

rials therefrom at public auction upon three days' posted notice, and all expenses incurred by the state fire marshal shall be paid out of the moneys received from such auction of salvage material and any deficit remaining unpaid thereafter may be paid out of the funds created by and provided for in Section 5973 of Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927. Should any surplus remain of the amount received for salvage material after deducting the expenses incurred by the State Fire Marshal such surplus shall be paid to the county treasurer of the county where the property was situated to be distributed by him as provided by law."

Approved April 4, 1941.

CHAPTER 124—H. F. No. 851

An act relating to the term of office of mayor in any city of the fourth class having less than 1,000 inhabitants and not operating under a home rule charter.

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

Section 1. **Terms of mayor in certain cities of the fourth class.**—In every city having a population of less than 1,000 and not operating under a home rule charter, the term of the mayor shall be two years and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Approved April 5, 1941.

CHAPTER 125—S. F. No. 83

An act to prohibit the sale, offering or exposing for sale of fireworks, and to regulate the manner of their use, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act.

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

Section 1. **Fireworks defined.**—As used in this act the term "fireworks" means any substance or combination of substances or article prepared for the purpose of producing a visible or an audible effect by combustion, explosion, deflagration or detonation, and includes blank cartridges, toy cannons, and toy canes in which explosives are used, the type of balloons which require fire underneath to propel them, firecrack-