

CHAPTER 376—S. F. No. 1215

An act to amend Subdivision (4), Section 5630, Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927, relating to the general powers of the Commissioner of Game and Fish.

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

Section 1. **General powers of game and fish commissioner.**—That Subdivision (4), Section 5630, Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927, be amended to read as follows:

"(4) To collect, compile, disseminate and publish statistics and information germane to the purpose of this act *and to the Department of Conservation*, including the publication of a department journal or magazine for the publication of matter pertaining to conservation only, to fix and determine the name and the annual subscription price thereof, and to accept for publication therein appropriate advertising material. The money received for such subscriptions and advertising material shall be paid into the State Treasury by the Commissioner and the amount thereof is hereby annually appropriated to the Game and Fish Department for the purpose of defraying the cost of the editing, publication and mailing thereof, provided, however, that said journal or magazine shall be self-sustaining; that no funds to defray the cost thereof shall be diverted from the Game and Fish Department, or from the general revenue fund of the state. Such journal or magazine shall be distributed free of charge only to schools, libraries, daily and weekly newspapers and trade publications published in Minnesota, the heads of State Departments and Bureaus of Minnesota and to the heads of Game and Fish Departments of other states.

The said department journal or magazine or any other bulletin or publication now issued, or that may at any time hereafter be issued, by the Department of Game and Fish, shall not be known or designated as the official publication of any sportsmen's organizations."

Sec. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby modified and amended so far as may be necessary to give full force and effect to the provisions of this Act.

Approved April 21, 1933.

CHAPTER 377—H. F. No. 1283

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1002-1 relating to the dissolution of townships.

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

Section 1. **Townships may be dissolved, when.**—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1002-1 is amended so as to read as follows:

"1002-1. Whenever the voters residing within a duly organized civil township in this state have failed to elect any township officials for more than ten years continuously immediately prior to the taking effect of this Act, or said township has failed and omitted for a period of 10 years to exercise any of the powers and functions of an organized civil township as provided by law, or *whenever the assessed valuation of any duly organized civil township drops to less than \$50,000.00, or whenever the tax delinquency of any such township amounts to 50 per cent of its assessed valuation, or where the state has acquired title to 50 per cent of the real estate of such township*, which facts or any of them may be found and determined by the resolution of the county board of the county in which said township is located, according to the official records in the office of the county auditor of said county, the county board by resolution *shall declare any such township, naming the same, duly dissolved and no longer entitled to exercise any of the powers or functions of an organized township.*"

Approved April 21, 1933.

CHAPTER 378—H. F. No. 1482

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3965-9, regulating the manufacture and sale of soft drinks, cereal beverages and other non-alcoholic beverages.

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

Section 1. **Carbonated beverages defined.**—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3965-9, be amended so as to read as follows:

"3965-9. A carbonated or still beverage within the meaning of this Act, shall be a beverage made of pure cane, beet sugar, *and/or refined corn sugar*, with pure water, and pure flavoring materials, with or without fruit acids and harmless coloring materials, and the finished product shall contain not less than seven per centum of sugar and less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of one per centum of alcohol by volume. All carbonated or still beverages not conforming to the above re-