

clared legally incorporated villages, without reference to whether any portion of the territory included in the corporate limits thereof is platted, or is urban or agricultural in character. *Provided, however,* that nothing in this act shall affect or apply to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts in this state.

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

Approved April 15, 1907.

CHAPTER 216—S. F. No. 819.

An Act entitled an act to amend section 750 of chapter 9 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota of 1905.

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

Charter board expenses not to exceed \$500.—Section 1. That section 750 of chapter 9 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota of 1905 be and hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

750. The members of such board shall receive no compensation, but the board may employ an attorney and stenographer to assist in framing such charter, and any amendment or revision thereof, and their reasonable compensation and the cost of printing such charter, or any amendment or revision thereof, when so directed by the board, shall be paid by such city or village. *Provided, however,* that the cost of preparation, printing and legal services in framing and submitting such charter in the first instance shall not exceed \$500.

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

Approved April 15, 1907.