

order made by said judge, that such ditch, drain or water course will be of public utility and promotive of or be conducive to the public health, and that the benefits or estimated benefits to be derived from the construction thereof are greater than the total cost, including damages awarded, and such ditch, drain or water course has been actually constructed, in accordance with the plans and specifications filed by the engineer therein, or of the contract made in accordance with such plans and specifications, or the county has entered into a contract or contracts for the construction thereof, and the county auditor has, or the county auditors, as the case may be, or any of them, have executed and filed in the office of the register of deeds, the tabular statement provided for in said act, making assessments for the cost of the location establishment and construction of the same within such county against the lands, corporations and roads benefited thereby, and the time for appeals has expired and no appeals have been taken therefrom or from any such proceedings, or if such appeals have been taken that the same have been determined before the passage of this act, then the said proceedings and all assessments or liens so levied or attempted to be assessed or levied for the actual cost of such work, including damages awarded, and the county bonds, if any, which have been issued and sold to defray the expenses incurred in connection therewith, are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and in full force and effect until paid, in the time and manner set forth in said act and amendments thereto.

Sec. 2. **Application.**—This act shall not apply to or affect the right of appeal from such proceedings, as now provided by law, or any actions or appeals now pending in which the validity of said proceedings is called in question.

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

Approved February 17, 1921.

CHAPTER 41—S. F. No. 306.

An act authorizing the county boards of any county now or hereafter having a population of over one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) and not more than two hundred and twenty-five thousand (225,000) inhabitants and an assessed valuation of over two hundred and fifty million (250,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits, to appropriate and expend not exceeding twenty thousand (20,000) dollars for the improvement of navigable lakes.

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

Section 1. County board may improve navigable lakes in certain cases.—The board of county commissioners in any county in the state of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of more than one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) and not more than

two hundred and twenty-five thousand (225,000) inhabitants and an assessed valuation of more than two hundred and fifty million (250,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits, is hereby authorized to appropriate and expend out of the revenue fund of said county a sum not exceeding twenty thousand (20,000) dollars for the improvement of navigable lakes lying wholly or partly within such county, which improvement may include the marking of dangerous reefs and shallow places in said lakes with proper buoys.

Sec. 2. Inconsistent acts repealed.—That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 42—S. F. No. 207.

An act to amend Section 4631, General Statutes 1913, as amended by chapter 121 of the Session Laws of 1919, relating to the superintendent of banks, his deputy and other assistants, and to the duties and qualifications of such deputy and assistants.

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

Section 1. Deputy superintendent, examiners and employees.—That Section 4631, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Chapter 121, Session Laws of 1919, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

“Section 4631.. The superintendent of banks may appoint, and at pleasure remove, a deputy superintendent, twelve examiners, ten assistant examiners, two second assistant examiners, one chief clerk, two assistant clerks, four stenographers, and such other employees as are needed to discharge in the proper manner the duties imposed by law upon the superintendent of banks. Such deputy and examiners shall each give bond to the state in the sum of ten thousand dollars, and the clerks and other assistants, whenever so provided, shall each give bond to the state in such sum as may be designated by the superintendent of banks; all such bonds to be approved by the superintendent of banks and filed in the office of the secretary of state. During the absence or disability of the superintendent of banks, said deputy superintendent shall have charge of the office and administer its affairs. The examiners and assistant examiners so to be appointed shall have had at least three years active experience in the banking business and shall furnish such evidence of their qualifications as expert accountants and general fitness for their duties as may be demanded by the superintendent of banks. Such examiners shall confine their work to the examination of state banks, savings banks, trust companies and other financial corporations located within the districts to which they shall be appointed as hereinafter pro-