

Said nets shall not be set deeper than three (3) feet below the surface of the water and there shall be set at one end of each net a stake or pole, projecting at least two feet above the surface of the water.

No nets shall be set nearer together than fifty (50) feet and each net must have attached thereto when in use, a metal tag to be furnished for that purpose by the game and fish commissioner.

No nets authorized by this act, shall be set in any lake except such as are known to contain herring. Any person desiring to use any such net shall first make application for a permit therefor to the game and fish commissioner in writing, which application shall be accompanied by a fee of one (\$1.00) dollar for each net, but no person shall be permitted to use more than two (2) of such nets.

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

Approved April 10, 1917.

CHAPTER 177—S. F. No. 385.

An act authorizing the county board of any county in this state, having an area of over five thousand square miles, and containing a city of the first class, to re-district county commissioners' districts now or hereafter wholly within such city, so as to include in any such commissioner's district such number of election districts in such city and such congressional townships or portion of any township, as the county board of such county shall determine advisable.

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

Section 1. **Re-districting of commissioner districts in St. Louis county.**—That the county board of any county in this state, now or hereafter having an area of over five thousand square miles, and now or hereafter containing a city of the first class, is hereby authorized to re-district any county commissioners' district or districts in such county, now or hereafter wholly included within any such city of the first class, so that any such commissioner's district shall include such number of election districts within such city, and such contiguous congressional townships or part of any township, not less than one-half thereof, as such county board shall determine; provided, however, that all such territory within such city and such township or townships included in any such commissioner's district shall be contiguous territory.

That the re-districting of any commissioner's district under the provisions of this act shall be governed by the statutes now

applicable to the re-districting of such commissioners' districts, except as herein otherwise provided.

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

Approved April 10, 1917.

CHAPTER 178—S. F. No. 527.

An act extending the time in which local building and loan associations in certain cases may renew and extend their corporate existence.

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

Section 1. **Providing for renewal of corporate existence of certain local building and loan associations.**—That in any case where a local building and loan association, created by and under the laws of this state, shall have within the period of its corporate existence, initiated in good faith, proceedings authorized by law for the renewal and extension of its corporate existence, which said proceedings were taken in the month of February, 1916, and were defective, and where notice of the meeting at which the resolution to renew and extend the corporate existence of the corporation was not mailed to each of the stockholders as provided by section 6342 of chapter 58 general statutes of Minnesota, 1913, said corporation shall have up to and including the first day of May, 1917, to issue a new call for a special meeting of the stockholders of such corporation, and mail notice thereof to each of the stockholders at least ten days prior to the date set for such special meeting, and clearly specifying in said call and notice the purpose thereof, to adopt a new resolution to renew and extend its corporate existence, and to properly certify the same, submit it to the department of banking of the state for its approval, and to file with the secretary of state, and to record the same in the office of the register of deeds of the county where such corporation is located, and to have the same published, all according to law, and upon so doing the renewal and extension of the corporate existence of such corporation shall be in all things valid. Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this state.

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

Approved April 10, 1917.