of court of any county in Class A, \$650; in Class B, \$750; in Class C, \$800; in Class D, \$900; in Class E, \$1,000; in Class F, or in any county with a taxable valuation of more than \$6,000,000 wherein during the preceding year indictments and informations have been returned against at least ten defendants or wherein the district court shall have been held for 20 days or more, \$1,100; in Class G, \$1,200; in Class H, \$1,300; in Class I, \$1,400; in Class J, \$1,500; in Class K, \$1,600; in Class L, \$1,800. For all services rendered by such clerks, except as included in sections 485.011 to 485.014, they shall receive the same fees and compensation as now provided by law. At the end of each year, in each county having less than 45,000 inhabitants, upon a showing by the clerk of court to the county auditor by a sworn statement that the salary herein provided, together with all fees and emoluments for official services, has not equaled \$2,000, the auditor shall issue to such clerk a warrant for an amount sufficient to make all the returns from said office equal the sum of \$2,000. In counties having an assessed valuation of less than \$7,000,000, where the salary, fees, and emoluments have not equaled \$1,500 the auditor shall issue a warrant for an amount sufficient to make all returns from said office equal the sum of \$1,500. When it appears to the county board of any county having a population less than 45,000, upon a showing made by the clerk thereof, that the salary provided in sections 485.011 to 485.014 is inadequate for the services performed by such clerk for such county, the county board may increase such salary at any regular meeting of such board to a just and reasonable salary for the services of such clerk. If dissatisfied with the action of the county board, such clerk may appeal to the district court within 30 days by filing with the auditor a notice thereof. The court, either in term or vacation and upon eight days notice to the chairman of the county board, shall hear such appeal and determine the amount of such salary for the term of office by its order, copy of which shall be filed with the county auditor. In any county with a taxable valuation less than \$6,000,000, the clerk shall be allowed no fees, in excess of 1,000 descriptions, for entering the annual real estate tax judgments, but such fees shall be included in every case in entering said judgments.

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CHAPTER 623-H. F. No. 291

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the commissioner of conservation to reconstruct certain water control structures located in Grant county, acquire lands and easements and appropriating money therefor.

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

- Section 1. Pomme de Terre Lake; water level. In order to maintain a more desirable range of water levels on Pomme de Terre Lake, Grant county, the commissioner of conservation is authorized and directed to reconstruct, modify and maintain the dam at the outlet of Pomme de Terre Lake by providing a permanent spillway with a fixed crest at elevation 1165.7 feet, sea level datum; together with such other modifications and repairs as may be necessary to permit the discharge of water from the lake.
- Sec. 2. The commissioner of conservation shall, before the construction authorized in section 1 is started, acquire by gift, purchase, or condemnation under Minnesota Statutes 1961, Chapter 117 and acts amendatory thereto, all necessary rights and easements in lands which will be affected by such construction.
- Sec. 3. The sum of \$10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary is appropriated to the commissioner of conservation for the purposes of this act out of the moneys in the state treasury credited to the general revenue fund to be used to defray the cost and expense of the department of conservation in the acquisition, improvement, development and maintenance of sites for public access to public waters and for lake improvement.

Approved May 13, 1963.

CHAPTER 624—H. F. No. 469

An act relating to elections; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 203.21, Subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 203.21, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Section 203.21 **Judges of election.** Subdivision 1. **Appointment, qualification.** Except in cities of the first class the council of each municipality and the county board in unorganized territory shall appoint, in the manner provided for in this section, qualified voters in each precinct therein to be judges of election. The appointments shall be made at least 25 days before any election. The appointments shall be made from the list of qualified voters provided for in this section subject to the limitations of Section 203.22, Subdivision 1. The council or county board may make such rules as

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