

principals, as well as instructors, who are in the employ of the board of education or board of school inspectors in the city mentioned in this act.

Sec. 10. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1909.

CHAPTER 344—H. F. No. 438.

An Act regulating the issuing of certificates of inspection and weight of grain or other farm commodity weighed or inspected under the laws of this state, and requiring such certificates to be delivered to the local buyers of such grain or farm commodity and providing penalty for failure to comply with this act.

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

Inspection and weighmaster's certificate to be issued.—Section 1. Every elevator company, corporation, co-partnership, association or individual, operating any elevator, building or place in this state for the purchase, storage or deposit of any grain or other farm commodity, shall be entitled to receive from, and shall demand of, the officer whose duty it is to issue the same, the official certificate of inspection in duplicate, together with the weighmaster's certificate in duplicate for any grain or other farm commodity shipped from any such elevator, building or place and inspected and weighed as provided by the laws of this state.

Local buyer to retain for thirty days.—Sec. 2. Within ten (10) days from the delivery of any such certificate as provided in section one of this act, the company, corporation, co-partnership, association or individual receiving the same shall deliver to the local buyer at the place where such grain or other farm commodity is purchased, stored or deposited, one of said duplicate certificates and the same shall be retained by such local buyer in his office or place of business for thirty days thereafter and be subject to examination by any person or persons desiring to inspect same.

Violation a misdemeanor.—Sec. 3. Any company, corporation, co-partnership, association or individual mentioned in section one of this act, who shall fail to deliver any certificate mentioned in this act within the time and as provided in section 2 of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and the weight and grade of the grain or other farm commodity, as shown by the records of the local buyer, shall be taken as a basis of settlement

between the local buyer of any such grain or farm commodity and the company, corporation, co-partnership, association or individual failing to deliver said certificate.

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CHAPTER 345—H. F. No. 440.

An Act entitled: An Act to authorize domestic fire or fire and marine insurance companies to invest their funds in bonds or securities of foreign states in which they transact business.

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

Funds may be invested in bonds or obligations of foreign countries.—Section 1. Any domestic insurance company authorized to transact the business of fire insurance or fire and marine insurance, and lawfully transacting business in any foreign state or country, may invest its funds in the bonds or other equivalent obligations issued by the national government of such foreign state or country, and for the payment of which the faith and credit of such foreign state or country is pledged.

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

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CHAPTER 346—H. F. No. 457.

An Act providing for the designation of certain trout streams in this state, and to prohibit any fishing therein except during such time as is allowed by law for the fishing of trout.

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

County commissioners to designate trout streams.—Section 1. Upon petition of not less than one hundred legal voters of any county in this state, it shall be the duty of the county commissioners of such county to designate the streams therein which are suitable for the growth or propagation of brook trout, and by order or resolution of the board of such county commissioners, which shall be filed in the office of the county auditor of such county and published along with the proceedings of such board had at the time such resolution or order shall be made, designate and describe such streams and state the points between which in said county such streams shall be suitable for the growth and