

"Said board, with the consent of the common council or other governing body of any such city or villag[e], expressed by resolution or ordinance adopted by said body, in accepting any donation for library purposes, which may be donated, devised or bequeathed by any person, company or corporation, may enter into any agreement with such donor, his or their legal representatives, affecting such donation, bequest or devise as may be proposed or imposed concerning the same, and any such agreement shall have the full and binding effect of a contract between such donor and his or their legal representatives and said city or village."

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

Approved April 13, 1901.

H. F. No. 876.

## CHAPTER 367.

Amendment.  
Teachers'  
certificates.

*An act to amend section two (2) of chapter thirty-four (34) of the General Laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (1893), being section three thousand seven hundred and forty-nine (3749) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (1894), relating to teachers' certificates.*

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

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of chapter thirty-four (34) of the General Laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (1893), being section thirty-seven hundred and forty-nine (3749) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (1894), relating to teachers' certificates, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Professional  
state certi-  
ficate.

Sec. 3749. Permanent teachers of high character and board scholarship and who have a successful experience, may, upon the examination by the state superintendent or by a committee of three competent teachers appointed by him, receive a professional state certificate, which shall authorize the holder to teach in any public school in the state without further examination; *provided*, that no life certificate shall be in force after its holder shall permit a space of three years to lapse without following some educational pursuit, unless said certificate be indorsed by the state superintendent; *provided further*, that graduates of colleges and universities of good standing who

have received a certificate of the first grade in this state, and who shall have taught in any public school in the state with ability and success for at least one year, shall be entitled to a professional certificate from the state superintendent without further examination.

There shall be two grades of professional state certificates. All of the subjects mentioned in section three (3) of the General Laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (1893) shall be required for first grade; and twenty-one (21) of the subjects enumerated in said section three (3) shall be required for second grade, the optional subjects to be arranged by the state superintendent of public instruction or examining board; *provided* that the state superintendent shall be authorized to issue yearly permits to deserving teachers of successful experience, who lack not more than three (3) subjects, and by the employment of such teachers, state aid shall not be withheld.

Two grades  
of certifi-  
cates.

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

Approved April 13, 1901.

## CHAPTER 368.

H. F. No. 685.

*An act to protect species of fish in the waters of Minnesota, known and designated as esox nobilior, commonly called sand lake trout or Saint Lawrence muskellunge.*

Game and  
fish. Pro-  
tection of  
Sand Lake  
trout.

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

• SECTION 1. Whomsoever shall spear, trap, net, catch or kill in any manner whatsoever, except with a hook and line held in the hand, or who shall pursue with a light or lantern in the night time, any *esox nobilior*, commonly known and called sand lake trout, or St. Lawrence muskellunge, inhabiting any of the waters of this state, particularly the several lakes and streams at, about, in the neighborhood of, or near Mantrap lake, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined for the first offense twenty-five dollars, for the second offense fifty dollars, and for each subsequent offense not less than thirty or more than ninety days' imprisonment in the county jail of the county wherein the misdemeanor was committed. All acts and parts of acts permitting or authorizing the use of spears, nets, trot-lines or traps for the taking, catching, killing