Sec. 2. Salary of probation officer.—Section 287 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 287. Such probation officer shall receive as full compensation for his services, twenty-seven hundred dollars per annum, and each deputy such amount as shall be fixed by the judges of said court not exceeding twenty-two hundred dollars per annum. Such salary shall be payable in equal semi-monthly installments out of the city treasury.

This act shall be in effect and force from and after March

31st, 1923.

Sec. 3. Invalidity of one section not to affect balance.—If any section, clause, or part of this act shall be found invalid, the the validity of the remainder shall in no way be affected thereby Approved April 21, 1923.

CHAPTER 414-H, F, No. 862.

An act to amend Section 2, of Chapter 257, Laws 1921, which chapter is entitled" An act authorizing cities of the third class to erect and maintain buildings or monuments in recognition of the services performed by soldiers, sailors, marines and war veterans of the United States, and providing for the cost thereof.

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

Section 1. Bonds for soldiers' memorials.—That Section 2 of Chapter 257, Laws 1921, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:—

Section 2. Bonds may be voted. Said council, may whenever it shall have resolved that it is expedient to borrow money for such purpose and a proposal to do so in an amount specified shall have been duly submitted to and approved by a majority of the voters of such city voting at a special election called for the purpose or at a general or annual election in the notice whereof the proposed issue shall have been plainly submitted for approval or rejection, issue and sell the bonds of such city for such purpose in the manner now provided by law for the issuance of bonds by cities for other purposes. The proposal to erect a monument or building and the proposal to issue bonds to defray the cost thereof may be submitted at the same election. The proceeds of such bond issue shall be used for the erection and maintenance of the monument or building provided for by the council, and such bonds may be issued without regard to existing charter limitations, but such bonds shall not exceed in amount five per cent, of the taxable value, as finally equalized by the Minnesota Tax Commission, of the real and personal property within said city, "provided, that no

sum shall be expended under the provisions of this act in excess of \$50,000."

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

after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1923.

CHAPTER 415-H. F. No. 1043.

An act authorizing and empowering cities now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants to sell, lease, divert, alienate, or otherwise dispose of park property abutting on a navigable river owned by such city, by unanimous vote of the council or governing body of such city.

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

Section 1. Cities may dispose of park property.—That any city in this state now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, is hereby authorized and empowered within three months after the passage of this act to sell, lease, divert, alienate, or otherwise dispose of any park property abutting on a navigable river owned by such city, upon the passage of an ordinance by a unanimous vote of the city council or governing body of such city.

Sec. 2. Not to affect other powers of council.—Nothing herein contained shall be construed as a limitation or restriction upon the powers and authority now vested in said cities in respect

to such lands.

Sec. 3. Application.—This act shall apply to cities now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants and operating under a charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4, of the State Constitution.

Approved April 21, 1923.

CHAPTER 416-H. F. No. 1049.

An act to amend Chapter 455, General Laws of Minnesota for 1919, being an act entitled, "An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, disposition or transportation of, or the keeping or having in possession for sale, disposition or transportation, or the soliciting, receiving or taking any order for intoxicating liquor, except for certain purposes, and to regulate the manufacture, sale, disposition, transportation, possession and use of intoxicating liquor for such purposes and to provide for the enforcement of such prohibition and to provide for the suspension of laws inconsistent herewith in certain cases; to define nuisances and provide for the abatement thereof and the injunction of the person creating,