

Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. It shall be the duty of all peace officers and all health officers to make complaint of any known violation of this act.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 26, 1913.

CHAPTER 542—H. F. No. 640.

An act entitled "An Act to authorize cities of the fourth class incorporated and now or hereafter operating under Chapter 8, Laws of 1895, to transfer funds from the permanent improvement revolving fund to the permanent improvement fund."

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

Section 1. **Transfer of funds from permanent improvement to revolving fund.**—That any city of the fourth class incorporated and now or hereafter operating under the provisions of Chapter 8 of the Laws of 1895, may by a resolution adopted by a unanimous vote of its council, transfer funds from the permanent improvement revolving fund to the permanent improvement fund, at any time, provided said permanent improvement revolving fund shall not be so reduced to an amount less than the aggregate of all outstanding certificates of indebtedness and other obligations incurred and payable from said last mentioned fund.

Approved April 26, 1913.

CHAPTER 543—H. F. No. 671.

An Act to enforce payment of real estate taxes which have become and are delinquent for each and all of the fifteen years next prior to the year 1914.

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

Section 1. **Where taxes are delinquent for 15 years property is to be included in list.**—At the time of making the list of delinquent taxes upon real estate in the year 1914 as required by Section 905, Revised Laws, 1905, the auditor of each county shall make out and append to such delinquent list a list of all real estate in the county upon which taxes have become and are delinquent for each and all of the fifteen years next prior to the year 1914. Such list shall contain a description of each piece or parcel of land upon which taxes are delinquent as aforesaid, and opposite such description the name of the person to whom assessed, the amount of taxes and interest due thereon according to the provisions of this act, and the assessed value for the year 1912.

Sec. 2. Proceedings to follow.—The same proceedings shall be had with reference to advertisement, judgment and sale of the property described in such lists as are required by the general tax law for advertisement, judgment, and sale of property described in the regular delinquent list, but separate tax judgment and copy tax judgment books shall be provided for such lists.

Sec. 3. How same may be redeemed.—Any person having an interest in any tract or parcel of real estate included in such list may redeem the same at any time before the sale thereof by paying into the county treasury the original amount of taxes due thereon, with six (6) per cent per annum interest on the amount during the time said taxes have been delinquent, together with all costs of proceedings herein described.

Sec. 4. Sale to be made by auditor.—The sale herein provided for shall be made by the county auditor, at his office immediately following the delinquent sale in May, and may continue from day to day until the first day of June, A. D. 1914. Each parcel shall be sold to the highest cash bidder therefor, but not for a less sum than one-half of the assessed value thereof for the year 1912. The purchaser shall forthwith pay the amount of his bid to the county treasurer, and the officer conducting the sale shall give to him a certificate in a form prescribed by the attorney general, in which shall be set forth the name of the purchaser, a description of the land sold, the price paid and the date and place of the sale. The auditor and treasurer of the county shall attend such sale, the former to make a record of all sales thereat, and the latter to receive all moneys paid on account thereof.

Sec. 5. Person purchasing at sale entitled to deed.—Any person, or his heirs or assigns, receiving the certificate described in the preceding section, shall be entitled to a deed from the state, and upon presentation of such certificate to the governor he shall be authorized to execute a deed in the name of the state to the person entitled thereto, conveying the lands therein described, and every such deed shall vest the grantee with complete title to such lands, subject to the defenses that the tract or parcel was exempt from taxation, or that the taxes had been paid for which such tract or parcel was sold at the said tax sale. Such deed may be recorded as other deeds of real estate, and the record thereof shall have the same force and effect in all respects as the record of such other deeds, and shall be evidence in like manner.

Sec. 6. Distribution of proceeds.—The proceeds of such sale shall be distributed in the same manner as the taxes for the year 1913 are distributed.

Sec. 7. To be bid in for state, if no bid is received.—If no bidder shall bid an amount equal to that for which the

piece or parcel may be sold then the county auditor shall bid in the same for the state for the amount of the judgment against the same.

Sec. 8. **County board to allow for clerk hire.**—The county board of any county may and they are hereby authorized to allow the county auditor such an amount for clerk hire as may be reasonable for carrying out the provisions of this act.

Sec. 9. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved April 26, 1913.

CHAPTER 544—H. F. No. 675.

An Act to prevent misrepresentation on the part of employers, and to provide a penalty therefor.

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

Section 1. **Misrepresentation on part of employers prohibited.**—It shall be unlawful for any person, partnership, company, corporation, association or organization of any kind, doing business in this state, directly or through any agent or attorney to induce, influence, persuade or engage any person to change from one place to another in this state, or to change from any place in any state, territory or county to any place in this state, to work in any branch of labor, through or by means of knowingly false representations, whether spoken, written or advertised in printed form, concerning the kind or character of such work, the compensation therefor, the sanitary conditions relating to or surrounding it, or the existence or non-existence of any strike or lock out affecting it, and pending between the proposed employer and employes and the persons then or last theretofore engaged in the performance of the labor for which the employee is sought.

Sec. 2. If any person, firm, association or corporation violates any provision of this act, they shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Approved April 28, 1913.

CHAPTER 545—H. F. No. 1225.

An Act to regulate fishing in the waters of the Mississippi and St. Croix rivers where such rivers constitute the boundary between the states of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

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

Section 1. **To apply only to certain waters.**—This act shall apply only to the waters of the St. Croix river, including that