

have power and authority by ordinance to prevent any fighting, brawling, assault, battery, disorderly noise or disorderly conduct within such city, and to provide for the arrest and punishment of any person or persons who shall be guilty of the same.

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

Approved April 23, 1897.

H. F. No. 702.

CHAPTER 302.

State lands.

An act to amend section three (3) chapter one hundred and sixty-three (163), general laws eighteen hundred ninety-five (1895), relating to state lands.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. That section three (3), chapter one hundred and sixty-three (163), general laws eighteen hundred ninety-five (1895), be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Certificate may be declared void for non-payment of annual interest, and commissioner may take possession and resell.

Sec. 3. The said certificates shall further set forth that in case of the non-payment of the annual interest by the first day of June, or within six (6) days thereafter in each and every year, by the purchaser or by any person claiming under him, then the said certificate may at any time during said default be by the commissioner declared void, and the said commissioner may take possession of the land therein described, and resell the same at public auction, and in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations as provided for the first sale.

Reappraisal and offer of sale & notice of re-entry.

When the state land commissioner shall have duly reappraised and advertised and publicly offered for sale such lands as are delinquent under this section, then and there a re-entry shall be deemed to have been made on the part of the state, without any other act or deed whatsoever.

Original purchaser in default a trespasser.

The new purchaser, if there be one, shall be entitled to immediate and peaceable possession. If the land is not again sold it shall be deemed to be unsold land of the state, and the original purchaser in default, or any one claiming under him, who shall remain in possession or enter upon the land without first having paid all delinquent interest and penalties, is a willful trespasser and punishable as such under the law in such cases made and provided.

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

Approved April 23, 1897.

CHAPTER 303.

H. F. No. 441.

An act to amend section sixty-seven (67) of chapter sixty-six (66) of the general statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight (1878), being section five thousand two hundred and seven (5207) of the general statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894), relating to actions against persons jointly liable upon the same obligation.

Actions against persons jointly liable upon the same obligation.

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

SECTION 1. That section sixty-seven (67) of chapter sixty-six (66) of the general statutes of the state of Minnesota for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight (1878), being section five thousand two hundred and seven (5207) of the general statutes of the state of Minnesota for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894), be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Amendment.

First—Parties to a joint obligation shall be jointly and severally liable thereon for the full amount thereof.

Liable for full amount.

Second—A joint obligation within the meaning of this act shall be construed to include all promissory notes, bills of exchange, copartnership debts and all contracts upon which parties are liable jointly.

Joint obligation defined.

Third—A joint or separate or several action may be brought against any one or more or all of the parties liable upon such joint obligation, and a joint or several judgment may be entered against any one or more or all of the parties liable upon such joint obligation; *provided, however*, the court may, upon application by any interested party, or upon its own motion, require the plaintiff to bring in as parties defendant all of the parties jointly liable on any such obligation.

Actions and judgments against one or more, or all parties.

Fourth—A judgment entered against any one or more of the parties to such joint obligation shall not be a bar to further proceedings in a separate action against the parties liable upon such joint obligation not included in such judgment.

Judgment against one party not a bar to further proceedings.