

and any such person, persons or corporation has expended money in the construction and maintenance of said waterworks or gas works, and is now furnishing such village and its inhabitants with water or gas, pursuant to such grant and agreement, the same shall be and are hereby in all things ratified, legalized and confirmed.

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

Approved March 1, 1893.

H. F. No. 780.

## CHAPTER 192.

Legalizing village subscriptions.

*An act to legalize subscriptions and contributions by villages for the encouragement of agricultural fairs, or for educational purposes*

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

For fairs or educational institutions.

SECTION 1. In all cases where the council of any village in this state has heretofore appropriated out of the general funds of said village any money for the benefit of agricultural fairs or for the benefit of any educational institution in such village, and village orders have been issued therefor, the acts of the council of such village in making such appropriation and issuing such village orders and paying the same are hereby legalized in all respects, the same as if said council had original authority to make such appropriation.

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

Approved March 14, 1893.

H. F. No. 778

## CHAPTER 193.

Village plats.

*An act to authorize the council of villages and cities of less than two thousand inhabitants to file a corrected plat.*

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

Authorizes corrected plats to be filed.

SECTION 1. Whenever the plat of any village or city in this state of less than two thousand inhabitants, or of any subdivision or addition to such city or village, does not conform to the survey under which said plat purports to have been made, the council of such city or village are hereby authorized to make and file in the office of the register of deeds of the proper county a new or corrected plat of such defectively platted portion of its territory, and such corrected plat shall be recorded by the register of deeds, and shall in all respects supersede and take the place of the original plat of such territory.

SEC. 2. Before any such plat shall be entitled to record in the office of the register of deeds as aforesaid there shall be attached thereto a statement under oath by the city, village or county surveyor that an error exists in

the original plat or plats of such city or village, or the subdivision or addition affected, and that such error is cured by said corrected plat.

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

Approved March 14, 1893.

## CHAPTER 194.

H. F. No. 122.

*An act relating to the issuance of license for the sale of intoxicating liquors, and afford relief to licensees in certain cases.*

Issue of liquor licenses.

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

SECTION 1. That in every case where any village council of the state of Minnesota issued licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors for a period commencing on the first Monday of January, 1892, which said licenses upon their face are made to run for a period of one year and expire on the first Monday of January, 1893, and for which said licensees paid the full amount imposed and provided by law for a year for the sale and disposition of said liquors, and where, at the suggestion or direction or upon the notification of said village council, the said licensees, in compliance with chapter five of the laws of 1887, applied for a license to run for a period of one year, commencing twenty days after the annual election of such village for 1892, and again paid the full amount provided by statute for a license for one year, such village council be and hereby is authorized to refund and repay to each of said licensees an amount which shall be such proportion of the license fee required for a year as the time elapsing from twenty days after the annual election in said village for the year 1892 to the first Monday in January, 1893, shall bear to a full year. Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any case where any license so granted shall have been legally revoked before the passage of this act. Provided further, that where any action has been commenced for the recovery of any part or portion of such license money, the same shall be dismissed, and all costs of every kind, character and description paid by the plaintiff, before any money shall be refunded under the provisions of this act.

Double payment—refund-  
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SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 1, 1893.