

CHAPTER 300.

H. F. No. 923.

An act to amend section ninety-four (94) of chapter thirty-six (36) of the general laws of 1878, as amended by chapter eighteen (18) of the general laws of 1895, relating to independent school districts.

Independent school districts.

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

SECTION 1. That section ninety-four (94) of chapter thirty-six (36) of the general laws of 1878, as amended by chapter eighteen (18) of the general laws of 1895, be amended to read as follows:

Amendment.

“Sec. 94. Any city, town, village or school district or any two or more school districts where each consists in whole or in part of portions of the same incorporated city, now or hereafter organized, may be organized into and established as an independent school district, in the manner and with the powers hereinafter specified; *provided*, first, that this title shall not apply to any township or school district containing less than five hundred inhabitants, unless said school district or school districts consist in whole or in part of one incorporated city, town or village; *provided*, second, that the territorial limits of no independent district hereafter organized shall exceed six (6) miles square; except that all the territory within the limits of any city in the state may be included in and constitute one school district.”

Provision for population and territorial limits.

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

Approved April 23, 1897.

CHAPTER 301.

H. F. No. 1015.

An act empowering cities to prevent fighting, brawling, assaults, batteries, disorderly noises and disorderly conduct, and to provide for the arrest and punishment of persons guilty of the same.

Cities empowered to prevent disorder and arrest guilty persons.

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

SECTION 1. That every city in this state, whether incorporated under general or special law of this state, shall, in addition to all other powers and authorities now or hereafter given such city by any law of this state,

have power and authority by ordinance to prevent any fighting, brawling, assault, battery, disorderly noise or disorderly conduct within such city, and to provide for the arrest and punishment of any person or persons who shall be guilty of the same.

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

Approved April 23, 1897.

H. F. No. 702.

CHAPTER 302.

State lands.

An act to amend section three (3) chapter one hundred and sixty-three (163), general laws eighteen hundred ninety-five (1895), relating to state lands.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. That section three (3), chapter one hundred and sixty-three (163), general laws eighteen hundred ninety-five (1895), be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Certificate may be declared void for non-payment of annual interest, and commissioner may take possession and resell.

Sec. 3. The said certificate shall further set forth that in case of the non-payment of the annual interest by the first day of June, or within six (6) days thereafter in each and every year, by the purchaser or by any person claiming under him, then the said certificate may at any time during said default be by the commissioner declared void, and the said commissioner may take possession of the land therein described, and resell the same at public auction, and in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations as provided for the first sale.

Reappraisal and offer of sale & notice of re-entry.

When the state land commissioner shall have duly reappraised and advertised and publicly offered for sale such lands as are delinquent under this section, then and there a re-entry shall be deemed to have been made on the part of the state, without any other act or deed whatsoever.

Original purchaser in default a trespasser.

The new purchaser, if there be one, shall be entitled to immediate and peaceable possession. If the land is not again sold it shall be deemed to be unsold land of the state, and the original purchaser in default, or any one claiming under him, who shall remain in possession or enter upon the land without first having paid all delinquent interest and penalties, is a willful trespasser and punishable as such under the law in such cases made and provided.