

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

Section 1. Fixing salaries of certain village officers.—That Subdivision Two of Section One, of Chapter 116, Laws of Minnesota for 1925, be amended so as to read as follows :

Subdivision 2. In villages, not included in any of the foregoing classifications, having both a population of not less than Two thousand inhabitants and an assessed valuation of not less than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars, or having a population of not less than One thousand four hundred inhabitants and an assessed valuation of not less than Eight million (\$8,000,000) dollars, the salary of the President is fixed at Eighty (\$80.00) dollars per month and the salary of each Trustee at Sixty (\$60.00) dollars per month.

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

Approved March 22, 1927.

CHAPTER 59—S. F. No. 460

An act to amend Section 4508, Statutes of 1923, relating to the State Hospitals and Asylums for the Insane.

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

Section 1. School of Homeopathy at Fergus Falls abolished.—That Section 4508, Statutes of 1923, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

4508. The state hospitals for the insane at St. Peter, Rochester, and Fergus Falls, and the state asylums for the insane at Anoka and Hastings, shall be maintained, under the general management of the board of control, and all conveyances and transfers of land, buildings, property, and funds heretofore made for any of them, are hereby confirmed. The chief executive officer of each shall be known as the superintendent.

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

Approved March 22, 1927.

CHAPTER 60—S. F. No. 764

An act to authorize the Secretary of State to administer oaths and take acknowledgments and to legalize oaths heretofore administered and acknowledgments heretofore taken by the Secretary of State.

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

Section 1. Secretary of State to take acknowledgments and administer oaths.—The secretary of state shall have power to administer oaths and take acknowledgments and to certify the same, appending the great seal of the state as the seal of his office.

Sec. 2. Acts legalized.—All oaths heretofore administered and acknowledgments heretofore taken by any secretary of state, and all instruments bearing such oaths or acknowledgments and the records of such instruments and of all such oaths or acknowledgments, where the same have been recorded as provided by law, are hereby legalized and made valid and effectual for all purposes as if such oaths have been administered or acknowledgments taken by an officer duly authorized by law; provided, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to or affect any action or proceeding now pending in any court of this state.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 22, 1927.

CHAPTER 61—S. F. No. 62

An act to consolidate and amend the several acts and amendments relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Mankato, Blue Earth County, Minnesota.

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

Section 1. Title of act.—The act entitled "An act to establish a municipal court in the City of Mankato, Blue Earth County, Minnesota" approved March 7, 1885, and the subsequent acts of the Legislature amending the same are hereby consolidated and amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 2. Jurisdiction—civil.—There is hereby established in the City of Mankato, in the County of Blue Earth, a municipal court for the transaction of all business which may lawfully come before it. Said court shall be a court of record, and shall have a clerk and a seal, and shall have jurisdiction to hear, try and determine civil actions at law, where the amounts in controversy do not exceed one thousand (1,000) dollars. It shall have jurisdiction to hear, try and determine actions for the enforcement of all liens against personal property wherein the amount or amounts in controversy do not exceed one thousand (1,000) dollars. It shall not have jurisdiction of actions for divorce, nor of any action where the relief asked for in the complaint is purely equitable in its nature except as herein