

Section 1. Railroad and Warehouse Commission may require scales installed.—After an investigation and hearing, upon its own motion, the Railroad and Warehouse Commission is hereby authorized to require the installation of track scales at terminal warehouses where it shall find such installation to be practicable and to be necessary for the prompt and economical weighing of grain and grain products at such warehouses, provided that the expense of such installation shall be born by the owner of such warehouse.

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

Approved April 7, 1921.

CHAPTER 173—S. F. No. 278.

An act to amend subdivision 6 of Section 7243 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to descent of personal estate and distribution so as to provide for escheat of personal property in certain cases.

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

Section 1. Personal property to escheat in certain cases.—That subdivision 6 of Section 7243 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 be amended so as to read as follows:

6. The residue, if any, of the personal estate shall be distributed as follows: One-third thereof to the surviving spouse, if any, free from any testamentary disposition thereof to which such survivor shall not have consented in writing; the remainder of such residue, or, if there be no surviving spouse, then the whole thereof, except as otherwise disposed of by will, shall be distributed in the same proportions to the same persons and for the same purposes as prescribed for descent of real estate by Sec. 7738, subdivision 1-6; *provided, however, that if the intestate leaves no spouse nor kindred, his personal property, if any, shall escheat to the State.*

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

Approved April 7, 1921.

CHAPTER 174—S. F. No. 417.

An act to fix the time of holding general terms of the district court in and for the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, and repealing all inconsistent acts.

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

Section 1. Terms of court in Seventeenth Judicial District.—The general terms of the district court to be held each year in the