

bearing a higher rate of interest than four (4) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, but the place of payment of the principal and interest thereof and the denominations in which the same are issued shall be such as may be determined upon by the common council or city council and may be in the form of coupon bonds or registered certificates so-called. All of said bonds shall be signed by the mayor, attested by the city clerk and countersigned by the city comptroller of the city issuing the same and shall be sealed with the seal of such city, except that the signatures to the coupons attached to such bonds, if any, may be lithographed thereon, and none of said bonds shall be sold at less than their par value and accrued interest and then only to the highest responsible bidder therefor.

Sec. 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 17, 1909.

CHAPTER 229—H. F. No. 1187

An Act to authorize the State Board of Control to purchase necessary machinery and appliances for the purpose of furnishing crushed rock for the roads in Minnesota from the spalls and waste rock at the Minnesota State Reformatory at St. Cloud.

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

Board of control authorized to purchase machinery for crushing rock.—Section 1. The state board of control of the state of Minnesota is hereby authorized and directed to purchase such machinery and appliances as may be necessary in addition to those now belonging to the state of Minnesota at the Minnesota State Reformatory, and promptly proceed to cause the spalls and waste rock now on the grounds of said reformatory, and such spalls and waste rock as shall hereafter accumulate at said reformatory, to be suitably crushed for road-making purposes.

Crushed rock to be delivered free to state highway commission.—Sec. 2. Such crushed rock, in excess of the needs of said reformatory for construction of buildings of said reformatory, and for the making of roads upon the grounds thereof, shall be delivered free on board cars at the reformatory quarries to the state highway commission, as it shall apply therefor, and shall be used in the construction and repair of permanent public roads

in the state of Minnesota, according to plans provided by said state highway commission.

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

Approved April 17, 1909.

CHAPTER 230—S. F. No. 62.

An Act to provide for the discharge of judgments against persons discharged under the United States bankrupt law.

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

Discharge of judgments against bankrupts.—Section 1. Any person discharged from his debts pursuant to the act of Congress known as "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States, approved July first (1st), eighteen hundred and ninety-eight (1898)" and all amendments thereto, may, after the expiration of one year from the date of such discharge, apply to any court of record in which a judgment shall have been rendered or a transcript thereof filed against him, for the discharge thereof from record, and if it shall appear to the court that he has thus been discharged from the payment of such judgment, the court may order and direct that such judgment be discharged and satisfied of record, and thereupon the clerk of such court shall enter a satisfaction thereof; *provided*, however, that no such application shall be made or order granted except upon ten (10) days' notice of such application to the judgment creditor whose judgment is sought thereby to be satisfied of record, his executors, administrators or assigns, served in the manner provided for the service of notices in civil actions, or in case such creditor, or his executors, administrators or assigns, shall not reside within the state of Minnesota, in such manner as the court shall provide by order; *provided, further*, that nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to judgments not listed among the liabilities of the bankrupt in his petition to be adjudged a bankrupt under the act of July first (1st), eighteen hundred ninety-eight and all amendments thereto.

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

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