CHAPTER 118-H. F. No. 502

An act to amend section one, chapter 366 General Laws 1907, relating to the minimum-price for which state lands shall be sold.

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

Assessments paid for drainage to be added to the appraised value of state lands.—Section 1. That section one (1) of chapter 366 of the General Laws of 1907, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That section 2409, Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

All lands selected for state institutions under an act of the legislature entitled: "An act to appropriate swamp lands to certain educational and charitable institutions and for the purpose of creating a state prison," approved Feb. 13, 1865, and all lands known as state capitol lands, shall be appraised and sold as school lands are sold.

Provided, that all lands belonging to the state by virtue of the various congressional acts set forth in sections 2404, 2405, 2407, 2408 and 2409, of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, the minimum price thereof shall be \$5.00 per acre, and the terms of payment and conditions of sale shall be the same as is now provided by law.

Provided, however, that where state lands have been benefited by and assessments paid for drainage, such drainage improvements shall be duly considered by the state land examiner in making appraisals.

Provided further, that when such drained lands are sold the principal and interest paid thereon shall be credited by the state auditor to the proper fund to which the land belongs.

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

Approved March 27, 1909.

CHAPTER 119-H. F. No. 523.

An act to reinstate and validate conditional sales of swamp lands patented to the State of Minnesota, under the Swamp Land Act of March 12, 1860.

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

Conditional sales of swamp lands validated.—Section 1. That in all cases where sales of state swamp lands made June