

CHAPTER 345.

H. F. No. 556.

An act to prohibit the issuing of summons or process or service of the same from courts of justice of the peace, in cities having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants, or over, and having a regularly constituted municipal court.

Cities with 200,000 population. Issue of summons or process.

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

SECTION 1. That no justice of the peace shall have jurisdiction to issue any summons or any other process, except executions, in any civil action, to be served within any city having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants, or over, having a regularly constituted municipal court, and any service of any such summons or process from a justice of the peace made within such city shall be void.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after April 7, 1901.

Approved April 13, 1901.

CHAPTER 346.

H. F. No. 562.

An act to determine the descent of real estate in certain cases and to assign the same and make a record thereof.

Real estate, descent of.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever it shall appear by the petition of any person claiming any interest in real property, to the probate court of any county, wherein said real property is situated, that more than five years have passed since the death of any person, who died owning said real property or some interest therein and that no will has been probated and no administration granted in this state upon the estate of such decedent, it shall be the duty of the probate court to issue its order for hearing on such petition, and the same shall be served and published as provided by law for the service and publication of notice for hearing of petitions for final decrees in said court, and such petitions shall be heard in like manner with petitions for such final decrees.

Order for hearing, when no administration or will, after 5 years.

SEC. 2. Such petition shall contain the name and the time and place of the death of such decedent and a statement of his last will and testament, if he left any, and the names and residences of the heirs and devisees, if any,