by the City Council or chief governing body of the city issuing the same, and such certificates of indebtedness and special bonds shall be sold only at public sale or by sealed proposals upon giving at least two weeks' published notice of any such sale.

Sec. 2. Application.—This act shall apply to all cities of the first class, including cities of over 50,000 inhabitants existing and governed under a charter framed and adopted under section 36,

article 4, of the state constitution.

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

Approved April 13, 1921.

## CHAPTER 227—H. F. No. 5.

An act to amend section 2917, General Statutes for 1913, as amended by Chapter 526, General Laws for the year 1919, relating to taxation in common and special school districts.

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

Section 1. Common school districts may levy 30 mill tax.— That section 2917, General Statutes of 1913, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

Section 2917. In common districts such district school tax shall not exceed thirty mills on the dollar for the support of the schools of ten mills for the purchase of school sites and the erection and equipment of school houses; but in such districts in which such ten mill tax will not produce six hundred dollars, a greater tax may be levied for school sites and buildings, not to exceed thirty mills on the dollar, nor six hundred dollars in amount. In common districts having less than ten voters the district school tax shall not exceed four hundred dollars. In independent districts no tax in excess of eight mills on the dollar shall be levied for the purpose of school sites and the erection of school houses. In special districts, such amounts may be levied as may be allowed by apecial law at the same time when the revised laws take effect. Provided, that in any common school district of this state in which there is now or shall thereafter be maintained a high school or a graded school, the district school tax for the support of schools may be not to exceed thirty mills on the dollar.

Approved April 13, 1921.

## CHAPTER 228-H. F. No. 13.

An act to amend Chapter 145, Session Laws 1919, relating to the road and bridge fund of counties having a population of 300,000 inhabitants or more, where the maximum rate of taxation is fixed