

December following: Provided that no wood duck shall be taken, killed or had in possession before *Sept. 16th, 1920.*

And when any of the birds mentioned in this section have been lawfully caught, taken, killed or had in possession within the time herein allowed, they may be had in possession for five days thereafter, but no person shall, in any one day, take or kill more than *five* birds of any kind and all varieties, except wild ducks of which not over fifteen shall be taken or killed in one day or have in his possession at any time more than thirty game birds of any and all varieties, except wild ducks of which not more than forty-five may be had in possession at any one time, (provided that not more than ten (10) quail may be taken or killed in one day and that not over twenty (20) quail may be had in possession at any one time.) *No person shall take or kill more than twenty-five (25) prairie chickens or pinnated grouse, or thirty (30) quail in any one open season.* Provided, that whenever any of the game mentioned in this section shall have been lawfully shot or taken by any resident of this state in any state wherein the season for so lawfully taking the same shall be earlier or later than herein stated, such resident may ship, to himself only in this state, and have in possession therein during the seasons allowed by the law of such state for the taking thereof any such game so lawfully taken in such state and for five days thereafter.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 29, 1917.

CHAPTER 122—S. F. No. 497.

An act authorizing and empowering any city of this state having a population of not more than 10,000 inhabitants; to provide for a heating plant, the same to be of municipal or private ownership.

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

Section 1. Cities of 10,000 or less authorized to provide for municipal or private ownership heating plants.—Any city of this state having a population of not more than 10,000 inhabitants, is hereby authorized and empowered:

(a) To grant to any person, persons, company or corporation, the right of the use of the streets, alleys and other public grounds of such city for the erection, operation and maintenance of any heating system to furnish heat to the inhabitants of such city, the same to be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the governing body of such city shall determine, including therein the right to sell to such person, persons, company or corporation, at a profit to such city, any steam gen-

erated or water heated by any plant owned and operated by such city, and to make contracts and arrangements for the furnishing of heat to the inhabitants of such city thereby, and for the regulation and control of such heating system.

(b) To grant to any person, persons, company or corporation the right of the use of the streets, alleys and other public grounds of such city for the installation, without any expense to such city, of pipes, conduits and other equipment necessary and incidental to the construction, operation and maintenance of a heating system to furnish heat to the inhabitants of such city, the same to be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the governing body of such city shall determine, including the right to make all necessary and incidental contracts and arrangements for the furnishing of heat to the inhabitants of such city, at a profit to such city, from any steam generated or water heated by any plant owned and operated by such city, including the right to acquire, own, operate and enlarge the heating system after the same shall have been installed, and including the right to issue certificates of indebtedness of such city payable in heat to be sold by such city.

Sec. 2. Not to be considered as a limitation on present indebtedness.—The obligation incurred by any such city in the making of such contracts and arrangements shall not be considered as a part of its indebtedness under the provisions of its governing charter or of any law of this state fixing a limit of indebtedness for such city.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 29, 1917.

CHAPTER 123—S. F. No. 533.

An act authorizing all cities having a population of not more than 10,000 inhabitants or less, incorporated under the General Laws of this state, to construct and rebuild curbs and gutters, and to assess the benefits thereof upon the lots or parcels of land adjoining the said curbs or gutters, to make such assessments payable in three annual installments with interest, and authorizing such city to issue orders therefor bearing interest payable in accordance with said assessments.

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

Section 1. Cities of 10,000 or less authorized to construct or rebuild curbs and gutters.—Whenever the governing body of any city have a population of ten thousand inhabitants or less, incorporated under the general laws of this state, shall deem it necessary and expedient to construct or rebuild any curb