such territory to an adjoining city of the first class, or consents to the annexation of all the territory of such city or village of the fourth class to such adjoining city of the first class as the case may be and a certified copy of such resolution shall thereafter be filed with the clerk of such city of the first class, who shall present the same to the council of such city of the first class at its next regular meeting."

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## CHAPTER 404— H. F. No. 363

An act to amend Laws of 1925, Chapter 192, Section 2, Subdivision 5, as amended by Laws of 1927, Chapter 66, and to add a new Subdivision to be known as Subdivision 11, relating to the regulation of sales and purchases and attempted sales and purchases within the State of Minnesota of stocks, bonds, notes, and other securities and agreements.

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

Section 1. Listed Securities.—That Laws of 1925, Chapter 192, Section 2, Subdivision 5, as amended by Laws of 1927, Chapter 66, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"(5) Securities listed on the New York Stock Exchange, New York Curb Exchange, Boston Stock Exchange, Board of Trade of the city of Chicago and Chicago Stock Exchange, which securities have been so listed pursuant to official authorization by such exchange, and all securities senior to any securities so listed, subscription rights so listed, or evidences of indebtedness guaranteed by companies any stock of which is so listed, such securities to be exempt only so long as such listing shall remain in effect."

Sec. 2. Commission may revoke status.—That a new subdivision to be designated as subdivision 11 be added to Laws of 1925, Chapter 192, Section 2, to read as follows:

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"(11) The Commission may, by written order, temporarily suspend or wholly revoke the exempt status of any security exempted by this section."

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

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## CHAPTER 405—H. F. No. 376

An act to provide relief for certain officers, soldiers, marines, nurses, and the surviving wives, minor children, mothers and fathers thereof, providing for the issuance of certificates of indebtedness for the raising of necessary funds therefor; and for the retirement of the same by money raised from a tax levy provided therefor, and the creation of a board to issue such certificates and the administration of this act and the expenditures of and disbursments of funds by the adjutant general, and appropriating \$1,500,000.00 therefor, and making it a misdemeanor for any claimant to transfer or attempt to transfer his right or claim and for any other person to acquire or attempt to acquire any interest therein before the issuance of the auditor's warrant therefor.

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

Section 1. Definition.—That the word "soldier" as used in this act, shall mean any officer, soldier, sailor, marine or nurse who was a part of the military or naval forces of the United States during the Spanish American War, Philippine Insurrection, and China Relief Expedition, and who was a bona fide resident of the State of Minnesota, at the time such soldier was commissioned, enlisted, appointed, mustered into, or as a nurse contracted into the military or naval service of the United States, and who rendered service subsequent to April 11, 1898, and prior to the official termination of hostilities of the Philippine Insurrection, July 4, 1902, and who was given an honorable or ordinary discharge or release from such service; provided, that where a discharge was given due