

CHAPTER 227—S. F. No. 89.

An Act to amend Section 8300 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to the service of notice in habeas corpus proceedings.

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

Section 1. **Service upon county attorney or attorney general in habeas corpus proceedings.**—That Section 8300 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913 be amended so as to read as follows:

“8300. In criminal cases, *if the prisoner is confined in a town, village, city or county jail*, notice of the the time and place at which the writ is returnable shall be given to the county attorney of the county from which the prisoner was committed, *if such county attorney is within his county; if the prisoner is confined in a state institution, said notice shall be given to the attorney general, whose duty it shall be to appear for the person named as respondent in said writ*; in other cases, like notice shall be given to any person interested in continuing the custody or restraint of the party seeking the aid of such writ.

Approved April 21, 1915.

CHAPTER 228—S. F. No. 98.

An Act to provide for the establishment of juvenile detention homes for girls in certain counties.

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

Section 1. **Juvenile detention home for Hennepin County.**—County commissioners in counties having a population of 300,000 or over shall have authority to purchase, lease, erect, equip and maintain a juvenile detention home for girls, and the same may, with the approval of the district court judges, be a separate institution, or it may be established and operated in connection with any other organized charitable or educational institution. The plans, location, equipment and operation of said detention home shall in all cases have the approval of the judges of the district court. There shall be a matron appointed for such home, and she shall be a probation officer of the juvenile court, and shall be appointed and removed by the district judges. The salaries of the matron and other employees shall be fixed by the judges of the district court.

The juvenile court may place in said detention home, for temporary detention, or for a period of not more than six months under any order, any girl coming before or within the jurisdiction of said court, and any girl who is placed in such home may

be released therefrom by order of said juvenile court at any time.

The county commissioners of all counties to which this act applies are hereby authorized, empowered, and required to provide the necessary funds and to make all needful appropriations to carry out the provisions of this act.

Sec. 2. **Not to affect Chap. 285, G. L. 1905.**—Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to impair or limit the power of counties to establish and maintain juvenile detention homes under the provisions of Chapter 285 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1905 and amendments thereof.

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

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CHAPTER 229—S. F. No. 139.

An Act to amend Chapter 469, General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, authorizing certain cities of the first class to provide by ordinance for the prompt payment of bills rendered for goods purchased for city purposes.

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

Section 1. **Bills of park commissioners of Minneapolis to be paid without formal vote of board.**—Section 1 of Chapter 469 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, authorizing certain cities of the first class to provide by ordinance for the prompt payment of bills rendered for goods purchased for city purposes be, and the same hereby is, amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 1. The city council or other governing body of any city of the first class not operating under a home-rule charter, notwithstanding any provision of its charter to the contrary, may hereafter provide by ordinance for the payment of all current bills incurred by the city for goods, wares and merchandise, the purchase whereof has been duly authorized for the use of the city or any of its departments, without awaiting the formal vote of said governing body directing payment thereof. *The board of park commissioners of any such city may likewise by ordinance provide for the payment of all current bills incurred by it or under its authority for goods, wares, and merchandise without awaiting the formal vote of such board directing payment thereof.*

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