

Inconsistent acts repealed.—Sec. 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed. All other requirements and provisions relating to the sale of school and other state lands shall apply with full force to sales made under this act.

Land sales manager to be appointed by auditor—Salary.—Sec. 4. All sales made pursuant to this act shall be conducted by the state auditor in person, his deputy, or by a competent person appointed by him for that purpose, to be called "Manager Land Sales Department" and who shall before assuming his duties give a bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) to the State of Minnesota, conditioned upon the faithful performance of his duties, and subscribe to the usual oath of office. The said manager of the land sales department, shall receive a salary of not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) per year and his necessary traveling expenses.

Maps to be prepared by auditor.—Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the state auditor to prepare suitable maps or plats, having designated thereon those school, or other state lands, owned by the state which have been duly appraised and subject to sale, which maps or plats shall be printed and distributed with other printed matter in sufficient quantities to properly advertise the sales provided by this act.

Appropriation for carrying out provisions of act.—Sec. 6. The sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) is hereby appropriated for the fiscal year ending July 31st, 1911, and ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for each of the fiscal years ending July 31st, 1912, and July 31st, 1913, or so much thereof for each of the years as may be necessary to provide the funds to comply with the provisions of this act.

Approved April 11, 1911.

CHAPTER 124—H. F. No. 751.

An Act entitled "An Act to authorize the common councils of cities in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, to fix the number and salaries of assistant attorneys in the legal departments of such cities."

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

Assistant attorneys in legal department of certain cities.—Section 1. That the common council of any city in this state now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, shall have the power and authority, by resolution ap-

proved by the mayor, once in every two years, by a two-thirds vote of all members elect thereof, to fix the number and respective salaries of assistant attorneys in the legal department of such city.

Application.—Sec. 2. This act shall also apply to all such cities as are or may be governed by a charter adopted pursuant to section 36, article 4 of the constitution of this state.

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

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CHAPTER 125—H. F. No. 959. 13 ^{C 125} - 159

An Act to provide for the preservation of forests in this state and for reforestation and for the prevention and suppression of forest and prairie fires; also repealing chapter 22, Revised Laws 1905, and sections 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2510 and 2515, Revised Laws 1905; chapters 82 and 310 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905; chapter 182 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act, prescribing penalties for violations of this act and appropriating money for the carrying out of its provisions.

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

State forestry board—Composition.—Section 1. There shall be a state forestry board, of nine members, composed of the director of the forestry school and the dean of the agricultural college of the university of Minnesota and seven others appointed by the governor, for a term of four years and until their successors qualify. Two of said members shall be appointed upon the recommendation of the regents of the university, and, of the other four, one shall be appointed upon the recommendation of each of the following bodies. The state agricultural society, the state horticultural society, and the state game and fish commission—*provided* suitable persons be recommended by them to the governor not later than January 31 of the year in which such terms expire. All vacancies shall be filled the same as the original appointments. The members now in office shall hold through the terms for which they were respectively appointed. So far as practicable, all such appointees shall be appointed with reference to their knowledge of and interest in the planting and cultivation of trees in prairie regions, the preservation of natural forests, the reforestation of denuded lands, and the protection of the sources of streams.