Seven or more persons of lawful age, inhabitants of How formed. this state, may, by written articles of agreement, associate themselves together for the purposes of trade or for carrying on an lawful mercantile, manufacturing, agricultural or rural telephone business within this state; and when such articles of association shall have been executed and recorded in the office of the clerk of the city or town record. in which the business is to be carried on, such persons shall be and become a corporation, and enjoy all the pow- Powers. ers and privileges, and can buy and hold stock in other corporations organized for the same general purpose, and be subject to all duties, restrictions and liabilities set forth in all general laws in relation to similar corporations, except so far as the same may be limited or enlarged by this act.

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

Approved April 18, 1905.

CHAPTER 277.

H. F. No. 538.

An act to add certain lands to Itasca State Park.

Itasca State Park.

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

Section 1. The west one-half $(W^{1/2})$ of the west Certain one-half $(W^{1/2})$ of section twenty (20), and the west added to. one-half (W1/2) of the northwest one-quarter (NW1/4) of section twenty-nine (29), all in township one hundred forty-three (143) north of range thirty-five (35) west, situated in Hubbard county, is hereby added to and made a part of Itasca State Park.

Sec. 2. Chapter 218 of the Laws of 1903 is hereby

repealed.

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

Approved April 18, 1905.