

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 3, 1877.

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### CHAPTER 140.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONERS OF DAKOTA COUNTY TO REFUND CERTAIN TAXES IMPROPERLY ASSESSED.

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

SECTION 1. That the commissioners of Dakota county are hereby authorized to refund to M. B. Dayton the taxes improperly assessed for improvements upon the west half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the south-west quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the south-west quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of section thirty-three (33), township one hundred and fifteen (115), north of range seventeen (17), situated in Dakota county of this State, for the years one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (1874), one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (1875), and one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (1876), there being no improvements thereon, and the said taxes having been paid under protest, in order to enable the said owner of the said real property to redeem the same from the judgment and sale of the same for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three (1873).

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

Approved March 1, 1877.

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### CHAPTER 141.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TREASURER OF STEARNS COUNTY TO PAY OVER CERTAIN MONEYS.

WHEREAS, There are certain moneys in the hands of the treasurer of Stearns county belonging to the late town of Verdale,

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

SECTION 1. That the treasurer of Stearns county is hereby authorized and required to give notice to the holders of unpaid orders of the late town of Verdale, in said county, to present the same at his office for registration and payment, on or before July first (1st), one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven (1877). Said notice shall be given by publishing the same in each of the newspapers published at the county seat of said Stearns county, at least three (3) times before June the fifteenth (15th), one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven (1877), and all expenses of said publication shall be paid by said treasurer out of moneys in his hands belonging to said town of Verdale.

SEC. 2. That on the tenth (10th) day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven (1877), said county treasurer pay to the holders of the orders of said town of Verdale, presented to him, as provided by the preceding section, such percentage of the amounts due thereon, as the sum of money in his hands belonging to said town of Verdale will permit.

SEC. 3. Should any moneys remain in the hands of said treasurer belonging to said town of Verdale, after paying the amounts found due on its orders as aforesaid, the balance shall forthwith be paid by said treasurer to the treasurers of the towns of Crow Lake, Lake Henry, North Fork, Paynesville and Zion, in said county, share and share alike, and for the use of said towns.

SEC. 4. Chapter one hundred (100) of the Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (1875), is hereby repealed.

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

Approved February 28, 1877.

## CHAPTER 142.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TRUSTEES OF THE MINNESOTA HOSPITAL FOR INSANE TO CONVEY REAL ESTATE.

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

SECTION 1. That the trustees of the Minnesota hospital for insane be and they are hereby authorized to convey by warrant deed of conveyance; to Alexander Pettis, the lots numbers two (2) and three (3), in section [number] six (6), in township number one hundred and nine (109), north of range number twenty-six (26)