

certain counties; amending Laws 1945, Chapter 333, Section 5, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1945, Chapter 333, Section 5, as amended by Laws 1949, Chapter 552, is amended to read:

Sec. 5. **Effective until May 1, 1953.** The annual salary of the register of deeds of any county established by the provisions of this act shall be effective only for a period commencing on May 1, 1949 and terminating on May 1, 1953.

Approved March 24, 1951.

CHAPTER 144—S. F. No. 701

(Not Coded)

An act relating to firemen's relief associations and firemen's pensions and levy therefor in certain cities of the fourth class; amending Laws 1935, Chapter 208, Section 1, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1935, Chapter 208, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1937, Chapter 132, and Laws 1937, Chapter 253, is amended to read:

Section 1. **Firemen's retirement pensions, certain cities of fourth class.** In any city of the fourth class having a population in excess of 6,000 and not more than 10,000 and a valuation in excess of \$9,000,000 exclusive of money and credits, and an area of more than four square miles, and having a Fire Department Relief Association organized under the laws of this state and authorized to pay pensions under Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 1919, 1920, and 3723 to 3728, or any amendments thereof, such association may pay retirement pensions in excess of the amounts so authorized, but not in excess of the following total amounts:

\$100 per month to each member of the association who shall have reached the age of 55 years and shall have served 20 years or more as a member of the paid municipal fire department in such city. The monthly payments of \$100 may be increased by adding thereto an amount not exceeding \$5.00 per month for each year of active duty over 20 years of service before retiring; provided, that no such pension or payment shall exceed the sum of \$125 per month. No such pension shall be paid to any person while he remains a member of the fire department.

Approved March 24, 1951.

CHAPTER 145—S. F. No. 869

(Not Coded)

An act relating to tax levies for sewage disposal plants in certain cities of the fourth class, having a population in excess of 5,000 and assessed valuation of real and personal property in excess of \$4,000,000 and which valuation consists of 50 per cent iron ore; amending Laws 1947, Chapter 477, Section 1.

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 477, Section 1, is amended to read :

Section 1. **Sewage disposal fund, tax levy.** The governing body of any city of the fourth class, however organized, having a population in excess of 5,000 and an assessed valuation of real and personal property in excess of \$4,000,000, and which valuation consists of 50 per cent iron ore, may establish a sewage disposal fund, from which moneys may be expended only for the purpose of acquiring the necessary site for, and of constructing, enlarging, or improving a sewage disposal plant. It may levy for said fund an annual tax not exceeding ten mills, for not to exceed *seven* consecutive years, which levy may be made in excess of any charter millage limitations, but not in excess of the limitations of Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 275.11.

Approved March 24, 1951.