

ness of casualty insurance upon the co-operative or assessment plan, as in this act defined.

**Certain sections of R. L. 1905 repealed.**—Sec. 11. Sections 1695, 1698, 1699, 1700, 1701, 1702 of Revised Laws 1905, are hereby repealed. Chapter 303 of Laws of Minnesota for 1905 and all other laws and parts of laws, in so far as they may be inconsistent with this act, shall not apply to corporations transacting the business of life or casualty insurance solely upon the co-operative or assessment plan as defined in this act.

**Not to apply to beneficiary associations.**—Sec 12. The provisions of this act shall not apply to fraternal beneficiary associations, nor shall anything herein be construed as governing or in anywise regulating such associations.

Sec. 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 23, 1907.

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#### CHAPTER 319—H. F. No. 311.

*An Act to amend section 19, Revised Laws 1905, relating to contempts of the legislature.*

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

**When members may be punished for contempt.**—Section 1. That section 19, Revised Laws 1905, be, and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows :

19. Contempts—Each house may punish, as a contempt, any breach of its privileges, or of the privileges of its members, but only for one or more of the following offenses :

1. Arresting or causing to be arrested, any member or officer thereof, in violation of his privilege from arrest.

2. Disorderly conduct in its view and presence, or in the view and presence of any of its committees, tending to interrupt their proceedings.

3. Refusing to attend or be examined as a witness, before either house or any committee thereof, or before any

person authorized by such house or committee to take testimony in legislative proceedings.

4. Giving or offering a bribe to any member, or attempting by menace or by any corrupt or improper means, directly or indirectly, to control or influence a member in giving or withholding his vote. No person shall be excused from attending and testifying before either house of the legislature, or a committee thereof, for an alleged offense upon an investigation in reference to such giving or offering of a bribe, or attempting by menace or by any corrupt or improper means, directly or indirectly, to control or influence a member in giving or withholding his vote upon the ground, or for the reason that the testimony or evidence, documentary or otherwise, required of him may tend to convict him of a crime or subject him to a penalty or forfeiture, but no person shall be prosecuted, or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture for, or on account of any transaction, matter or thing concerning which he may so testify, or produce evidence, documentary or otherwise, and no testimony, so given or produced, shall be received against him upon any criminal investigation or proceeding.

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

Approved April 23, 1907.

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#### CHAPTER 320—H. F. No. 386.

*An Act to provide a penalty for inviting, directing or accompanying any boy under the age of eighteen years to, or admitting him into a house of ill fame, or arranging any meeting between any such boy and any female of dissolute character.*

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

**Soliciting prohibited under certain circumstances.**—Section 1. Any person who shall solicit any boy under the age of eighteen years to visit a house of ill fame or assignation for the purpose of prostitution or sexual intercourse, or shall direct or accompany such boy to any such house of ill fame or assignation for such purpose, or shall arrange or assist in arranging any meeting for such purpose between any boy under the age of eighteen years and any female of dissolute