

sion shall be less than such aggregate, in which case the value so fixed and approved shall be the minimum price for which such property may be sold. Provided that all parcels bid in for the state for taxes for the year 1914 or prior years, may be disposed of for one-half of the total taxes as originally assessed. Provided, further that all unsold parcels which are subject to delinquent taxes for ten years or more and which have been subject to sale under the provisions of this section and sections 2127 and 2129, for three years or more, may be disposed of for a sum not less than one-fifth ( $\frac{1}{5}$ ) of the total taxes as originally assessed. Provided further, that where any parcel subject to sale under the provisions of this section and sections 2127 and 2129, contains as a part of said tax the full amount or a portion of the lien for the construction of any county or judicial ditch, not less than the original amount of such ditch tax with interest thereon shall be included in addition to the amounts hereinbefore provided as the minimum for which any such parcel may be sold. *And provided further, that where any parcel subject to sale as aforesaid, contains as a part of said tax the full amount or a portion of any special assessment for local improvements levied under and pursuant to municipal authority, the governing body of such municipality may, by ordinance or resolution, determine and fix the minimum amount of such assessment to be included in addition to the amounts hereinbefore provided as the minimum for which any such parcel may be sold; provided that a copy of such resolution or ordinance, describing each tract and fixing each such minimum amount, shall be served upon the County Auditor at least thirty days before the date of sale.* The purchaser shall forthwith pay the amount of his bid to the county treasurer, and the officer conducting the sale shall give to him a certificate in a form prescribed by the attorney general, in which shall be set forth the name of the purchaser, a description of the land sold, the price paid and the date and place of sale. The auditor and treasurer of the county shall attend such sale, the former to make a record of all sales thereat, and the latter to receive all moneys paid on account thereof.

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

Approved April 20, 1921.

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#### CHAPTER 387—H. F. No. 1135.

*An act to amend Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, relating to allowance of clerk hire to county treasurers in certain counties.*

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

Section 1. Salary and clerk hire in office of county treasurers.  
—That Section 873, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, be

and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"873. County treasurers shall receive, in full compensation for all services rendered by them in their official capacity, annual salaries regulated by the assessed valuation of real and personal property for purposes of taxation in their respective counties as fixed by the state board of equalization or the Minnesota tax commission for the previous year as follows:

1. In counties where such valuation does not exceed four million dollars, twelve hundred dollars.

2. In counties where such valuation is more than four million dollars and does not exceed six million dollars, fifteen hundred dollars

3. In counties where such valuation is more than six million dollars and does not exceed ten million dollars, two thousand dollars.

4. In counties where such valuation is more than ten million dollars, twenty-five hundred dollars.

In addition to such salaries, county treasurers shall be allowed for clerk hire as follows:

In counties where the annual salary of the treasurer is twelve hundred dollars, two hundred dollars; where such salary is fifteen hundred dollars, three hundred dollars; where such salary is two thousand dollars, four hundred dollars; where such salary is twenty-five hundred dollars, six hundred dollars; to be paid monthly to the persons actually rendering the service as such clerk, out of the county treasury, upon the order of the county auditor accompanied by a certificate of the treasurer that the service has been rendered, and no allowance for such clerk hire shall be made or received in any case except for service actually rendered.

Provided, that this section shall not apply to counties having a population of more than forty thousand inhabitants, nor to any county where such salary or clerk hire is now fixed by special law:

Provided, that in counties having a population of more than seventy-five thousand, where the salary of the treasurer is not fixed by special law, allowance for clerk hire shall be such sum as the county board deems necessary, not exceeding nine thousand dollars.

*Provided, that in all counties of this state having a population of less than 20,000 and a valuation of less than \$20,000,000 in which there are seventy-five or more platted subdivisions, the county treasurer shall be authorized to appoint a deputy at a salary of \$85 per month, such salary to be paid monthly as now provided by law. In each of such counties the county board, may, by resolution, authorize the county treasurer to appoint and employ such additional help as may by said board be deemed just, proper and necessary in carrying*

*on the work in the county treasurer's office, and the board shall in such resolution authorizing the employment fix the rate of compensation and limit the amount to be paid under such resolution.*

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

Approved April 20, 1921.

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CHAPTER 388—H. F. No. 1171.

*An act to amend Section 3832, General Statutes 1913, relating to hours of labor.*

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

Section 1. Eight hour labor law not to apply to road work.—That section 3832, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, be and the same is amended to read as follows:

Section 3832. No person employed in manual labor upon any work for the state, whether such work be done by contract or otherwise, shall be required or permitted to labor more than eight hours in any calendar day except in cases of extraordinary emergency caused by fire, flood, or danger to life and property, military or naval employment in time of war, and road work.

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

Approved April 20, 1921.

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CHAPTER 389—H. F. No. 1172.

*An act to amend Section 8890, General Statutes 1913, relating to coercion of persons seeking employment.*

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

Section 1. Interfering with employee or membership in union.—That Section 8890, General Statutes 1913, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

8890. It shall be unlawful for any person, company, or corporation, or any agent, officer, or employee thereof, to coerce, require, or influence any person to enter into any agreement, written or verbal, not to join, become, or remain a member of any lawful labor organization or association, as a condition of securing or retaining employment with such person, firm, or corporation. *It shall be unlawful for any person, company, or corporation, or any officer or employee thereof, to coerce, require, or influence any person to contribute or pay to any person, company, or corporation, or any officer or employee thereof, any sum of*