divided, the cost of grading, graveling, planting, macadamizing or paving streets and alleys, constructing sewers on any street or alley, or of building or repairing sidewalks in front of said original lot, shall be assessed against the fractions of said lot, in proportion to their front-

age on such street, sewer or sidewalk.

SEC. 21. Section one (1) of chapter eight (8) of said act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following: *Provided*, That no contractor for the improvement of any street or highway, or for the construction of any sewer, shall receive more than eighty (80) per cent of the amount due on his contract as the work thereon progresses, according to estimates submitted by the village surveyor to the common council; but the balance, twenty (20) per cent, shall be paid only upon the final completion of said work and the acceptance thereof by said council.

SEC. 22. Section eight (8) of chapter eight (8) is amended by striking out all of said section after the words "St. Louis county."

SEC. 23. Section eight (8) of chapter seven (7) is amended by striking out the words "not less than two (2) weeks," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "not less than once each week for two (2) successive weeks."

SEC. 24. Section fourteen (14) of chapter seven (7) is amended by striking out and repealing all that part of said section after the words

"last section."

SEC. 25. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the eighth (8th) day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885).

Approved February 26, 1885.

CHAPTER 108.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIVE (235) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVEN (1877), RELATING TO THE VILLAGE OF DULUTH.

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

SECTION 1. That chapter two hundred and thirty-five (235) of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven (1877)

be and the same is hereby amended as follows:

First. By inserting the word "fifty" (50) at the end of the second (2d) line of section four (4), and by striking out the figures "100,000" in the third (3d) line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000)."

Second. By striking out of the fourth (4th), fifth (5th) and sixth (6th) lines of section four (4) the words "To January first (1st) one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878)."

Third. By striking out the words "President of the council," in the ninth (9th) line of section four (4), and inserting in lieu thereof

the words "Mayor of the village."

Fourth. By striking out the words "One fourth (1) the amount thereof," in the sixth (6th) and seventh (7th) lines of section six (6), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "To such an amount as may be authorized by resolution of the common council of the village of Duluth, and approved by said judge of said district court," and by inserting the words "prior to the fifteenth (15th) day of September, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six," after the word "afterwards" in the fourth (4th) line of said section six (6).

Fifth. By inserting the words "and attach to the village of Duluth," after the word "Duluth" in the eleventh (11th) line of section

eight (8).

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

Approved March 3, 1885.

CHAPTER 109.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIVE (325) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF MINNESOTA FOR ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE (1883), RELATING TO COMPENSATION OF THE JUDGE OF PROBATE OF CLAY COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of chapter three hundred and twenty-five (325) of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred

and eighty-three (1883) be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. The salary and compensation of the judge of probate of Clay county is hereby fixed at one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum, to commence January first (1st), one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885).

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

passage.

Approved March 5, 1885.