

inspectors herein mentioned, shall be construed as repealing, amending, or to in any manner affect any of the provisions of this act, unless special reference is therein made in this act.

SEC. 14. Said city of St. Paul, as such separate and independent school district, is hereby authorized and empowered, through the treasurer of said city, to apply for and receive from the county treasurer, or such other officer as may have the same, any and all moneys appropriated and received for public schools within said district by reason of any general or special law of this state, and such county treasurer, or other officer or officers as may have such money, are hereby authorized and directed to pay the same to the city treasurer of the said city of St. Paul, who shall receive the same for the purposes herein provided.

SEC. 15. Any vote, act, neglect or omission by or on the part of any member of said board or any officer thereof, as in this act prescribed or prohibited, as the case may be, shall be *prima facie* evidence that the same was done with willful intent to evade the provisions of this act, and upon the prosecution of any person for the commission of any offence in this act defined, it shall not be necessary to prove the willful intent of the person offending; and upon such prosecution, when the wrongful vote or act or omission being shown, the willful intent shall be presumed until the contrary appears.

SEC. 16. Said board of school inspectors are authorized and empowered to make such provisions and rules concerning children properly enrolled upon the registers of the public schools within said district, who have become habitual truants, and who are between the ages of eight (8) and sixteen (16), as will reasonably tend to compel their attendance in such schools, provided such truant children have no lawful occupation or business and are growing up in ignorance, and said board of school inspectors may require, and it shall be the duty of the police of the city of St. Paul to assist in the enforcement of said rules and regulations.

SEC. 17. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 20, 1891.

CHAPTER 37.

[H. F. No. 37.]

AN ACT TO LEGALIZE THE PLAT, AND THE APPRAISAL OF THE LOTS IN THE PLAT, KNOWN AS "D. W. INGERSOLL'S READJUSTMENT OF BLOCKS NUMBER ONE (1), TWO (2) AND SEVEN (7) OF D. W. INGERSOLL'S ADDITION TO ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA."

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

SECTION 1. That the plat known as "D. W. Ingersoll's readjustment of blocks numbers one (1), two (2) and seven (7) of D. W. Ingersoll's addition to St. Paul, Minnesota," and recorded in the office of the register of deeds within and for the county of Ramsey, in said

state, in book fourteen (14) of plats, page forty six (46), is in all respects confirmed and legalized as a valid survey, and the plat of the premises included therein.

SEC. 2. That the appraisal of the several lots included in said plat, made by J. W. Bishop, Edward J. Hodson and William M. Bushnell, and filed with the commissioner of the land office on the seventh (7th) day of June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety (1890), be and the same is hereby confirmed and legalized as a valid appraisal thereof.

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

Approved April 11, 1891.

CHAPTER 38.

[S. F. No. 127.]

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION TWO (2) OF CHAPTER THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE (375) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF MINNESOTA FOR THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINE (1889), RELATING TO THE CITY OF ST. PAUL.

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

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of Chapter three hundred and seventy-five (375) of the Special Laws of Minnesota, for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889), be and the same is hereby amended, by striking out the words "or both," in the last line of said section.

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

Approved Feb. 26, 1891.

CHAPTER 39.

[H. F. No. 987.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF ST. PAUL TO MODIFY A CONTRACT ENTERED INTO BETWEEN SAID CITY AND TIMOTHY SWEENEY FOR THE GRADING OF LANGFORD PARK.

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

SECTION 1. That the city of St. Paul and the common council of said city and the board of public works of said city are hereby authorized to modify the contract made and entered into between said city of St. Paul and Timothy Sweeney for the grading of Langford park in said city, which said contract bears date the twenty-eighth (28th) day of March, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety (1890); and that said contract when so modified shall provide that said Timothy Sweeney shall receive from said city of St. Paul, in addition to the contract price for the grading of said park named and mentioned in