

Section 1. Salaries of court reporters in certain districts.—That Section 1, Chapter 186, General Laws of Minnesota 1907, as amended by Chapter 175, General Laws of Minnesota 1915, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That each judge of any judicial district in this state which comprises, or which may hereafter comprise, a single county of *three hundred and eighty thousand (380,000)* inhabitants or over, may appoint a phonographic reporter, who shall be well skilled in his profession and competent to discharge the duties required, and who shall be a sworn officer of said court, and shall hold his office during the pleasure of said judge so appointing him. The salary of said reporter shall be *three thousand five hundred (\$3,500.00)* dollars per annum, payable in *semi-monthly* installments by the county treasurer of the county comprised in such judicial district, from any funds in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

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

Approved April 13, 1921.

CHAPTER 242—S. F. No. 113.

An act to amend Chapter 400, General Laws for 1919, relating to game and fish.

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

Section 1. Open season for game birds.—Section 54 of Chapter 400, of the General Laws for the year 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows: Mourning dove, prairie chicken or pinnated grouse, whitebreasted or sharp-tailed grouse, and upland plover may be taken or possessed between September 16th and October 1st, following, both inclusive, and woodcock may be taken or possessed between October 1st and November 30th, both inclusive. No mourning dove shall be taken, killed or had in possession prior to September 16, 1920, no woodcock prior to October 1, 1920, and no upland plover prior to September 16, 1927, no prairie chicken or sharp-tailed grouse shall be taken or killed or had in possession prior to September 16, 1921 and thereafter may be taken only in odd numbered years.

Sec. 2. That Section 55, Chapter 400, S. L. 1919 be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 55. Limit.—A person may take, during the open season not to exceed 9 mourning doves, prairie chicken or pinnated grouse, white-breasted or sharp-tailed grouse, woodcock, or upland plover, in the aggregate of all kinds in one day.

No person shall take more than 30 of the game birds enumerated

in this section, in the aggregate of all kinds in any one open season, and no person shall take more than 18 prairie chickens, or sharp-tailed grouse, in any one open season.

Sec. 3. That Section 56, Chapter 400, S. L. 1919 be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 56. **Bird Dogs—Hunting and training.**—Game birds, may be taken during the open season with the aid of dogs. The owner or trainer of a dog may take the same afield for the purpose of training said dog, from September 1st to September 15th. following, both inclusive, provided that such owner or trainer shall carry no firearms and that no injury be inflicted upon any game birds or quadrupeds contrary to law. The use or training of dogs between December 1st and August 31st following, both inclusive, in fields inhabited or frequented by game birds is prohibited. Any dog so used is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and may be summarily killed by any person.

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

Approved April 13, 1921.

CHAPTER 243—S. F. No. 210.

An act to amend Chapter 36 of the Special Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919 relating to city and county hospitals and alms houses in certain counties and to the disposition of moneys received by such hospitals and alms houses.

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

Section 1. That Chapter 36 of the Special Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. **Funds to be deposited in county treasury.**—In every county of this state in which there exists or shall hereafter exist a board of control which is maintained by funds supplied in proportionate parts by a city within said county and by the county, all receipts received by the board of control from the city and county hospital and county alms house, shall be deposited in the county treasury and the county treasurer shall be accountable to the city for one third thereof, the same to be credited to the board of control fund and the balance of such receipts shall be credited to the poor fund of the county, *for the maintenance of the city and county hospital and alms house in addition to budget allowance and all balances remaining in said treasuries on December 31st shall be carried over for the maintenance of said institution the following year in addition to appropriations heretofore made.*

Sec. 2. **Payment for supplies.**—In such counties all commod-