

assessment or a new assessment warrant mentioned in the preceding section, to report to the district court of Ramsey county at any general or special term thereof, all assessment warrants for the collection of any assessments under the provisions of this chapter which have been delivered to him, and then and there ask for judgment against the several lots and parcels of land described in such warrants for the amounts of assessment, interest and costs respectively due thereon. The city treasurer shall previously give at least ten (10) days' notice by two (2) publications in the official paper of said city of his intended application for judgment, which notice shall briefly specify the respective warrants upon which such application is to be made and a description of the property against which judgment is desired, and require all persons interested to attend at said term.

Said treasurer shall also give five (5) days' personal notice to the same effect to all property holders interested or their agents resident in the city of St. Paul. Such personal notice may be made by depositing in the St. Paul post office a postal card addressed to the property owners to be assessed or their agents resident in St. Paul, upon which card shall be printed or written such notice of application for judgment; but the failure to give such notice shall in no wise effect the validity of the judgment applied for or any of the proceedings. The advertisement so published shall be deemed and taken to be sufficient and legal notice of the aforesaid and intended application by the city treasurer to such court for judgment, and shall be held a sufficient demand and refusal to pay the said assessment.

SEC. 6. That section forty-four (44) of title one (1) of chapter seven (7) of Chapter seven (7) of the Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887) be and the same is hereby amended by striking out of said section the words, "duly acknowledged before a notary public and signed by two (2) witnesses," in the second (2d) and third (3d) lines of said section.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 20, 1891.

CHAPTER 13.

[H. F. No. 331.]

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ST. PAUL AND THE ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF," BEING CHAPTER FORTY-EIGHT (48) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, FOR THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN (1887), APPROVED FEBRUARY TWENTY-SECOND (22), ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN (1887).

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

SECTION 1. That sub-division six (6), of section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the city of St. Paul and the acts

amendatory thereof," being chapter forty-eight (48) of the special laws of the state of Minnesota, for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, (1887), approved February twenty-second (22d), one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887), be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "Twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000)" where they occur in said subdivision six (6), and insert, in lieu thereof, the words "Ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)," in said subdivision.

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

Approved March 17, 1891.

CHAPTER 14.

[H. F. No. 1186.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF ST. PAUL TO CONSTRUCT SEWERS IN THE CITY OF ST. PAUL.

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

SECTION. 1. That to provide for the natural drainage, storm water and sewerage of Front [Trout] brook and Phalen creek, between Fifth (5th) street and the Mississippi river, in the city of St. Paul, the said city of St. Paul is hereby authorized and empowered to construct a sewer to convey the natural drainage, storm water and sewerage of Front [Trout] brook and Phalen creek within the limits of Fifth (5th) street and the Mississippi river, in the city of St. Paul.

SEC. 2. For the payment of such amount, *not to exceed the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars*, as may be necessary to cover any deficiency between the cost of said sewer and the amount to be assessed against the property benefited, the said common council of the city of St. Paul by a two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) vote is authorized to levy taxes upon the taxable property within the limits of said city, the necessary amount to be included in the tax levy of the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (1891).

The amount of said deficiency shall be determined by the board of public works, and reported to the common council by the said board of public works.

SEC. 3. That to provide for the natural drainage, storm water and sewerage of the Tenth (10th) ward of the city of St. Paul, said city is hereby authorized and empowered to construct a sewer in said ward, and for the payment therefor, to an amount not to exceed the sum of thirty thousand (30,000) dollars, as may be necessary to cover any deficiency between the cost of said sewer and the amount to be assessed against the property benefited, the said common council of the city of St. Paul by a two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) vote is hereby authorized to levy taxes upon the taxable property within the limits of said city, the necessary amount to be included in the tax levy of the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two (1892), and the amount of the