

for such railroad company, shall cause the adoption, publication and use by such railroad company of rates not exceeding those specified in this act; and any officer, director, or such agent or employe of any such railroad company who violates any of the provisions of this section, or who causes or counsels, advises or assists any such railroad company to violate any of the provisions of this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and may be prosecuted therefor in any county into which its railroad extends and in which it has a station, and upon conviction thereof be punished by imprisonment in the county jail for a period not exceeding ninety days.

Sec. 7. If, at the time of the taking effect of this act, any railroad is maintaining a rate between any two stations in this state that is less than the rate herein prescribed for the same distance, this act shall not be construed as authorizing the raising of such rate.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after June 1st, 1907.

Approved April 18, 1907.

CHAPTER 233—H. F. No. 15.

An Act providing for the erection of a monument to the First Minnesota battery at Shiloh, and designating a commission for the same

Whereas, the legislature of the State of Minnesota has made an appropriation of five thousand dollars, as appears in subdivision 62, section 15, chapter 337, of the General Laws of 1905, "for the erection of a monument at Shiloh for the commemoration of the First Minnesota battery," but has designated no agency for the prosecution of said work, it is, therefore, hereby

Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Commission designated.—Section 1. That L. F. Hubbard, C. C. Andrews and Henry S. Hurter, be designated a commission to select a design for and secure the erection of a suitable monument upon the field of Shiloh, which shall properly commemorate the service of the First Minnesota

battery in the battle of Shiloh, Tennessee, April 6th and 7th, 1862.

To serve without compensation.—Sec. 2. The commission shall serve without compensation, but the necessary expenses thereof may be paid from the appropriation already made, the entire cost of such monument, including the expenses of the commission, not to exceed the sum of five thousand dollars, already appropriated.

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

Approved April 18, 1907.

CHAPTER 234—H. F. No. 328.

An Act to amend section one (1) of chapter one hundred and four (104) of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year one thousand nine hundred and five (1905), relating to jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

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

Jurisdiction of justice courts.—Section 1. That the fourth clause of section one (1) of chapter one hundred and four (104) of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year one thousand nine hundred and five (1905) be amended so as to read as follows:

Fourth. To cause to come before them persons who are charged with committing any criminal offense and commit them to jail, or bail them, as the case may require; *provided, however,* that no justices of the peace shall have jurisdiction of any offenses committed within the limits of any city or village wherein a municipal court is organized and existing, but such offenses, otherwise cognizable by justices of the peace, and those arising under the charter ordinances or by-laws of the city or village shall be examined or tried by the municipal court therein existing; *provided* that this act shall not apply to any cities or villages having justice of the peace courts established by home rule charter, nor to territory within one-half mile of the outer limits of the state fair grounds.

Approved April 18, 1907.