

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

Section 1. Compensation of members of County Board in certain counties.—In all counties of this state now, or hereafter, having an assessed valuation of not more than \$13,000,000.00 and not less than \$9,500,000.00, exclusive of moneys and credits, and having a population of not more than 19,750 and not less than 15,000 according to the last federal census, and having not more than 13 and not less than 12 full or fractional congressional townships, each member of the county board shall receive a salary of \$50.00 per month, payable on the first day of each calendar month in the manner provided by law for the payment of salaries of county officers.

Approved March 15, 1943.

CHAPTER 133—S. F. No. 117.

(AMENDING SECTIONS 306.37 and 306.78 MINNESOTA STATUTES 1941.)

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 7591 and 7616, relating to the improvement fund of cemetery associations.

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 7591, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"7591. Fund, how constituted.—Twenty per cent of the proceeds of all sales of cemetery lots made after the vote of the trustees to establish said care and improvement fund shall be paid over to such board or trustee, on January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1, in each year, until the principal of said fund shall amount to at least one hundred thousand dollars; and any other income or funds of the association, in excess of its liabilities, may be added to such fund by a two-thirds vote of its trustees. But the principal of such fund shall in no event exceed five thousand dollars for each acre of the cemetery, nor one million dollars in the aggregate. *The words "cemetery lots" as used in this section shall not be construed to include burial space in a mausoleum. Each such cemetery association shall take not less than ten per cent of the proceeds of all sales of burial space hereafter made in a mausoleum for such fund, which shall be paid over on the first days of January, April, July and October of each year to the trustee or*

trustees of said fund, and such payments shall thereafter become a part of such permanent care and improvement fund. The term "burial space" as used herein shall include private rooms, crypts, niches or other designated space in which the bodies or ashes of deceased persons are placed for permanent burial in a mausoleum.

Sec. 2. **Law amended.**—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 7616, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"7616. Same—percentage of sale of lots to be paid into fund—other additions to fund.—Each such cemetery association shall take not less than 20 per cent for such fund of the proceeds of all sales hereafter of cemetery lots, which shall be paid over on the first days of January, April, July and October of each year to the trustee or trustees of said fund, and such payments shall thereafter become a part of such permanent care and improvement fund. Any other income or funds not required by such association for other purposes may from time to time be added to said fund by a vote of at least two-thirds of the members of the said board of trustees of the association. *The words "cemetery lots" as used in this section shall not be construed to include burial space in a mausoleum. Each such cemetery association shall take not less than ten per cent of the proceeds of all sales of burial space hereafter made in a mausoleum for such fund, which shall be paid over on the first days of January, April, July and October of each year to the trustee or trustees of said fund, and such payments shall thereafter become a part of such permanent care and improvement fund. The term "burial space" as used herein shall include private rooms, crypts, niches or other designated space in which the bodies or ashes of deceased persons are placed for permanent burial in a mausoleum.*"

Approved March 15, 1943.

CHAPTER 134—S. F. No. 425.

An act to permit the State of Minnesota to be made a party defendant in certain cases.

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

Section 1. State of Minnesota may be made defendant in certain cases.—In all cases not otherwise provided for, the consent of the State of Minnesota is given to be named a party in any suit which is now pending or which may hereafter be brought in