

CHAPTER XCIII.

AN ACT LEGALIZING A CERTAIN DEED MADE BY THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, TO HENRY BEARD, OF CERTAIN LANDS IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, AS COMPENSATION FOR HIS SERVICES AS COUNSEL IN PROSECUTING THE CLAIM OF THE STATE FOR SEVENTY-TWO SECTIONS OF LAND FOR THE USE OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

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

SECTION. 1. That a certain deed of conveyance of lands in the state of Minnesota, made by the university of Minnesota, to Henry Beard, of Washington, in the district of Columbia, bearing date the 29th day of April, A. D. 1874, and signed by John S. Pillsbury, president of board of regents, and Paris Gibson, treasurer of the board of regents, and purporting to be made in pursuance of and by virtue of an act of the legislature of Minnesota, approved March fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled "an act relating to the University of Minnesota," and in pursuance and by virtue of a joint resolution of the legislature of Minnesota, approved February eighteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, entitled a joint resolution authorizing the regents of the state university to make a certain contract, and also in pursuance of the resolution of the board of regents of the said university of Minnesota, adopted on the third day of September, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, is hereby in all things ratified, confirmed and legalized, and the same shall be held valid and effectual to pass and convey the title in fee simple to the lands described therein to the said Henry Beard, his heirs and assigns to the same extent as if the university of Minnesota had prior to the execution of said deed been fully authorized by law to convey the same land to the said Henry Beard by deed executed in the manner and form in which the said deed was executed.

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

Approved February 17, 1876.