

CHAPTER 311—S. F. No. 162.

An act to amend Section 6171, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the manner of filling vacancies in the board of directors of corporations.

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

Section 1. Election of board of directors and of vacancy on board.—Section 6171 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 is hereby amended to read as follows:

6171. The business of every such corporation, except savings banks, shall be managed by a board of at least three directors, elected by ballot by and from the stockholders or members; *provided, however, that when the certificate of incorporation or the by-laws so provides, a vacancy in the board of directors may be filled by the remaining directors*; provided, however, that not more than one-third of the members of the board may be so filled in any one year; that of savings banks, by a board of at least seven trustees, residents of the county of its location, each of whom, before being authorized to act, shall file a written acceptance of the trust. A majority of the directors or trustees shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

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

Approved April 21, 1919.

CHAPTER 312—S. F. No. 183.

An act amending Section 2 of Chapter 340 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1913, which said chapter is entitled an act to enable the guardians of insane persons to furnish aid for the support and maintenance of children of insane persons in certain cases, the same being Section 7450, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, and legalizing prior proceedings.

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

Section 1. Guardians authorized to furnish aid to insane persons.—That section 7450 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 7450. Before any such aid shall be furnished, the guardian of the property of such insane person, or any child of such insane person, shall make and file with the probate court *having jurisdiction*, a petition in writing, duly verified, setting forth all the facts entitling such child to such aid. Thereupon the judge of probate shall make an order fixing the time and place of the hearing on said petition, a copy of which order, with a copy of the petition, shall be personally served upon such guardian and the superintendent of the insane hospital where such insane person is con-

fixed, at least ten days prior to the time fixed for said hearing. *Provided that any case of guardianship now pending before any probate court where a guardian resides in a different county, all acts and transactions therein conducted under the direction of the court are hereby declared legal, valid and effectual for all purposes*

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

Approved April 21, 1919.

CHAPTER 313—S. F. No. 194.

An act authorizing any village of this state now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant to dispose of surplus electricity to consumers outside the corporate limits of such village.

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

Section 1. **Villages authorized to sell surplus electricity.**—Any village of this state now or hereafter owning and operating an electric light and power plant for the production and distribution of electricity, hereby is authorized and empowered to dispose of any surplus electricity so produced to consumers desiring the same residing outside the corporate limits of such village, at such rates and upon such terms as the village council may deem proper.

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

Approved April 21, 1919.

CHAPTER 314—S. F. No. 238.

An act to amend Section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the duties of the clerk of the county board of education of unorganized territory and providing for the publication of the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of such board.

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

Section 1. **Clerk of county board of education to make annual statement.**—That section 2780, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2780. It shall be the duty of the clerk of the county board of education to make to the state superintendent of schools reports similar to those made by the county superintendent in case of organized districts, and to the county auditors reports similar to those made by the clerk of organized districts.