

properly be made a part of such city of the first class, it shall have power, by resolution duly adopted, to annex such territory and immediately upon the adoption of such resolution the territory annexed shall become a part of such city of the first class for all purposes, except that such annexation shall not release the property annexed from liability on account of any outstanding indebtedness of such village or city of the fourth class existing at the time of the annexation. There after the city clerk of such city of the first class shall file with the register of deeds of the county wherein such city of the first class is situate and in the office of the secretary of state a certified copy of the resolution adopted by the council of such city of the first class annexing the territory described to such city of the first class.

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

Approved April 19, 1923.

CHAPTER 353—H. F. No. 1056.

An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 217, Laws 1917, in so far as said Section relates to the boundaries of the fifty-ninth and sixtieth Senatorial and Representative Districts.

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

Section 1. Boundaries of legislative districts.—That section 2, chapter 217, Laws 1917, in so far as said section relates to the boundaries of the fifty-ninth and sixtieth senatorial and representative districts be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"FIFTY-NINTH DISTRICT

The fifty-ninth district shall be composed of the seventh and eighth wards of the city of Duluth and all of that part of St. Louis county not heretofore described lying south of the township line between townships fifty-six and fifty-seven, *except township fifty-six, range twenty and township fifty-six, range twenty-one, in said county*, and shall be entitled to elect one senator and two representatives."

"SIXTIETH DISTRICT

The sixtieth district shall be composed of all of that part of St. Louis county lying north of the township line between townships fifty-six and fifty-seven and west of the range line between ranges seventeen and eighteen, *and also township fifty-six range twenty, and township fifty-six, range twenty-one, in said county*, and shall be entitled to elect one senator and two representatives."

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

Approved April 19, 1923.

CHAPTER 354—S. F. No. 953.

An act to require railway companies and other common carriers receiving iron ore for shipment to report monthly to the state tax commission the amount so received from each mine and to give detailed information concerning the same, and prescribing penalties.

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

Section 1. **Ore carrying roads to report to the tax commission.**—It shall be the duty of every railway company or other common carrier receiving iron ore for original shipment from any mine in this state to make report in writing delivered or deposited in the mail addressed to the state tax commission at St. Paul, Minnesota on or before the tenth day of May and November, each and every year the amounts in tons received for shipment as provided for in this act, up to and inclusive of the last day of April and October of each year, setting forth the total amount in tons received for shipment from each such mine and of the amounts of tons received for shipment since the last date required to be included in the last report, and whether received from open pit, pocket or stock pile stating the amount in tons so received from each of such sources. Said report shall also show the place where such ore was received for shipment and the name of the shipper in each case.

Sec. 2. **Violation a gross misdemeanor.**—Any railway company or common carrier which fails, neglects or refuses to make any report required by this act shall be deemed guilty of a gross misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding five thousand dollars for each such offense.

Sec. 3. **Effective May 1st, 1923.**—This act shall take effect and be in force from and after May 1st, 1923.

Approved April 19, 1923.

CHAPTER 355—S. F. No. 80.

An act authorizing junior mortgagees and encumbrancers to pay principal and interest in default on prior mortgages, contracts and encumbrances.

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

Section 1. **Holdings of junior mortgages may pay default in prior mortgages.**—Any person who has a mortgage lien upon any land against which there exists a prior mortgage may pay