

H. F. No. 344.

CHAPTER 198.

An act to amend section four (4) of chapter one hundred forty (140), Laws of 1901, relating to depositories for state funds.

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

Depositories
for state
funds.

SECTION 1. That section four (4) of chapter 140, Laws of 1901, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 4. The amount on deposit at any time with any state depository shall not exceed the amount designated by the board of deposit. In case a personal surety bond be given by a depository the board may fix a limit of deposit which shall not exceed one-half the penalty named in such bond. If a corporate surety bond be given by such depository, the board may fix a limit of deposit equal to the penalty named in such surety bond. *Provided, however,* that the board shall in no case fix a limit of deposit which shall exceed one-half the paid-up capital stock or capital claimed by such depository.

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

Approved April 15, 1905.

H. F. No. 300.

CHAPTER 199.

An act to provide for the disposition of unclaimed moneys at state institutions.

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

Unclaimed
money at
state in-
stitutions.

SECTION 1. That whenever there has heretofore accumulated, or shall hereafter accumulate, in the hands of the superintendent of any state institution, money belonging to inmates of such institution who have died therein, or disappeared therefrom, and for which money there is no claimant or person entitled thereto known to said superintendent, such money may at the discretion of such superintendent be expended under his direction for the amusement, entertainment and general benefit of the inmates of such institution. *Provided,* that no money shall be so used until it shall have remained unclaimed for at least five years. *Provided, further,* that if at any time after the expiration of the said five years the legal heirs

of said inmate shall appear and make proper proof of such heirship, they shall be entitled to receive from the state treasurer such sum of money as shall have been expended by the aforesaid superintendent belonging to said inmate.

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

Approved April 15, 1905.

CHAPTER 200.

H. F. No. 669.

An act regulating the rank and priority of liens for general taxes and assessments for local improvements in cities of more than 50,000 inhabitants.

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

SECTION 1. That all assessments upon real property for local improvements made or levied by the proper authorities of any city in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter containing a population of over 50,000, according to the last national or state census, shall be a paramount lien upon the land upon which they are imposed from the date of the warrant issued for the collection thereof, and of equal rank with the lien of the state for taxes which have been or may be levied upon said property under the general laws of the state; and that the general rules of law as to priority of tax liens shall apply equally to the liens of such assessments and to such liens for general taxes, with the same force and effect as though all of the liens aforesaid and all of the taxes and assessments aforesaid, were of the same general character and imposed for the same purpose and by the same authority, without regard to the priority in point of time of the attaching of either of said liens, and a sale or perfecting title under either shall not bar or extinguish the other.

Assessments
for local
improve-
ments.

Priority
of liens.

SEC. 2. All acts or parts of acts and all provisions of the charter of any city inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

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

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