

CHAPTER 565—H. F. No. 824.

An Act to repeal Subdivision Two (2) of Section Eleven (11) of Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-Eight (288), Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter Two Hundred Nine (209), Laws of 1911, relating to the taxation of inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies, and gifts; and to amend Section Twenty-One (21) of said laws of 1905, relating to the duties of the judge of probate and the register of deeds as to the reporting of matters in connection with the imposing and collecting of such taxes.

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

Section 1. Certain subdivision repealed.—That Subdivision Two (2) of Section Eleven (11) of Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-Eight (288), Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter Two Hundred Nine (209), Laws of 1911, be and the same hereby is repealed.

Sec. 2. Probate court to make report to state auditor.—That Section Twenty-One (21) of said Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-Eight (288), Laws of 1905, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 21. The auditor of state shall furnish to each probate court a book which shall be a public record, and in which shall be entered by the judge of said court the name of every decedent upon whose estate an application has been made for the issue of letters of administration, or letters testamentary or ancillary letters, the date and place of death of such decedent, names and places of residence and relationship to decedent of the heirs at law of such decedent, the estimated value of the property of such decedent, names and places of residence and relationship to decedent of the heirs at law of such decedent, the names and places of residence of the legatees, devisees, and other beneficiaries in any will of any such decedent, the amount of each legacy, and the estimated value of any property devised therein and to whom devised.

These entries shall be made from data contained in the papers filed on such application or in any proceeding relating to the estate of the decedent.

The judge of probate shall also enter in such book the amount of the property of any such decedent, as shown by the inventory thereof, when made and filed in his office, and the returns made by any appraisers appointed by him under this act, and the value of all inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts inherited from such decedent, or given by such decedent in his will or otherwise as fixed by the probate court, and the tax assessed thereon, and the amounts of any receipts for payment thereof filed with him.

The state auditor shall also furnish forms for the reports to be made by such judge of probate, which shall correspond with the entries to be made in such book.

Each judge of probate, on determining a tax, shall immediately make a report to the state auditor upon the forms furnished by the state auditor containing all of the data and matters required to be entered in such book.

The register of deeds of each county shall, *on the first day of January and July of each year*, make reports in duplicate to the auditor of state and attorney general, containing a statement of any conveyance filed or recorded in his office of any property which appears to have been made or intended to take effect in possession or enjoyment after the death of the grantor or vendor, with the name and place of residence of the vendor or vendee, and the description of the property transferred, as shown by such instrument. *Such county official shall also furnish to either of said state officials, upon request, all information specifically requested as to any instruments of record in his office.*

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CHAPTER 566—H. F. No. 857.

An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 344 of the General Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year 1905, and as amended by Chapter 78 of the General Laws of 1911, relating to fishing in international waters.

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

Section 1. Game and fish may license fishing in international waters.—That Section 43 of Chapter 344 of the General Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year 1905, as amended by Chapter 78 of the General Laws of 1911, relating to fishing in international waters be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

The game and fish commission is hereby authorized to license the use, in international waters, of pound nets of the character and subject to the regulations hereinafter contained and to issue licenses therefor. The size of the mesh of the pot or pound net shall not be less than one and one-half ($1\frac{1}{2}$) inches bar measure, or three (3) inches extension measure. Said pound nets may be set in strings, but no string of such nets shall exceed two (2) in number, and the leads of such shall in no case exceed the following lengths: The shore lead eighty (80) rods and the leads between the pounds or pots fifty (50) rods in length. Said net or string of nets shall not be less than twenty-five hundred (2,500) feet apart, nor within five hundred (500) feet of the mouth of any stream; provided that no pound net or string of pound nets shall be less than one (1) mile from the