

with the German Empire and its Allies, and of any person not a soldier who actually served in this state in the Indian war of 1862, and who dies within the county or is brought thereto for interment, and has not left sufficient means to defray the expenses of suitable burial. Such interment shall not be made in any place used exclusively for the burial of the pauper dead, and the relatives or comrades of the deceased, if they so desire, shall be permitted to conduct the burial services.

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

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#### CHAPTER 38—H. F. No. 52.

*An act to authorize the state railroad and warehouse commission to appropriate out of the grain inspection fund under their control such sum as may be found necessary not to exceed thirty-five thousand (\$35,000.00) dollars to be expended under the direction of said state railroad and warehouse commission and commissioner of agriculture for the construction, equipment and operation of a testing mill to be used to grind and test wheat and other grain products to ascertain their true values for flour, food or other purposes.*

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

Section 1. **\$35,000 for testing mill.**—The state railroad and warehouse commission is hereby authorized to appropriate and use out of any moneys in the grain inspection fund in their possession and under their control not otherwise appropriated not to exceed thirty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to construct, equip and operate a proper scientific testing mill to be used to grind and test wheat and other grain products to ascertain their true qualities and value for flour, food, or other purposes, and any monies realized from the sale of such products shall be credited to the grain inspection fund of the railroad and warehouse commission.

Sec. 2. **To be located in the vicinity of St. Paul or Minneapolis.**—The milling equipment to be constructed as contemplated by section 1 of this act, shall be located at such point in the vicinity of St. Paul or Minneapolis as the railroad and warehouse commission in connection with the commissioner of agriculture shall designate, and the same shall be used for the purpose of making all tests of grain or food products that may be needed or required by the grain inspection department or by the department of agriculture, and the products of said mill aside from those used for purely testing purposes, either by the railroad and warehouse commission or by the agricultural department, shall be used or disposed of under the direction of the board of control.

This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage or approval.

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CHAPTER 39—H. F. No. 53.

*An act to provide for licensing by the railroad and warehouse commission of all commission merchants, brokers, factors or agents engaged in handling, buying, selling or soliciting consignments of live stock at any public stock yards, and to fix the commission that may be charged by them, providing rules and regulations and providing penalties.*

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

Section 1. **Defined—License—Bond.**—All commission merchants, brokers, or agents, or any person whomsoever engaged in soliciting consignments of live stock to be handled for the account of the shipper handling, buying or selling any live stock at any public stock yards, shall be known as "Live Stock Commission Merchants," and as such shall be required to first procure a license from the railroad and warehouse commission, hereinafter designated as the commission, and furnish a bond to the state of Minnesota for not more than the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00), which bond shall be a continuous surety bond to be made in such form as the commission may prescribe. The railroad and warehouse commission may prescribe as bond for such an amount for dealers as will in its opinion be sufficient for the protection of persons doing business with any dealer taking into consideration the volume of business done by such dealer.

For the purpose of this subdivision the term "Live Stock" shall include cattle, sheep, hogs, horses and mules. Nothing in this act shall apply to any person, firm, copartnership, association or corporation, who shall sell their own consignment of live stock or to any person, firm, copartnership, association or corporation, who shall buy live stock for their own use or for the purpose of feeding.

Sec. 2. **Application for license—Revocation of license.**—On or before the first of December in each year the persons specified in section one (1) of this act shall make an application to the commission in writing for a license to conduct the business of a live stock commission merchant. This application shall set forth the name of the individual, firm or corporation and each member of the firm or officer of the corporation, the point or points at which the applicant intends to do business, postoffice address and the location of the general office of such applicant. A separate bond and license shall be required for each point at which such applicant intends to do business.