

SEC. 6. Upon delivery of two hundred (200) copies of any one volume of reports published under the contract as required by this act, to the Secretary of State, he shall give his receipt for the same, and upon surrender of such receipt to the State Auditor, he shall draw his warrant upon the State Treasurer for four hundred dollars (\$400) in favor of the contractors or their representatives, or assigns, which said warrant shall be paid upon presentation to the Treasurer of this State.

Conditions of payment.

SEC. 7. In case the West Publishing Company should fail to enter into a contract within the time limited by this act, or should forfeit such contract by failure at any time to comply with the provisions of the same, as in this act provided, the Secretary of State shall upon such forfeiture and as soon thereafter as may be practicable, advertise in four (4) different newspapers in four (4) different localities in this State for four (4) consecutive weeks, that sealed proposals will be received for the printing, stereotyping, binding and selling of the said reports for the unexpired term of this contract at a certain rate per volume, to be stated in such proposals, not exceeding the price fixed by this act, and according to the provisions of this act.

Failure to comply with contract.

Secretary of state shall advertise for proposals.

SEC. 8. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 9. That the reporter of the Supreme Court be in lieu of the copyright heretofore held by him and as a compensation for his services as such reporter, shall receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500).

Compensation of clerk of supreme court.

SEC. 10. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 4, 1881.

CHAPTER 104.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPLICATION OF THE MON-
EYS OF THE INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT LAND FUND OF
THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE PAYMENT OF THE
PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST OF THE MINNESOTA STATE
RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BONDS.

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

SECTION 1. As fast as any of the internal improvement lands of the State are sold, the proceeds of the same shall be

How proceeds shall be invested.

Interest shall be applied in payment of interest on adjustment bonds.

Board of sinking fund commissioners—their duties.

invested and kept invested as provided by section thirty-two (32), B. of article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, and the same shall be and constitute a sinking fund for the payment at their maturity of the principal of the Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds, to be issued under the provisions of an act passed at the present session of the Legislature of this State, entitled "An act providing for the adjustment of the Minnesota state railroad bonds," and the interest on any bonds or securities in which said fund shall be invested, shall be applied to the payment of the interest as it accrues on the said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds, and all the proceeds of said lands, whether heretofore or hereafter sold and whether heretofore invested or hereafter to be invested and held by the State Treasurer, pursuant to said section of the Constitution, and all interest which has accrued or may accrue thereon, or on any of the bonds or securities in which the same or any part thereof has been or may be invested, shall be and remain an inviolable fund to be preserved in the hands of the State Treasurer, the interest to be applied to the payment of interest on the Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds as it accrues, and the principal to be preserved inviolate, as a sinking fund for the purpose of being applied to the payment of the principal of said bonds at their maturity, until the maturity of said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds, when it shall be applied to the payment of the principal of said bonds.

SEC. 2. The Governor, Auditor and Treasurer of State are hereby constituted a Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners, and are hereby charged with the duty of causing the provisions of this act to be carried out, and it shall be their duty to superintend the application of the interest accruing on the securities which are or may hereafter come into the hands of the State Treasurer under the provisions of said section thirty-two (32), B. of article four (4) of the constitution, to the payment of the interest as it accrues on said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds, and to attend to and take care that said fund is preserved inviolate for the purpose of this act.

SEC. 3. It shall be lawful to invest any of the moneys belonging to the said internal improvement land fund in the bonds to be issued under the provisions of said act, entitled "An act providing for the adjustment of the Minnesota state railroad bonds."

SEC. 4. Whenever the principal of the said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds becomes due and payable at the election of the State, by the terms thereof, it shall be lawful for said Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners hereby constituted, to sell and dispose of and convert into cash the bonds and securities constituting the said internal improvement land fund, and apply their proceeds to the pay-

ment of the principal of the said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds, and, to that end the Auditor shall draw his warrant on the Treasurer in favor of the holder of any such bond, which warrant shall be countersigned by the Governor and paid out of said fund by the Treasurer, and upon the payment of any such bond by said commissioners, they shall cause to be written across the face of each bond so paid, the words "paid and canceled," together with the true date of such payment, and each member of said board shall attach his signature thereto, and the same shall be filed in the office of the State Treasurer as a voucher for such payments.

Payment of
principal

Canceling of
bonds when
paid.

SEC. 5. When any coupons on said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds are due and payable, the Auditor of State shall draw his warrants in favor of the holders of coupons, on the Treasurer, payable at some bank to be designated by said board of sinking fund commissioners, in the city of New York, payable out of the interest fund of the said internal improvement land fund, and the Treasurer shall, in sufficient season to meet said warrant, remit to said bank, a sufficient sum from said interest fund to pay said warrants. *Provided*, that if the amount on hand of the interest arising from said internal improvement land fund, at any time when any coupons on said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds are due and payable, is insufficient to pay the same in full, then the Auditor shall ascertain by computation the pro rata share of said interest fund on hand, which each coupon would be entitled to, and draw his warrants for such amount in favor of the respective holders of said coupons.

How coupons
shall be paid
when due.

SEC. 6. Whenever said Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds can by their terms be paid by the State, it shall be the duty of said sinking fund commissioners to apply the principal of said internal improvement land fund, as fast as it accumulates, to the payment of the principal of said bonds and to take up and retire the same.

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SEC. 7. This act shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Minnesota at the next general election to be held therein and shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by a majority of the electors of the State voting at said election.

Submission to
the people.

SEC. 8. The voters voting in favor of this act, shall have written or printed or partly written and partly printed on their ballots used at said election, the following words: "For the act applying the internal improvement land fund to the payment of the Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds—Yes," and the ballots used at said election by those voting against said act shall have written or printed or partly written and partly printed thereon, the following words: "The act applying the internal improvement land fund to the payment of the principal of the Minnesota state railroad adjustment bonds—No."

How ballots
shall read.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 2, 1881.

CHAPTER 105.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SURRENDER OF A PRINCIPAL BY HIS SURETIES OR BAIL.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever the surety or sureties for any person held to answer upon any charge or otherwise, or any of them, shall believe that the person or principal for whom they are such sureties is about to abscond, or that he will not appear as required by [the] recognizance or other instrument of bail, which they have executed with or for him, or that he will not otherwise perform the conditions thereof, such sureties or bail, or either of them, may arrest and take such principal, or cause him to be arrested and taken, as hereinafter stated, before the officer who admitted him to bail, or the judge of the court before which person or principal was required thereby to appear, and surrender him up to such officer or judge: such surety or sureties, or either of them, may have such person or principal so arrested by the sheriff of the county, by delivering to such sheriff a certified copy of the recognizance, or instrument of bail, under which he or they are held as sureties, with a direction to such sheriff endorsed thereon, requiring him to arrest such principal and bring him before such officer or judge, to be so surrendered, and it shall be the duty of such sheriff, upon the receipt of any such copy so endorsed, and a tender or payment to him of his fees for so doing, to so arrest such principal and bring him before such officer or judge to be so surrendered.

SEC. 2. Before any such surety or sureties shall personally so surrender the person for whom he or they are bail, the sheriff of the county shall be notified to be, and he or one of his deputies shall be, present to take such person so surrendered into custody, if he fails or refuses to give new bail, as herein provided.

SEC. 3. When any such person is so surrendered, the officer or judge to whom he is surrendered shall, by a new commitment, commit him to jail, unless he shall give sufficient bail with new sureties, as he was required by law to do in the first instance.

Sureties may cause principal to be arrested.

Duty of sheriff.

Sheriff shall be notified.

Commitment.