

H. F. No. 354.

CHAPTER 324.

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An act to prohibit county officials, deputies or clerks from becoming interested, directly or indirectly, in contracts or purchases made by them and providing a penalty for a violation thereof.

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

SECTION 1. In all counties of this state it shall be unlawful for any county official, deputy or clerk, to become, directly or indirectly, interested in or in the performance of any contract, work, labor or business, or the sale of any article, or the furnishing of any supplies or materials, the expense, price, or consideration of which is payable from the county treasury, or by any assessment levied by any act of such county officials, or in the purchase or lease of any real estate, or other property belonging to or taken by any such counties, or which shall be sold for taxes or assessments, or by virtue of legal process at the suit of any such counties.

SEC. 2. If any such official, deputy or clerk shall wilfully violate any of the provisions of this act, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail for a period not to exceed one year.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts, whether general or special, inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 13th, 1901.

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CHAPTER 325.

Property of
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diers' home.

An act relating to the care, custody and disposition of property of deceased ex-soldiers, sailors and marines dying as inmates of the Soldiers' Home.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Home, immediately after the passage of this act to request each inmate thereof to state in what manner and to whom he desires to dispose of his property in the event of his death, with the address of the beneficiary, and upon such information said board shall cause