

## CHAPTER 138—S. F. No. 191.

*An Act to authorize cities in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, to issue and sell bonds for acquiring and improving sites for children's public playgrounds.*

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

Section 1. **\$50,000 bond issue authorized for public playgrounds.**—Any city in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants is hereby authorized and empowered, acting by and through the common council of such city, by ordinance duly enacted by an affirmative vote of not less than three-fourths of all members elect of such common council, to issue and sell not exceeding fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars par value of the bonds of such city, the proceeds thereof to be used for acquiring and improving sites for children's public playgrounds in such cities. Such playgrounds shall be public parks and shall be under the direction, supervision and control of the park board or other governing body having direction and supervision of public parks in such cities, and all funds derived from the sale of the bonds hereby authorized shall be credited to the park fund of such city, to be disbursed under the direction of such park board or other governing body, for the use and purpose of such children's public playgrounds. Provided, that not more than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) par value of such bonds shall be issued during any one calendar year.

Sec. 2. **To be issued notwithstanding present indebtedness.**—The bonds authorized by Section One of this act; or any portion thereof, may be issued and sold by any such city notwithstanding any limitation contained in the charter of such city or in any law of this state prescribing or fixing any limit upon the bonded indebtedness of such city, but the full faith and credit of any such city shall at all times be pledged for the payment of any bonds issued under this act and for the current interest thereon, and the common council of such city shall each year include in the tax levy for such city a sufficient amount to provide for the payment of such interest and for the accumulation of a suitable sinking fund for the redemption of such bonds at their maturity.

Sec. 3. **To run 30 years at not more than 4½ per cent—How signed.**—No bonds hereunder shall be issued by any such city for the purpose herein authorized to run for a longer period than thirty years, or bearing a higher rate of interest than four and one-half per cent per annum, but the place of payment of the principal and interest thereon and the denominations in which the same shall be issued, shall be such as may be prescribed by

the common council, and may be in the form of coupon bonds or registered certificates, so-called. All such bonds shall be signed by the mayor, attested by the city clerk and countersigned by the comptroller, and shall be sealed with the seal of such city. Provided that the signatures to the coupons attached to such bonds, if any, may be lithographed thereon, and none of such bonds shall be sold for less than par value and accrued interest.

**Sec. 4. Application.**—This act shall apply to the cities existing under a charter framed pursuant to Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

**Sec. 5.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 31, 1913.

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#### CHAPTER 139—S. F. No. 453.

*An Act to amend Chapter 236 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905, being an act entitled "An Act authorizing physicians from other states to practice medicine in Minnesota."*

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

**Section 1. State medical examining board may grant licenses under certain conditions.**—That Chapter 236 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. That the state medical examining board, either with or without examination, may grant a license to any physician licensed to practice by a similar board of another state, and who holds a certificate of registration showing that an examination has been made by the proper board of any state in which an average grade of not less than seventy-five (75) per cent was awarded the holder thereof, the said applicant and holder of such certificate having been at the time of said examination the legal possessor of a diploma from a medical college in good standing in this state, which said diploma may be accepted in lieu of an examination as evidence of qualification. In case the scope of said examination was less than that prescribed by this state the applicant may be required to submit to an examination in such subjects as have not been covered. The fee for such examination shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00).

A certificate of registration or license issued by the proper board of any state may be accepted as evidence of qualification for registration in this state; provided, the holder thereof was at the time of such registration the legal possessor of a diploma