Sec. 2. Penalty for failure to comply with provisions.— Any such carrier failing to comply with the provisions of this act, or with any order of the commission made thercunder, shall forfeit for each day's default, one hundred dollars to be recovered in a civil action in the name of the state.

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

after its passage.

Approved March 27, 1913.

CHAPTER 127-S. F. No. 648.

An Act authorizing certain cities of the first class to dispose of surplus electricity to private consumers.

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

Section 1. Cities of first class may dispose of electrical energy.—Any city of the first class now or hereafter operating a plant for the production and distribution of electrical energy for municipal purposes may dispose of any surplus there of so produced, to private consumers within the city desiring the same, at such rates and upon such terms as the city council or other governing body of the city may deem proper.

Sec. 2. Application.—This act shall not apply to any city whose inhabitants have adopted a charter pursuant to Section

36, Article 4 of the state constitution.

Approved March 27, 1913.

CHAPTER 128-S. F. No. 700.

An Act authorizing the railroad and warehouse commission to provide suitable equipment for the testing of railroad track scales.

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

Section 1. Test cars ordered purchased by commission and master track scale ordered located.—The railroad and warehouse commission, hereinafter called the commission, is hereby authorized to purchase two test cars, to be used in testing track scales. at a cost of not to exceed five thousand dollars each; also erect on some railroad track in or near Minneapolis, St. Paul, or Minnesota Transfer, where a permanent free site can be procured, a master track scale with a building for the same, to be used in testing and verifying the weights of test cars; scales and building not to cost to exceed seven thousand five hundred dollars.