

adjacent thereto during the fair, so far as may be necessary for such purpose. At or before the time of holding any fair, the president of any such society may appoint, in writing signed by him, as many persons to act as special constables as he may judge necessary, for and during the time of holding the same and for a reasonable time prior and subsequent thereto. Such constables, before entering upon their duties, shall take and subscribe the usual oath of office, indorsed upon their appointment, and shall have and exercise upon the grounds of such society, and within one half mile thereof, all the power and authority of constables at common law, and in addition thereto may, within such limits without warrant arrest any person found violating any law of the state, or any rule, regulation, or by-law of said society, and may summarily remove the persons and property of such offenders from the grounds and take them before any court of competent jurisdiction to be dealt with according to law. Every such peace officer shall wear an appropriate badge of office while acting as such.

Any person who shall wilfully violate any lawful rule or regulation made by such societies during the days of a fair shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

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

Approved April 4, 1923.

CHAPTER 147—S. F. No. 695.

An act authorizing county boards in certain counties to levy a tax for county revenue purposes.

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

Section 1. Tax levy for county revenue purposes in certain counties.—The county board of any county in the state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$12,500,000 nor more than \$15,000,000, exclusive of money and credits, and an area of not less than 44 nor more than 45 full or fractional congressional townships, may levy for county revenue purposes, such amount in excess of existing limitations as may be necessary to defray county revenue expenses, but the total levy for such purposes shall not exceed seven mills on the dollar of the taxable property of said county, exclusive of money and credits.

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

Approved April 4, 1923.