

CHAPTER CLIII.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF FREEBORN, TO SELL THE FREEBORN COUNTY POOR FARM.

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

SECTION 1. That the county commissioners of the county of Freeborn are hereby authorized to sell and convey the northwest quarter of section twenty-eight (28), the east half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29), and the south half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-one (21), in township one hundred and three (103), of range twenty-one (21), known as the Freeborn county poor farm, upon such terms, as to time and manner of payment, as shall be deemed most advantageous to the county; *Provided, That not less than twenty per cent. of the principal shall be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale.*

SEC. 2. The deed of conveyance shall be signed by a majority of the county commissioners, and countersigned by the county auditor, to which shall be attached the official seal of the county.

SEC. 3. The county commissioners, are hereby authorized to receive as security for that part of the principal upon which time shall be given, a mortgage executed by the purchaser in favor of the said county commissioners and their successors in office.

SEC. 4. The proceeds arising from the sale of said poor farm, shall constitute a fund for the relief of the poor, and shall be apportioned among the several towns of the said county of Freeborn, according to the valuation of property at the last assessment previous to each distribution.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 29, 1876.