the laws of this state in so far as such powers are enumerated in section 727 of the Revised Laws of the State of Minnesota, 1905, and subdivisions 1, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, and 22 of said section 727. Also have the powers enumerated in sections 729 and 735, Revised Laws of the State of Minnesota, 1905.

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

Approved April 15, 1907.

CHAPTER 194--H. F. No. 808.

An Act entitled An act to authorize any city in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants to provide necessary funds for the support and maintenance of its engineering and building inspection department's and fix the maximum expenditure each year therefor.

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

Maximum expenditures of certain departments by common council.—Section 1. That any city in the State now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, in addition to all powers now possessed by it, shall have the power and authority, acting by and through its common council, to fix the maximum expenditures each year for the support and maintenance of its engineering and building inspection departments and to include the amount so fixed in the current annual tax levy for such city.

- Sec. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 15, 1907.