

eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889), be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"An act requiring the payment of fees into the state treasury by corporations upon filing articles of association or upon increase of capital stock, or upon renewal of the term of its corporate existence."

SEC. 2. That section one (1) of chapter two hundred and twenty-five (225) of the General Laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889), known as section thirty-three hundred and ninety-one (3391) of the General Statutes of eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894), be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That no corporation or association, other than those formed for religious, educational, social or charitable purposes, and building and loan societies, and corporations for the manufacture of butter, cheese, or other dairy products, and workmen's co-operative associations, and township mutual fire insurance companies, shall hereafter be created or organized under the laws of this state, unless the persons named as corporators therein shall, at or before the filing of the articles of association or incorporation, or the resolution renewing the term of its corporate existence, pay into the state treasury the sum of fifty dollars for the first fifty thousand dollars, or fraction thereof, of the capital stock of such corporation or association, and the further sum of five dollars for every additional ten thousand, or fraction thereof, of its capital stock.

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

Approved April 10, 1901.

S. F. No. 468.

CHAPTER 207.

An act to provide for the extension of the term of corporations, and to repeal section thirty-four hundred (3400) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (1894).

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

SECTION 1. Any corporation heretofore or hereafter organized under any law of this state, may renew the terms of its corporate existence from time to time for a further term not exceeding at any one time the term originally limited therefor, by adopting a resolution express-

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ing such proposed renewal by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of all of its members, shareholders or stockholders present, and voting at any regular meeting of such corporation, or at any special meeting called for that purpose, and clearly specifying such purpose.

SEC. 2. When any such resolution for a renewal shall be so adopted, the same shall not take effect until a copy of such resolution, duly certified by the president and secretary of such corporation under its corporate seal, if it have one, shall have been filed, published and recorded in the same manner as is provided for the filing, publication and recording of original articles of incorporation.

SEC. 3. This act shall not apply to corporations heretofore or hereafter organized under title one (1) of chapter thirty-four (34) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (1894).

SEC. 4. Section thirty-four hundred (3400) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (1894) is hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 10th, 1901.

CHAPTER 208.

H. F. No. 65.

An act to regulate the marriage of persons having been divorced and the issuing of marriage licenses to such persons.

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persons.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to enter into matrimony in the State of Minnesota who has been divorced in any court within six months from the entry of such divorce decree. Any person applying for a license to marry within the State of Minnesota, and making oath as required by law as to legal impediments, such person swearing falsely as to divorce obtained shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished according to the statute in such case made and provided for the crime of perjury.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any clerk of court, or deputy clerk of court in the State of Minnesota to issue any marriage license to any person having obtained a decree of divorce within six months from the date of the entry of such divorce decree. Any clerk of court or deputy clerks of court, having authority to issue such mar-