declaring the result thereof, and if it shall appear therefrom that a majority of the voters present and voting at said election upon said amendment "yes" or "no," have voted in favor of the same, then within ten (10) days after the result shall have been ascertained, the governor shall make proclamation thereof and said amendment shall thereupon take effect and be in full force as part of the constitution of the state of Minnesota.

SEO. 3. The ballots used at said election on said amendment shall have printed thereon: "Amendment to article one (1) of the constitution providing for five-sixths  $(\frac{1}{2})$  jury verdict in civil actions, yes—no;" and each elector voting on said amendment shall erase, mark across or scratch out one (1) of said words, yes or no, on said ballot and leave the other on the same when deposited in the ballot box, and no ballots shall be counted except those having one (1) only of said words "yes" or "no" thereon.

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

Approved March 13, 1889.

# CHAPTER 2.

#### [H. F. No. 957.]

AN ACT TO PRESORIBE THE BOUNDS OF SENATORIAL AND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS, AND TO APPORTION ANEW THE SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES AMONG THE SEVERAL DISTRICTS.

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

SECTION 1. That for the next legislature and thereafter until a new apportionment shall have been made the senate of this state shall be composed of fifty-four (54) members and the house of representatives shall be composed of one hundred and fourteen (114) members.

SEC. 2. That the representation in the senate and house of representatives be apportioned throughout the state in fifty-four (54) senatorial and representative districts, to-wit:

# FIRST DISTRICT.

The first (1st) district shall be composed of the county of Houston, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

Ballots, form

of.

When act to take effect.

Senate and House-how composed.

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# SECOND DISTRICT.

The second (2nd) district shall be composed of the county of Fillmore, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) Districts. senator and three (3) representatives.

# THIRD DISTRICT.

The third (3rd)district shall be composed of the county of Mower, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Representative districts shall be divided as follows: The towns of Le Roy, Lodi, Adams, Nevada, Lyle, Austin and Windom shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The towns of Racine, Pleasant Valley, Sargent, Waltham, Udolpho, Lansing, Red Rock, Dexter, Grand Meadow, Frankford, Bennington, Clayton and Marshall shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### FOURTH DISTRICT.

The fourth (4th) district shall be composed of the county of Freeborn, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

#### FIFTH DISTRICT.

The fifth (5th) district shall be composed of the county of Faribault, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

#### SIXTH DISTRICT.

The sixth (6th) district shall be composed of the counties of Martin and Watonwan, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# SEVENTH DISTRICT.

The seventh (7th) district shall be composed of the counties of Nobles, Murray, Rock and Pipestone, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) sensitor and three (3) representatives.

#### EIGHTH DISTRICT.

The eighth (8th) district shall be composed of the counties of Jackson and Cottonwood, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# NINTH DISTRICT.

The ninth (9th) district shall be composed of the counties of Brown and Redwood, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The county of Brown shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The county of Redwood shall be entitled to elect one (1)representative.

### TENTH DISTRICT.

The tenth (10th) district shall be composed of the

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#### ELEVENTH DISTRICT.

The eleventh (11th) district shall be composed of the county of Waseca, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

#### TWELFTH DISTRICT.

The twelfth (12th) district shall be composed of the county of Steele, and shall be entitled to elect one(1) senator and one (1) representative.

# THIRTEENTH DISTRICT.

The thirteenth (13th) district shall be composed of the county of Dodge, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

#### FOURTEENTH DISTRICT.

The fourteenth (14th) district shall be composed of the county of Olmsted, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

#### FIFTEENTH DISTRICT.

The fifteenth (15th) district shall be composed of the county of Winona, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and four (4) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The towns of Saratoga, Fremont, Utica, St. Charles, Elba, White Water, Norton and the city of St. Charles shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The towns of Mt. Vernon, Rollingstone, Hillsdale, Warren, Hart, Wiscoy, Wilson, Homer, Richmond, New Hartford, Pleasant Hill and Dresbach shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The town of Winona and the first (1st) and second (2d) wards of the city of Winona shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The third (3d) and fourth (4th) wards of the city of Winona shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

# SIXTEENTH DISTRICT.

The sixteenth (16th) district shall be composed of the counties of Lyon, Lincoln and Yellow Medicine, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

#### SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.

The seventeenth (17th) district shall be composed of the county of Nicollet, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT.

The eighteenth (18th) district shall be composed of the county of Sibley, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# NINETEENTH DISTRICT.

The nineteenth (19th) district shall be composed of the Senatorial county of Le Sueur, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) Districts. senator and two (2) representatives.

#### TWENTJETH DISTRICT.

The twentieth (20th district shall be composed of the county of Rice, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

#### TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

The twenty-first (21st) district shall be composed of the county of Goodhue, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

The county of Goodhue shall be divided into representative districts as follows: The first (1) representative district shall include the township of Cannon Falls, the village of Cannon Falls, the townships of Leon, Wanamingo, Cherry Grove, Stanton, Warsaw, Holden, the township of Kenyon and the village of Kenyon, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The second (2) representative district shall be composed of the townships of Pine Island, Roscoe, Zumbrota, and village of Zumbrota, Minneola, Belle Creek, Goodhue and Belvidere, and shall be entitled to elect one(1) representative. The third (3) representative district shall be composed of the city of Red Wing, the townships of Burnside, Welch, Vasa, Featherstone, Hay Creek, Florence, Wacouta and Central Point, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT.

The twenty-second (22d) district shall be composed of the county of Wabasha and shall be entitled to one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The towns of Watopa, Greenfield, Glasgow, Wabasha, Highland, Plainview, Oakwood, Elgin, Zumbro and Minneiska, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

The city of Lake City and the towns of Lake, West Albany, Mount Pleasant, Guilford, Chester, Mazeppa, Reads, Pepin and Hyde Park, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

The twenty-third (23d) district shall be composed of the county of Washington, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The second (2d) and third (3d) wards of the city of Stillwater shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The first (1st) ward of the city of Stillwater and the towns of Marine, Forest Lake, Stillwater, Grant and Oneka of the county of Washington shall be entitled to elect one (1) representaSenatorial Districts. tive. The towns of Oakdale, Afton. Woodbury, Baytown, Lakeland, Cottage Grove, Denmark and Newport shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

The twenty-fourth (24th) district shall be composed of the county of Dakota, and shall be entitled to elect one (1 senator and two (2) representatives.)

#### TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT.

The twenty-fifth (25th) district shall be composed of the first (1st), second (2nd) and third (3rd) wards of the city of St. Paul, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The first (1st) ward shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The second (2nd) ward shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The third (3rd) ward shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

# TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT.

The twenty-sixth (26th) district shall be composed of the fourth (4th), fifth (5th), and sixth (6th) wards of the city of St. Paul, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) sentor and three (3) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The fourth (4th) ward shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The fifth (5th) ward shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The sixth (6th) ward shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT.

The twenty-seventh (27th) district shall be composed of the seventh (7th) and eighth (8th) wards of the city of St. Paul, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The seventh (7th) ward shall be entitled to electone (1) representative. The eighth (8th) ward shall be entitled to elecone (1) representative.

#### TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT.

The twenty-eighth (28th) district shall be composed of the ninth (9th), tenth (10th) and eleventh (11th) wards of the city of St. Paul, and the village of White Bear and towns of White Bear, New Canada, Moundsview, Rose and village of North St. Paul, in the county of Ramsey, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The ninth (9th) ward shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The tenth (10th) and eleventh (11th) wards and the village of White Bear and the towns of White Bear, New 8 Canada, Moundsview, Rose and village of North St. Paul, in the county of Ramsey, shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT.

The twenty-ninth (29th) district shall be composed of the first (1st) and third (3rd) wards of the city of Minneapolis, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: All of the first (1st) ward and that portion of the third (3rd) ward lying east of the line of third (3rd) street commencing at a point where third (3rd) street intersects third (3rd) avenue north, and extending northerly to the boundary line of the third (3rd) and tenth (10th) wards, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

All of that part of the third (3rd) ward lying west of third (3rd) street commencing at a point where third (3rd)street intersects third (3rd) avenue north, and extending in a northerly direction to the boundary line of the third (3rd) and tenth (10th) wards, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### THIRTIETH DISTRICT.

The thirtieth (30th) district shall be composed of the second (2nd) and ninth (9th) wards of the city of Minneapolis and the town of St. Anthony, in the county of Hennepin, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

# THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

The thirty-first (31st) district shall be composed of the fourth (4th) and tenth (10th) wards of the city of Minneapolis, the villages of Crystal and Osseo, and the towns of Crystal Lake, Brooklyn, Champlin, Dayton and Hassan, in the county of Hennepin, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

#### THIRTY-SECOND DISTRICT.

The thirty-second (32nd) district shall be composed of the fifth (5th) and sixth (6th) wards of the city of Minneapolis, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and four (4) representatives.

#### THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

The thirty-third (33rd) district shall be composed of the seventh (7th), eleventh (11th) and twelfth (12th) wards of the city of Minneapolis, the village of Edina, and the towns of Richfield, Bloomington, Eden Prairie and the village and town of Excelsior, in the county of Hennepin, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

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# THIRTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

The thirty-fourth (34th) district shall be composed of the eighth (8th) and thirteenth (13th) wards of the city of Minneapolis, and the towns of Corcoran, Greenwood, Medina, Independence, Minnetonka, Plymouth, Minnetrista, Maple Grove, Orono, Golden Valley, St. Louis Park and Wayzata, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

#### THIRTY-FIFTH DISTRICT.

The thirty-fifth district (35th) district shall be composed of the counties of Anoka and Isanti, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

#### THIRTY-SIXTH DISTRICT.

The thirty-sixth (36th) district shall be composed of the county of Scott, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# THIRTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT.

The thirty-seventh (37th) district shall be composed of the county of Carver, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

#### THIRTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT.

The thirty-eighth (38th) district shall be composed of the counties of Wright and Sherburne, excepting the seventh (7th) ward of the city of St. Cloud in the county of Sherburne, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and four (4) representatives.

#### THIRTY-NINTH DISTRICT.

The thirty-ninth (39th) district shall be composed of the county of Meeker, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# FORTIETH DISTRICT.

The fortieth (40th) district shall be composed of the county of McLeod, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

#### FORTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

The forty-first (41st) district shall be composed of the county of Kandiyohi, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# FORTY-SECOND DISTRICT.

The forty-second (42d) district shall be composed o the county of Renville, and shall be entitled to elect one (1)senator and one (1) representative.

# FORTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

The forty-third (43d) district shall be composed of the counties of Lac Qni Parle, Swift and Chippewa, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

Senatorial Districts.

### FORTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

The forty-fourth (44th) district shall be composed of the counties of Chisago, Kanabec and Pine, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# FORTY-FIFTH DISTRICT.

The forty-fifth (45th) district shall be composed of the counties of Stearns and Benton, and the seventh (7th) ward of the city of St. Cloud, in the county of Sherburne, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and four (4) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The city of St. Cloud including the fifth (5th) and sixth (6th) wards of said city in Benton county and the seventh (7th) ward in Sherburne county and the towns of Brockway, Le Sauk, St. Cloud, St. Augusta, Linden and Fair Haven in Stearns, shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The towns of Albany, Farming, Milwood, Krain, Oak Holding, Avon, St. Windel, St. Martin, Collegeville, St. Joseph, Munson, Wakefield, Rockville, Eden Lake, Luxemburg and Maine Prairie shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The towns of Ashley, Sauk Center, Melrose, Raymond, Getty, Grove, North Fork, Lake George, Spring Hill, Crow Lake, Crow River, Lake Henry, Zion and Paynesville, the villages of Belgrade and Paynesville and the city of Sauk Center and the village of Melrose shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The county of Benton excepting the fifth (5th) and sixth (6th) wards of the city of St. Cloud in said county shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### FORTY-SIXTH DISTRICT.

The forty-sixth (46th) district shall be composed of the counties of Crow Wing, Morrison, Todd and Mille Lacs, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and four (4) representatives.

#### FORTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT.

The forty-seventh (47th) district shall be composed of the counties of Pope and Douglas, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Representative districts divided as follows: The county of Pope shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative. The county of Douglas shall be entitled to elect one (1) representative.

#### FORTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT.

The forty-eighth (48th) district shall be composed of the county of Otter Tail, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and four (4) representatives.

#### FORTY-NINTH DISTRICT.

The forty-ninth (49th) district shall be composed of the counties of Big Stone, Grant, Stevens and Traverse, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and two (2) representatives.

Senatorial Districts,

# FIFTIETH DISTRICT.

The fiftieth (50th) district shall be composed of the counties of Wilkin, Clay and Becker, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

# FIFTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

The fifty-first (51st) district shall be composed of the counties of Polk, Beltrami and Norman and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

The fifty-second (52d) district shall be composed of the counties of Marshall and Kittson, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

### FIFTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

The fifty-third (53d) district shall be composed of the counties of Aitkin, Cass, Itasca, Hubbard, Wadena and Carlton, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and one (1) representative.

# FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

The fifty-fourth (54th) district shall be composed of the counties of St. Louis, Lake and Cook, and shall be entitled to elect one (1) senator and three (3) representatives.

SEC 3. That in the event of any change in the county and township lines affecting the districts provided in section two (2) of this act the senatorial and representative districts shall not be affected thereby.

SEC. 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 22d, 1889.

# CHAPTER 3.

#### [H. F. No. 2.]

# AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS IN CITIES OF TEN THOUSAND (10,000) INHABITANTS AND OVER.

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

Time of holding elections, SECTION 1. On the first (1st) Tuesday after the first (1st) Monday in November of each even numbered year an election shall be held in the several election districts of the state, which shall be known as the general election; and the several state and county officers, judges of the supreme and district courts, members of the legislature and

Districts not affected by change in township lines.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

When act to take effect.

Senatorial Districts.