the electors present and voting at such election to authorize the issuance of such bonds.

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

Approved March 3, 1905.

## CHAPTER 29.

S. F. No. 94.

An act to legalize city charters in certain cases, and the Legalizing acts of officers thereunder.

city charters.

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

Section 1. In any case where in an (any) city or village in this state a city charter has been prepared and filed with the chief magistrate or chief executive officer of said city or village by a number of persons, not less than ten (10), purporting to be a board of freeholders and to have been appointed and to have acted under section 36, article 4, of the constitution of this state and the laws of this state enacted thereunder. And such charter has been actually submitted to the qualified voters of such city or village at a general or special election held therein; and such charter has been ratified and adopted by a vote of not less than four-sevenths of the qualified voters voting at such election; and such charter has been actually put in operation in said city or village, and officers have been elected therein under said charter and have qualified and entered upon their duties, then such charter is hereby legalized and made the lawful city charter of said city or village, and to have the same force and effect and to be of like validity as if each, all and every requirement of law for the appointment and qualification of the board of freeholders to prepare and propose the same, the preparation, proposal and filing thereof by said board of freeholders, the submission thereof to the voters of said city and the ratification and adoption thereof by the voters of said city, and the certifying and filing thereof in the office of the register of deeds of the county and in the office of the secretary of state had in all things been fully complied with;

Provided, that if said city charter has not been filed in Filing the office of the register of deeds of the county, a copy thereof, certified to by the mayor of said city, elected under said charter, shall be filed in said office within sixty

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Submitted

(60) days after the passage of this act. And if said city charter has not been deposited in the office of the secretary of state, a copy thereof, certified by the mayor, elected under said charter, shall be deposited in said office within sixty (60) days after the passage of this act.

SEC. 2. All acts of the officers of any such city or village, elected and qualified under such charter, shall have the same force and validity as if said charter had

originally been fully valid and legal.

Sec. 3. This act shall not affect vested rights nor actions now pending.

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

Approved March 3, 1905.

S. F. No. 109.

## CHAPTER 30.

St. Cloud Normal.

Vested

rights.

An act to appropriate moneys for the location, construction and equipment of the ladies' dormitory building at the state normal school at St. Cloud.

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

Appropriation for dormitory, Section I. That the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the construction and equipment of a ladies' dormitory at the state normal school at St. Cloud; twenty-five thousand dollars thereof to be immediately available, and twenty-five thousand dollars thereof to be available August I, 1905; that in the construction of said dormitory the said board of control is hereby authorized to make the same as near fireproof as circumstances will permit.

Under jurindiction of board of control.

- SEC. 2. Such work of construction and equipment shall be under the sole jurisdiction and supervision of the state board of control, which work shall be commenced as soon after the passage of this bill as conveniently may be.
- SEC. 3. The said board of control may, out of said appropriation, acquire by purchase or condemnation such additional land as may be necessary for the proper and convenient location of said new building.

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

Approved March 8, 1905.