

Boundary  
streams.

of its works. Any corporation formed for the improvement of a stream, which is in whole or in part a boundary stream, shall have authority to purchase and hold stock in corporation or corporations in such adjoining state or country created for similar purposes upon the same stream, or to consolidate or otherwise unite with such corporation or corporations in such adjoining state or country, whenever the purposes for which the corporation in this state is organized can be better effected thereby. *Provided*, that no such purchase or consolidation or other union shall be made without the consent of holders of two-thirds (2-3) of the capital stock of such first (1st) named company. *Provided*, that all dams and other works erected under the authority given by this act shall be so constructed, used and operated as to facilitate and expedite the driving and handling logs and lumber upon the stream upon which the same may be erected, and the corporation making such improvements hereunder shall have no right to stop logs destined for points below its works on said stream except where dams have been constructed to accumulate water for sluicing logs and flushing the river below the same, and in such case shall not detain logs in any part of the river so as to form a jam or prevent the prompt delivery of logs destined for points below the works constructed under authority of this act.

Construction  
of dams.

Log jams.

SEC. 2. Nothing in this act contained shall effect any action or proceeding now pending in any court of this state.

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

Approved March 29, 1905.

S. F. No. 226.

## CHAPTER 90.

Amending  
penal code.

*An act to amend section 6786 of chapter 92-a of the General Statutes 1894, being section 486 of the penal code of the State of Minnesota, relating to crimes against property.*

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

SECTION 1. That section 6786 of chapter 92-a of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1894, relating to

crimes against property, being section 486 of the penal code of the State of Minnesota, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 6786. A person who, not being the owner thereof, and without lawful authority, wilfully injures, disfigures, removes or destroys a grave stone, monument, work of art, or useful or ornamental improvement, or any shade tree or ornamental plant, whether situated upon private ground or upon a street, road or sidewalk, cemetery or public park or place, or who injures or removes from any grave in a cemetery any flowers, memorials or other tokens of affection, or other thing connected with them, or who hitches any horse or other animal to any monument, grave stone, tree or shrub on any cemetery grounds, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Disfigurement of parks, cemeteries, etc.

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

Approved March 29, 1905.

## CHAPTER 91.

S. F. No. 15.

*An act entitled an act to amend chapter 235 of the General Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to authorize cities of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell their bonds for acquisition of lands for parks and parkway purposes, and relating to expenditures for park and parkway purposes by such cities," approved April 17th, 1903.*

Selling bonds for parks, etc.

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

SECTION 1. That chapter 235 of the General Laws of 1903, entitled "An act to authorize cities of over fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell their bonds for acquisition of lands for parks and parkway purposes, and relating to expenditures for park and parkway purposes by such cities," approved April 17th, 1903, be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end of section one thereof, the following words, to wit: "The bonds authorized to be issued under this act shall in no case increase the total bonded indebtedness of such city, exclusive of all outstanding bonds issued for its permanent improvement revolving fund, and exclusive of all outstanding bonds issued for the purchase, construction, extension or improvement of its water works and lighting plant, or for either thereof, to a sum exceeding ten per

Cities over fifty thousand population.