

CHAPTER 181.

AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF MOWER, MINNESOTA, TO PURCHASE REAL ESTATE TO BE USED FOR AGRICULTURAL FAIRS."

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

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of the county of Mower, Minnesota, is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase and pay for, out of the general funds of said county, the grounds situate, lying and being in section four (4), township one hundred and two (102), range eighteen (18), now occupied by the Mower County Agricultural society, for the purpose of agricultural fairs. The amount so appropriated and paid for said grounds by the said county commissioners shall not exceed two thousand (2,000) dollars.

SEC. 2. The title to the grounds so purchased shall be taken in the name of and remain the property of the county of Mower, but said grounds shall be under the control and management of the Mower County Agricultural society, and used and occupied by said society exclusively as a fair ground; *Provided*, Whenever said society shall cease to exist, or said grounds used for other purposes than a fair ground, the control and disposition thereof shall be vested in the board of county commissioners of said county for the use and benefit of said county, and the Mower County Agricultural society shall forfeit all control thereof, or interest therein, together with all improvements, building and fixtures put upon said ground.

SEC. 3. The county commissioners of said county shall include in their tax levy of A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885), or at any time thereafter, as they shall deem proper, an amount sufficient to purchase said ground.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 6, 1885.