

one million dollars. to be immediately available, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, the same to be paid out on the order of said commission as provided in its by-laws.

**Sec. 10. Unconstitutionality of one section not to affect other sections.**—The provisions of this act are separable and not dependent, and if any provision, section, or part of either, is held unconstitutional, the same shall not affect any other part of this act.

**Sec. 11.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 16, 1917.

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CHAPTER 262—S. F. No. 192.

*An act to amend Section 9276 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 so as to grant to persons sentenced to the state prison or reformatory prior to 1912 the same rights to parole and discharge as is conferred by law as to those convicted subsequent to that year.*

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

**Section 1. Persons sentenced to state prison or reformatory prior to 1912 to have same right of parole and discharge as those sent since that year.**—That section 9276, General Statutes for 1913, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 9276. All persons convicted and sentenced to imprisonment in the state prison or in the reformatory prior to the year 1912 shall have the same right of parole and discharge as those convicted since that year, and all the powers, duties and functions conferred by law upon and exercised by the board of parole with reference to the custody and control of any person convicted of a crime committed subsequent to April 20, 1911, and paroled under the provisions of chapter 298, Laws 1911, and the acts amendatory thereof, shall extend to and be applicable to any such person when paroled.

Approved April 17, 1917.

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CHAPTER 263—S. F. No. 288.

*An act to provide for an additional judge of the municipal court for the city of Minneapolis, Hennepin county, and providing for such judge to act as a court of conciliation and small debtors court.*

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

**Section 1. Additional municipal judge for Minneapolis to be termed conciliation judge.**—A judge of the municipal court for