

resolution of the directors of the former company, an agreement to the said Saint Paul Union Depot Company, to conform to the by-laws and regulations of said last named corporation, and to pay such rate of mileage and charges for the use of or in relation to the road, tracks, union depot and appurtenances of said last named corporation as is required to be paid by other railroad corporations or railroad companies using the same, appoint or elect in like manner an additional director of the said Saint Paul Union Depot Company.

Each of the said companies entitled to appoint and elect directors, may respectively fill any vacancy for the unexpired term of office of any director.

Each director aforesaid shall hold office until his successor shall file his certificate of election or appointment with the secretary of the Saint Paul Union Depot Company.

SEC. 4. There shall be no unjust discrimination against or in favor of any railroad corporation or railroad company using or desiring to use the said road, tracks and union depot of the said The Saint Paul Union Depot Company, but the terms, conditions and regulations adopted for the same shall be, as far as practicable, uniform, and apply alike to all railroads using or desiring to use the said road, tracks and union depot of the said The Saint Paul Union Depot Company.

SEC. 5. The said The Saint Paul Union Depot Company may accept this act by a resolution of its directors, a copy of which shall be certified by its president under the corporate seal of said corporation, and filed in the office of secretary of state of this state.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1879.

CHAPTER CCCXIX.

AN ACT IN RELATION TO COMO PARK IN THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL.

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

SECTION 1. That the common council of the city of Saint Paul, by a three-fourth vote of all the members elect, is hereby authorized and empowered to plat and divide up into lots and blocks of suitable size for the purpose hereinafter named, part or all of the property situated in the city of Saint Paul known as Como Park, and to lease the same for a term not exceeding fifty years from date of the passage of this act, at such rent as the common council may determine and fix, for manufacturing purposes, machine shops, and stock yards, and for no other purpose whatever, and no greater amount of land shall be leased to one person, firm or corporation than is necessary to carry on the business advantageously for which

the same shall be leased, and which business shall be named in the lease, and each of said leases to be valid must contain a proviso to the effect that in case the property shall be used for any other purpose than that expressed in the lease, or shall cease to be used, then and in that event said lease shall be absolutely void. *Provided*, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to so much of said lands as lie within fifty rods of the shore of lake Como.

SEC. 2. The common council is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase the necessary land for right of way, and approaches for one or more railway tracks, from the track of the St. Paul and Pacific railroad to said park grounds.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved February 26, 1879.

CHAPTER CCCXX.

AN ACT RELATING TO CERTAIN DELINQUENT TAXES IN THE COUNTY OF SCOTT AND THE COLLECTION OF THE SAME.

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

SECTION 1. That the board of county commissioners of Scott county shall have the power, and it is made their duty, to enquire into and ascertain all real estate in said county on which taxes have been levied for any preceding year or years, and which taxes have in fact not been paid to the county treasurer, and are not included in the proper list as delinquent, nor sold or offered for sale for non-payment thereof, and which real estate has never been subject to proceedings for judgment or sale for the non-payment of such taxes; and the auditor of said county shall enter such real estate at the foot of the next list of delinquent taxes of said county, stating the amount of the delinquency on each parcel of real estate so found delinquent in fact, the year or years for which the delinquency occurred, and proceeding for the collection of such taxes, and the sale and forfeiture of such real estate, shall be had in the same manner and at the same times as provided by law for delinquent taxes of the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

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

Approved March 6, 1879.