

each district then in that event said commission shall certify those having the next highest rating without regard to party affiliation in order that six persons may be certified for each district. Should the list certified by said civil service commission not contain the names of sufficient qualified persons in each election district, the city clerk shall appoint a sufficient number of qualified voters of the district to act as such judges and clerks. Vacancies in the office of judges and clerks shall be filled by the city clerk from the list certified by said civil service commission. The commission shall certify additional names to the city clerk when the eligible list for any election district is exhausted. No two election judges or clerks or an election judge and a clerk shall reside in the same building. No two judges or clerks in any district shall bear the relationship to each other of husband and wife, parent or child or brother or sister, nor shall bear that relationship to any candidate for election, or any officer or employee of such city. No city official or employee shall act as judge or clerk. Any person appointed as a judge or clerk under this section shall not acquire any right or status as a regular city employee.

Sec. 2. **Effective date.** This act takes effect January 1, 1948.

Approved April 7, 1947.

CHAPTER 271—H. F. No. 1105

[Coded as Section 85.176]

An act establishing and dedicating William O'Brien State Park.

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

[85.176] **William O'Brien State Park.** Section 1. Subdivision 1. **Creation.** The following described lands situated in the County of Washington, State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lot 7 in Section 30 and Lots 1 and 2 and the West half of the Northeast quarter of Section 31, all in Township 32, Range 19, conveyed to the state as a gift by Alice M. O'Brien by deed dated November 1, 1945, and accepted by the commissioner of conservation, are hereby withdrawn from sale and the same shall be under the supervision and control of the commissioner of conservation as provided for other state parks.

Sec. 2. Subd. 2. Name. Pursuant to the conditions contained in said deed the said lands are hereby dedicated to perpetual use of the people as a public park known as William O'Brien State Park.

Approved April 7, 1947.

CHAPTER 272—H. F. No. 1123

[Not Coded]

An act relating to county fairgrounds and the improvement thereof in counties now or hereafter containing not less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships.

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

Section 1. **Appropriation for county fairgrounds in certain counties.** In every county in this state now or hereafter containing not less than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, the board of county commissioners is authorized to expend annually from the county revenue fund, out of any moneys not required to defray other expenses chargeable against such fund, such amount as the commissioners may determine to be necessary for the purpose of improving the county fairgrounds and erecting buildings thereon to be used for county and agricultural fairs.

Approved April 7, 1947.

CHAPTER 273—H. F. No. 1137

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the commissioner of conservation to sell certain swamp lands.

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

Section 1. **Sale of certain swamp lands authorized.** The commissioner of conservation is hereby authorized to sell lot 5, section 16, township 146, range 34, in the same manner as provided by law for the sale of other state swamp lands, notwithstanding the fact that such lands may lie within a