, and when more than five lines on any one page are underscored, at price and one-half; and every fraction of a page shall be measured as a full page, but no blank pages shall be counted or paid for. The compensation to be paid for printing of the first class shall be as follows:

Composition, 55 cents per one thousand ems.

Presswork, 60 cents for the first one hundred impressions of a form, and 18 cents for each subsequent one hundred impressions thereof; a form to consist of two pages, or fraction thereof in any one bill form.

SECOND CLASS. The second class shall consist of printing and binding of the Journals of the Senate and House of Representatives, and the annual and biennial reports of the several state officers, state commissions, boards and institutions, with the exception of the reports of the Attorney General and the Governor's message to the legislature, which shall be printed and bound in the same style as heretofore. Said Journals and reports shall be printed on what is known as machine finish book paper weighing not less than fifty pounds to the ream of 25 x 38 inches, and set in brevier, or what is known as eight point type, with a six to pica lead between each line, and without unnecessary blanks, broken pages or paragraphs. All communications, resolutions, reports of committees, messages and similar documents making up a part of said Journals to be set in nonpareil or what is known as six point type, with a six to pica lead between each line. All tabular matter to be set in nonpareil or what is known as six point type; the type matter for a page to be  $4\frac{1}{2}$  x  $7\frac{1}{2}$  inches, which is to include all running heads and foot notes. All reports are to be 6 x 9 inches when trimmed. The general style of all reports are to be the same as those printed in 1918, and the general style of the Journals of the House and Senate of the session of 1917 shall be followed in the printing and binding of the Journals hereafter. There shall be no duplicates of reports or parts of reports printed except by permit of the Governor. The compensation to be paid for printing of the second class shall be as follows:

Composition, 72 cents per one thousand ems, which shall include proof reading, make up and lockup of forms ready for the press, and there shall be no extra charge made therefor unless alterations are made from original copy.

Presswork, 55 cents for the first one hundred impressions of a form, which shall include all make ready, and 18 cents for each subsequent one hundred impressions thereof, a form to consist of eight pages.

**THIRD CLASS.** The third class shall consist of all reports, communications, and all other documents that may be ordered printed in book form by the legislature or either branch thereof, and all reports, books, pamphlets, and other like matters printed in book form required by all state officers, boards, commissions and institutions shall be printed in such form and style, and set in such size type, and printed on such grade of paper as may be desired by the state officer, board, commission or institutions ordering same, and which they think will best serve the purpose for which said work is intended. The compensation to be paid for printing of the third class shall be as follows:

Composition, 72 cents per one thousand ems, which shall include proof reading, make up and lockup ready for the press, and there shall be no extra charge made therefor unless alterations are made from original copy.

Presswork, 55 cents for the first one hundred impressions of a form, which shall include all make ready, and 18 cents for each additional one hundred impressions thereof. When a form in any class contains fifty per cent or more of half-tones or engravings, and same are printed on enamel book paper, there shall be an allowance of thirty per cent additional to the above presswork scale. A form to

consist of eight standard size pages, or a sheet 19 x 25 inches.

**FOURTH CLASS.** The fourth class shall consist of the Session Laws, and shall be printed and bound in the same style, size of page and form as the Session Laws published by this state heretofore, with similar marginal notes; the size of the type to be eleven point for the laws or body of the book and six point for the marginal notes and index, and shall be printed on machine finish book paper weighing not less than 60 pounds to the ream of 25 x 38 inches. The compensation to be paid for printing for the fourth class shall be as follows:

Composition, 72 cents per one thousand ems, with marginal notes measured in the type in which they are set separate from the body of the page, said price shall include proof reading, make up and lockup ready for the press, and there shall be no extra charge made therefor unless alterations are made from the original copy.

Presswork, 55 cents for the first one hundred impressions of a form, which shall include all make ready, and 18 cents for each subsequent one hundred impressions thereof, a form to consist of eight pages.

Reprints of the Session Laws, when authorized by law, shall be printed and paid for as fourth class printing.

**FIFTH CLASS.** The fifth class shall consist of the printing of all stationery, blanks, record books and circulars, and all printing and binding required by the respective state officers, boards, commissions and institutions not covered by classes one, two, three and four, and the rate and compensation to be paid therefor shall be as follows:

Composition, 75 cents per one thousand ems, with a minimum charge of 75 cents for each individual

job which shall cover proof reading, make up and lockup ready for the press, and there shall be no extra charge made therefor unless alterations are made from original copy: *Provided*, that all job work set in larger than eleven point type shall be measured and charged for as eleven point type.

Presswork, 50 cents for the first one hundred impressions of a form, and 15 cents for each subsequent one hundred impressions thereof, a form to consist of one side of the sheet on which the job is printed and delivered.

SEC. 2. That section 8622½ of Rem. & Bal. Code be amended to read as follows:

Section 8622½. Whenever required by law or by the legislature, or either branch thereof, or by any state officer, board, commission or institution the public printer shall keep the type used in printing any matter forming a part of classes one, two, three and four standing for a period not exceeding sixty days for use in reprinting such matter, and in case a reprint is had shall charge not to exceed 25 cents per one thousand ems for the use of the type so kept standing.

Reprinting  
from stand-  
ing type,  
rates.

SEC. 3. That section 8624 of Rem. & Bal. Code be amended to read as follows:

Section 8624. Compensation for binding on all classes of work shall be under and according to the following schedule:

Rates for  
binding.

Standard size pages shall be 6x9 inches. A signature shall consist of sixteen pages or necessary fraction thereof.

For pamphlets containing one signature or less, including folding, gathering, stitching, covering and trimming, for one thousand finished pamphlets \$4.75, and for each additional signature or fraction thereof \$1.60 for each one thousand finished pamphlets.

For pamphlets containing more than twelve and

not more than eighteen signatures, including item as above, for one thousand finished pamphlets, \$35.00.

For case covered bound books, cloth or full sheep or skiver, including folding, gathering, sewing on three bands, forwarding and finishing, stamping and trimming complete and finished as follows:

Per volume of not over six signatures, 30 cents.

Per volume over six sections and not over twelve sections, 35 cents.

Per volume over twelve sections and not over eighteen sections, 40 cents.

Per volume over eighteen sections and not over twenty-four sections, 45 cents.

Per volume over twenty-four sections, 5 cents for each additional six sections or fraction thereof.

For gathering inserts to be bound in, per thousand inserts 50 cents; inserts in closed folds, per thousand inserts \$1.50.

Tipping: On outside of section, per one thousand \$1.25; on center of section, per one thousand \$1.50; cut in on section, per one thousand \$2.00.

Gathering miscellaneous items not covered in binding schedule as above, 25 cents for each one thousand sections or pieces.

Miscellaneous items.

Miscellaneous items of work not covered in schedule to be charged for at current commercial rates less a discount of 25 per cent.

All time work not covered by the above described work shall be paid for at the rate of \$1.25 per hour.

All ruled work to be paid for at the rate of \$1.75 per hour for time of machine and attendants.

SEC. 4. This act is necessary for the immediate support of the existing public institutions of the state and shall take effect immediately.

Emergency.

Passed the House February 3, 1919.

Passed the Senate February 10, 1919.

Approved by the Governor February 18, 1919.