

any of the provisions of this act, or knowingly permit the violating of any of the provisions of this act, or of the act of which this act is amendatory, whereby any of the moneys, property or assets of a bank are unlawfully loaned or used shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for a term not to exceed ten (10) years, and shall be severally liable to each and every creditor of such bank for the full amount of the debt due from such bank to such creditor.

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

Approved April 23, 1897.

CHAPTER 229.

S. F. No. 272.

An act to require annuity, safe deposit or trust companies to pay a fee for deposit of securities with the state auditor.

Fees for deposits of securities with state auditor.

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

SECTION 1. Annuity, safe deposit or trust companies, organized under the laws of this state and required by law to make and keep a certain amount in securities on deposit with the state auditor, shall pay to the state auditor a fee of one (1) dollar for each bond or mortgage now on deposit or that may hereafter be deposited, pursuant to law.

SEC. 2. The fees received by the state auditor under this act shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the general revenue fund.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 23, 1897.

CHAPTER 230.

S. F. No. 408.

An act to authorize boards of commissioners in certain counties, by law specially empowered to erect court houses or other public buildings for county purposes, to audit and allow the claims of mechanics and laborers for deficiencies due them from insolvent contractors for work upon such buildings.

Commissioners authorized to audit accounts of mechanics against insolvent contractors.

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