

nection with the juvenile court pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 83, of the General Laws of Minnesota, for the year 1913, the board of county commissioners in counties of this state now or hereafter having a population of over 200,000 and not over 300,000 inhabitants, is hereby authorized to issue, by resolution duly passed, and to sell not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) par value of the bonds of such counties.

Sec. 2. Term of bonds and rate of interest.—No bond or bonds shall be issued under the authority of this act to run for a longer term than five (5) years or bearing a higher rate of interest than five per cent (5%) per annum. The bond or bonds to be issued hereunder shall be, subject to the limitations herein expressed, in such form and for such amount or amounts, at such a rate of interest, for such a period and shall be payable at such place as the board of county commissioners shall determine. Such bond or bonds shall be signed by the chairman of the board of county commissioners and shall be attested by the county auditor.

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

Approved January 28, 1915.

CHAPTER 4—H. F. No. 3.

An act to provide for the payment of bills, claims and demands against county boards of control in all counties of this state now or hereafter having a board of control where the funds of said boards of control are supplied in part by any city within said county, and in part by said county, and to provide for the designation of a depository of the funds of said boards of control.

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

Section 1. Procedure for payment of bills, claims, etc., of board of control of Ramsey county.—In every county of this state in which there exists or shall hereafter exist a board of control which is maintained by funds supplied in proportionate parts by a city within said county and by the county, all bills, claims and demands against said board of control shall be allowed and shall be paid as follows:

Said board of control shall certify monthly, upon the signature of its chairman, or in his absence, its vice chairman, and its secretary, to the county auditor of such county, a pay-roll or statement giving the name, position and salary of each of its employees, and the period during which services were rendered and salary earned. It shall certify a similar pay-roll to the council of said city for the payment of its proportionate part thereof. Upon the receipt of said pay-roll, said county auditor

shall issue his warrant directing the county treasurer of said county to pay to said board of control the county's proportionate part of the aggregate amount of said pay-roll. Upon the receipt of said pay-roll so certified to the city council by the comptroller after the same has been audited by said city comptroller, said council shall direct the treasurer of said city to pay to said board of control, the city's proportionate part of the amount of said pay-roll. All accounts, bills, claims or demands against any such board of control, except claims included in pay-rolls as herein-before specified, shall be reduced to writing in items, and verified by the person claiming the same or his agent, to the effect that such account, bill, claim or demand is just and true, that the property therein charged was actually delivered or used for the purposes therein stated, and is of the value therein charged, and that the services therein charged were actually rendered and were of the value therein charged, and that no part of such account, bill, claim or demand has been paid. Said account, bill, claim or demand shall be in duplicate.

Said board of control shall, monthly, cause to be presented to the board of county commissioners of said county, all such accounts, bills, claims or demands against said board of control, and shall at the same time cause to be presented to the council of such city, the duplicates of all such accounts, bills, claims or demands against said board of control.

Said board of county commissioners shall allow said accounts, bills, claims or demands, in whole or in part, and thereupon there shall issue the warrant of the chairman thereof, attested by the auditor, directing the county treasurer of said county to pay to said board of control the county's proportionate part of the aggregate amount of all of said accounts, bills, claims or demands so allowed.

Said council shall, after audit by the city comptroller, allow said accounts, bills, claims or demands, in whole or in part, and shall direct the city treasurer of said city to pay to said board of control the city's proportionate part of the aggregate amount of all of said accounts, bills, claims or demands so allowed.

Sec. 2. Moneys paid to be deposited to credit of board of control.—All moneys paid to said board of control under the provisions of this act, as soon as received, shall be deposited by said board of control, in the name of said board of control, in one or more banks designated by said board of control to be the depositories of the funds of said board of control. Every bank or banker, upon being designated as a depository of said board of control, shall deposit with the county treasurer of said county, a bond, approved by the county board, in at least double the amount to be deposited, payable to the board of control, and it shall be given for the term of two years. Securities may be deposited

with said county treasurer in lieu of said bond in the same manner and upon the same terms as is now provided with reference to county depositories.

Sec. 3. Board of control to issue checks for claims.—Said board of control shall issue checks against the funds so deposited for pay-rolls payable to the persons employed in and about such institutions as certified to in said approved pay-roll. Said board of control shall issue checks against funds so deposited in the full amounts and to the persons, companies or corporations only, specified in said accounts, bills, claims or demands allowed as hereinbefore provided, and said checks so issued shall by number or otherwise show their connection with said accounts, bills, claims or demands. All checks issued by said board of control shall be signed by its chairman, or in his absence by its vice chairman, and shall be attested by its secretary.

Sec. 4. Chairman and secretary to each give bond in sum of \$15,000.—The chairman of said board of control and the secretary of said board of control shall each give a bond to secure the faithful performance of their respective duties, payable to said city and said county, in the proportionate amounts furnished by the city and county respectively, in supporting said board of control; each of said bonds to be in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), and to be executed by a responsible surety company. Said bonds shall be approved by the board of county commissioners of said county, and shall be deposited with the county treasurer of said county. The premiums upon said bonds shall be paid as other claims against said board of control are paid.

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

Approved January 29, 1915.

CHAPTER 5—H. F. No. 82.

An Act relating to boards of park commissioners in cities in the State of Minnesota which now have or hereafter may have 20,000, and not more than 50,000, inhabitants, and to authorize and empower such boards to issue bonds for filling, bridging, and improving driveways and walks across lakes and providing funds for the improvement, maintenance and government of parks and parkways and for the payment of bonds issued by such boards.

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

Section 1. Bond issue of \$35,000 authorized for park purposes in certain cities.—That in each city in the State of Minnesota which now has or hereafter may have 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants, and which now or hereafter has a board