

according to the provisions of this chapter; and, when such timber has been sold and removed, the land may be appraised and sold as in this chapter provided. Not more than one hundred thousand acres of school lands shall be sold in one year. *Provided, further, however, that where patent has been issued by the federal government to any school land as above defined previous to 1864, and the taxes thereon have been paid for a period of at least fifty years, that then and in such event the state auditor may in his discretion cause such amount of such taxes to be applied upon the minimum price of \$5.00 per acre as above provided, as he may deem proper, in order that the minimum sales price of the land may be so reduced as to make it saleable.*

Approved March 20, 1917.

CHAPTER 77—S. F. No. 737.

An act appropriating the unexpended balance now remaining in the fund appropriated to the live stock sanitary board for payment for animals affected by foot and mouth disease by Subdivision 2, Section 26, General Laws of 1915, and appropriating fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) thereof for payment for any animals killed by order of said board pursuant to the provisions of existing law.

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

Section 1. \$15,000 unexpended balance appropriated for payment of animals killed by order of live stock sanitary board.—The sum of fifteen thousand dollars, (\$15,000.00) of the unexpended balance remaining in the appropriation made by subdivision 2 of section 26, chapter 374, General Laws of 1915, for payment for animals affected with the foot and mouth disease, is hereby appropriated to the live stock sanitary board of the State of Minnesota for the purpose of paying for animals killed by order of the board, to be expended under authority of and pursuant to any of the provisions of law, and the unexpended balance remaining in said appropriation after deducting said fifteen thousand dollars, (\$15,000.00) is hereby appropriated for payment for animals affected with the foot and mouth disease killed by order of the live stock sanitary board available for the period ending July 31, 1919.

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

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