

pense of furnishing and equipping the new model school at Moorhead, Minnesota, and for the expense of fuel, janitor and teaching service for the balance of the year ending July 31st, 1909. And said appropriation is to be available at once.

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

Approved February 1, 1909.

#### CHAPTER 9—H. F. No. 40.

*An Act providing for the incorporation of villages from out of the territory of certain villages already incorporated or attempted to be incorporated in this state.*

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

**Incorporation of villages from territory of villages already incorporated.**—Section 1. That when there shall have been incorporated or attempted to be incorporated any village in this state, the boundary lines of which shall include not less than twenty-six square miles of land, and not less than twenty-five square miles thereof shall consist of unplatted farm lands and farm dwelling premises, pasture and timber lands, and a part of such territory, not exceeding three hundred acres, shall have been platted into village lots or blocks and one separate and distinct portion of said platted lands shall be inhabited as a village, having a railroad station and a United States post office therein, which platted lands so inhabited and the postoffice therein shall have a name common to them both, by which they are known and called, but not the name of the village incorporated or attempted to be incorporated as aforesaid, any such separate and distinct platted portion of said territory, together with lands adjoining the same so conditioned as properly to be subject to village government, not exceeding three hundred and twenty acres, may be incorporated as a village, separate and distinct from any other territory and from the village so incorporated or attempted to be incorporated, aforesaid.

Sec. 2. The territory so to be incorporated shall contain not less than two hundred and fifty or more than two thousand inhabitants, and sections 701 to 745, inclusive, of the Revised Laws of Minnesota, 1905, shall apply to and in all things govern, authorize and control the proceedings to so incorporate, form, create and separate said village and for the government and control thereof when so incorporated.

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

Approved February 6, 1909.