

8A. Juvenile court—*The words "juvenile court" shall mean the court having jurisdiction in the particular county over cases of dependent, neglected and delinquent children, whether the same be a district or probate court.*

Approved April 14, 1917.

CHAPTER 234—S. F. No. 346.

An act to validate certain bonds heretofore purchased by the state board of investment with the funds of the state of Minnesota.

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

Section 1. "**Municipality**" defined.—The word "municipality" as used herein, shall be held to mean and include the various counties, cities, villages, boroughs, towns and school districts in the state of Minnesota.

Sec. 2. **All bonds given to state by municipalities validated.**—Whenever the state board of investment shall have heretofore purchased with the funds of the state of Minnesota, the bonds of any municipality in this state, the validity of any such bond shall never be questioned, except on the ground that the same and the loan made thereon was not approved by the state board of investment; that the bond in question made the entire bonded indebtedness exceed fifteen (15) per cent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the municipality issuing such bonds; that such bonds bear a lower rate of interest than three (3) per cent; that such bonds run for a shorter period than five years, or for a longer period than twenty years; or that the principal thereof was never paid by the state to, or received by the officers of the municipality issuing the same; and no change of the boundary lines of any such municipality shall relieve the real property therein at the time of the issuing of such bonds from any liability from taxation to pay for the same and all such bonds so purchased are hereby declared to be the valid and subsisting indebtedness of each municipality respectively issuing the same.

Approved April 14, 1917.

CHAPTER 235—S. F. No. 901.

An act to amend Section 7431, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the termination of the guardianship of a female ward by her marriage.

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

Section 1. **When guardianship of female ward terminates by marriage.**—Section 7431, General Statutes, 1913, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 7431. The marriage of a female ward under guardianship as a minor shall terminate such guardianship; *provided that this section shall not apply to any person under guardianship on account of delinquency by order of a juvenile court.*

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CHAPTER 236—S. F. No. 902.

An act to amend Section 7425, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the appointment of guardians by probate courts.

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

Section 1. **Appointment of guardians not to be effective under certain conditions.**—Section 7425, General Statutes, 1913, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 7425. Whenever it appears necessary or convenient, the probate court may appoint a guardian for either the person or estate, or both, of any minor who has no guardian appointed by will, and who is a resident of the county, or who resides without the state and has property within the county; *provided, however, that notice shall first be given in such manner as the court may direct to the parents of such minor, if living, and if no parent is living, or if the whereabouts of both parents is unknown, then to the next of kin or custodian of the person of such minor; and provided further that no appointment by the probate court of a guardian of the person of a child under the age of eighteen shall be effective, if, at the time of making the same, proceedings involving the care and custody of such child are pending in a district court in this state, acting as a juvenile court.*

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CHAPTER 237—S. F. No. 904.

An act to amend Section 9324, General Statutes, 1913, relative to transfer of prisoners in state institution.

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

Section 1. **Transfer of prisoners under direction of board of control.**—Section 9324, General Statutes, 1913, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

9324. The board of control may transfer from the reformatory to the state prison *and* from the state prison to the reformatory, whenever, in its judgment, such transfer will be advantageous to the person transferred, or to the institution from which such transfer is made. Said board shall make all needful rules for the employment, discipline, instruction, removal, release, or return of inmates of said institution.

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