association entitled to a vote at regular meetings thereof and voting at such meeting. The several trustees shall hold office for such term of years as may be prescribed by the constitution or by-laws of the association, and when a vacancy occurs in such board of trustees by expiration of term or otherwise, the same shall be filled by a majority vote of the remaining trustees, from nominations to be made by the board of

directors or managers of the association.

Sec. 4. The real property of any association avail- Property ing itself of the provisions of this act, and such other property of such association as its board of directors or managers may designate, shall be controlled by the board of trustees of said association, together with all property granted, bequeathed, or devised to such association with the specific provision that such property be so controlled; and no real property belong. ing to such association shall be conveyed, disposed of, or mortgaged without the consent of said board of trustees, nor shall such real property be liable for any debt or obligation of the association unless such debt or obligation shall have been contracted with the approval of the board of trustees.

All property of the association under the control of said board of trustees, and the income from the same, shall be devoted to the purposes of the association and for no other purpose, and so long as the directors or managers of the association shall so expend the same, such income shall be paid over to the treasurer of the

said board of directors or managers.

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

Approved March 12th, 1895.

## CHAPTER 335.

H. F. No. 404.

An act to legalize acknowledgments taken by officers Acknowledgeof corporations as notaries public of instruments in ments. which the corporation was interested.

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

SECTION 1. That all acknowledgments heretofore Healing act. taken by a notary public who was also an officer or director of a corporation organized under the laws of this state or any law of the United States which corporation was interested either as grantor or grantee in the instrument acknowledged are hereby legalized

and made as effectual as if the notary public had not been an officer or director of the corporation interested.

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

Approved April 16th, 1895.

8, F. No. 502.

## CHAPTER 336.

Commercies.

An act providing for the purchase of additional lands by cemetery associations.

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

Additional ternitory. Section 1. Any cemetery association heretofore or hereafter organized under the provisions of title five (5) of chapter thirty-four (34) of the general statutes of 1878, and any amendments thereof, which is ormay be conducting a cemetery within the limits of any city, in this state having a population of more than twenty-five thousand (25,000), may by a two-thirds vote of its board of trustees use any portion of the general fund of such association for the purpose of purchasing or acquiring additional lands not exceeding four hundred acres for cemetery purposes or to establish a new cemetery outside of and adjacent to, or lying near the city in which such cemetery is located.

Proceeds from Hales.

SEC. 2. After such new cemetery shall have been established not less than fifty per centum of the proceeds of the sale of the lands or lots therein shall be annually paid into the funds from which such purchase money was taken, until the full amount so taken therefrom shall be repaid with interest thereon.

Application of uct.

SEC. 3. In determining at any time to what cities this act shall apply reference shall be had to the United States census then last taken and the population as ascertained thereby shall govern.

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

and after its passage.

Approved April 25th, 1895.