

CHAPTER XLIV.

An Act to Authorize and Provide for the Enlargement of the State Prison.

- SECTION 1. Warden authorized to contract for the enlargement of the prison.
 2. To be made of the same material as the main building.
 3. Contract to be given to the lowest responsible bidder.
 4. Act, when to take effect.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Warden authorized to contract for the enlargement of the prison

SECTION 1. The warden of the state prison, under the direction of the inspectors of the state prison, is hereby authorized to contract for the enlargement of the prison by extending the wing to the width, and raising it to the height of the main prison building, and for the finishing of the same, and the division of it so as to make a dining hall on the first floor, and a hospital and rooin for female convicts on the second floor; and for the construction of a new guard house, and the removal of one of the present guard houses to an angle of the prison wall.

Material to be used

SEC. 2. The enlargement shall be made of the same materials, and conformable in style to the main prison building.

Contract to be given to the lowest responsible bidder

SEC. 3. The warden shall prepare a plan of the work to be done, with specifications of materials, style and work, and shall keep the same at his office for the inspection of any person who may desire to see it. He shall advertise in a newspaper published at Stillwater and at Saint Paul, for four weeks, for sealed proposals for furnishing the materials and doing the work herein provided for, and at the time fixed on, shall proceed to open the proposals received, in the presence of the inspectors of the state prison, and shall award the contract for furnishing the said materials and doing the work, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the same, if, in his opinion, with the approbation of the said inspectors, the same will be advantageous to the State. He shall immediately proceed to enter into a contract in behalf of the State with the said bidder or bidders to whom the contract shall

be awarded, for the furnishing of the said materials and the doing of the work herein provided for; and shall have the care and superintendence of the same until its completion. He may provide in said contract for the payment of the said contractors from time to time as the work shall progress, but in no case within ten per cent. of the value of materials furnished or work done, until the completion of the same. Contractor how paid

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 8th, A. D. 1861.

CHAPTER XLV.

An Act to provide for a Janitor at the Capitol.

- SECTION 1. Who to appoint janitor—term of office.
 2. Duty of janitor.
 3. Salary of janitor.
 4. Act, when to take effect.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That the Governor is hereby authorized and required to appoint a suitable person as janitor of the capitol, to hold said office during the pleasure of the Governor. Who to appoint janitor—term of office

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the janitor to keep in order the several rooms in the capitol, occupied by the various public officers, to make fires therein, and perform such other duties in and about the capitol building as the Governor may direct and as are usually required of such functionaries. Duty of janitor

SEC. 3. The said janitor shall receive an annual salary of three hundred dollars payable quarterly upon the certificate of the Governor. Salary of janitor

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 14th, A. D. 1861.