CHAPTER 357.

[H. F. No. 724.]

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DRAINAGE OF MARSH AND MEADOW LANDS BORDERING ON BALDWIN LAKE, IN ANOKA COUNTY, IN THIS STATE, AND FOR THE APPORTIONMENT AND PAYMENT OF THE BENEFITS, DAMAGES, AND EXPENSES INCIDENT THERETO, ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHT (108) OF THE GENERAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE (1883), AND OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. The county commissioners of Anoka county, in this state, are hereby authorized and empowered to cause the overflowed marsh and meadow lands bordering upon Baldwin lake, in township thirty-one (31) of range twenty-two (22) in said county, to be drained, by widening, deepening, and straightening the outlet of said lake, known as "Rice creek", for such distance along said creek in township thirty-one (31) of range twenty-two (22) west, and township thirty-one (31) of range twenty-three (23) west, in said county, as may be expedient and necessary, and to apportion the benefits, damages, and expenses incident thereto, and collect and pay the same, in accordance with the provisions of chapter one hundred and eight (108) of the general laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (1883) and acts amendatory thereof.

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

its passage.

Approved February 25, 1887.

CHAPTER 358.

[H. F. No. 493.]

AN ACT TO FIX THE COMPENSATION OF THE CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF OTTER TAIL COUNTY.

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

Section 1. The compensation of the clerk of the district court of Otter Tail county, shall be a salary of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum, in lieu of fees; said salary shall be payable in twelve (12) equal installments, one at the end of each month, by the county treasurer, out of the treasury of the county, upon the warrant of the county anditor.

SEC. 2. An allowance of not to exceed eight hundred (\$800) dollars per annum may be granted by the county commissioners at their