

CHAPTER 114—S. F. No. 314.

An Act to amend Section 41 of Chapter 204 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1905, being "An Act relating to the sale of timber on state lands, defining trespass thereon and prescribing penalties therefor."

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

Section 1. **Period of cutting to be posted, and copy to be sent to state forester, before work commences.**—That Section 41 of Chapter 204, General Laws of Minnesota 1905, being "An Act relating to the sale of timber on state lands, defining trespass thereon and prescribing penalties therefor," be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 41. Every person, firm or corporation engaged in the cutting of timber of any kind, telegraph poles or fence posts, upon any of the land belonging to the state, or upon any land whatsoever within this state, shall before cutting *any* such timber, post in a conspicuous place in any camp building or house occupied by his employees engaged in such cutting a notice which shall contain a full description of the lands proposed by him to be cut, *the period during which the cutting is proposed to be done*, and which said description shall contain the precise description of said land by forty-acre tracts, or fractions thereof, of governmental sub-divisions, and shall include the section, town and range, and such person or persons so engaged in cutting timber as aforesaid shall be required to keep said notice conspicuously posted in such camp building or house during the entire time that he is engaged in cutting such timber: *and he shall, before cutting any such timber, forward a copy of such notice with his post-office address to the state forester at the State Capitol, St. Paul.* Any person, persons, firms or corporation violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of *not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) and not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00)* or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period *not less than twenty days and not exceeding ninety days.*"

Any person or persons giving to the proper authorities information which shall lead to the conviction of any person, persons, firm or corporation guilty of a violation of this section shall receive the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) reward; to be ascertained and paid in the manner provided herein for the payment of the reward provided for in Section 40 of this act. Provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to any person who shall be engaged in cutting cordwood upon his own land or engaged in cutting timber for clearing any land actually owned or occupied by him.

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

Approved March 26, 1913.

CHAPTER 115—S. F. No. 335.

An Act relating to public schools in special school districts of not less than ten thousand inhabitants nor more than twenty thousand inhabitants, and to provide funds therefor.

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

Section 1. **Nine mill school tax authorized in certain districts.**—Special school districts now or hereafter having not less than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants nor more than twenty thousand (20,000) inhabitants are hereby empowered to annually levy for general school purposes a general school tax not exceeding nine (9) mills on the dollar of the valuation of all taxable property in such school districts according to the preceding official assessment thereof. This act shall not apply to school districts, the boundaries of which extend into two or more counties.

Sec. 2. **Bond issue authorized.**—The electors of such special school districts are hereby empowered to issue bonds for permanent improvements in any sum not exceeding twelve (12) per cent of their last official assessed valuation.

Sec. 3. **Certain acts repealed.**—Any part of Chapter 156 of the Special Laws of 1878, or any part of Chapter 510 of the Special Laws of 1889, and all acts and parts of acts conflicting with or inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 26, 1913.

CHAPTER 116—S. F. No. 343.

An Act to amend Section 3890, Revised Laws of Minnesota 1905, relating to a deposit of a docket of a justice of the peace in the office of the clerk of the district court.

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

Section 1. **Clerk to issue transcripts of judgments from justice's docket.**—That Section 3890, of the Revised Laws of Minnesota 1905, be and the same hereby is amended so that said Section 3890 shall read as follows:

“Section 3890. Every justice who shall not receive a suitable docket from his predecessor in office shall procure one at