

Liabilities of
said town.

Faribault, which was detached from the town of Ellmore, for township purposes at the last January session of the board of county commissioners of said county, shall be and is hereby declared to be liable to pay the same proportion of the tax thereafter necessary to be levied for the payment of the bounties offered by said town to the volunteers of the late war as would have been the case had said town of Grant remained without a separate and independent organization.

When act to take
effect.

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

Approved March 2, 1868.

CHAPTER XCI.

March 6, 1868.

An Act vesting certain trusts in the town of Duluth, and providing for the execution of the same, and empowering said town to lay out, and to vacate streets and alleys.

SECTION 1. Trusts created in the town of Portland declared to vest in the corporate authorities of Duluth.

2. Town Council authorized to lay out, open and vacate streets, &c.

3. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That the trust created in the corporate authorities of the town of Portland, in the county of St. Louis, by reason of the entry by said town authorities, of land within the limits of said town, pursuant to the provisions of the act of congress entitled "An act for the relief of the citizens of towns upon lands of the United States under certain circumstances," passed May twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, so far as such trust had not been executed according to the requirements of law in such cases, at the timewhen said town of Port-

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land and the town of Duluth were consolidated under the name of Duluth, shall and the same is hereby declared to vest in the corporate authorities of said town of Duluth, and shall be executed pursuant to the provisions of chapter forty-two of the statutes, on page three hundred and thirty-six, entitled "Official Trusts," except that instead of the statement required in the notice under section three of said chapter, the notice shall state that the corporate authorities of said town of Duluth, as successor to the town of Portland, hold certain land in trust (describing the same) under said act of congress, and that all persons claiming the same or any part thereof, or interest therein, are required to make proof of their said claim within sixty days. And such notice may be given at any time, while any of said land is thus held in trust. And in case any of said land is not claimed, or if no claim thereto is established, under such notice, and pursuant to said chapter on "Official Trusts," the same shall vest absolutely in said town, and may be sold in such manner as the town council of said town may direct. And said town of Duluth, in its corporate capacity, may bring suit in any proper court to annul and set aside any deed or conveyance of the corporate authorities of said town of Portland, not made pursuant to and in accordance with the said statute on "Official Trusts."

SEC. 2. The town council of the town of Duluth are hereby empowered to locate, lay out, and open, and also to vacate streets and alleys within the limits of said town, and the provisions of the foregoing section as to property held in trust, shall extend and apply equally to property originally entered by the corporate authorities of said town, under said act of congress.

Council to open
and vacate
streets, &c.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

When act is taken
effect.

Approved March 6, 1868.