

Provided however that proceedings to obtain such extension under the provisions of this Act shall be taken within six months after the passage of this Act and provided further that this Act shall not affect any pending litigation nor apply to any corporation whose charter has been declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction in this State.

Sec. 2. Acts of corporation legalized.—Any and all conveyances heretofore made and any and all acts done by any such corporation or its proper officers subsequent to the expiration of its last period of duration shall, whenever such corporation shall renew its corporate existence under the provisions of this Act, become and same hereby are legalized and made of the same force and effect as though such conveyances or said Acts had been made or done prior to such expiration of said period of duration; provided however that nothing herein contained shall be construed as affecting any vested rights or any action or proceeding now pending.

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

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#### CHAPTER 47—H. F. No. 166.

*An act to amend Section 4822, Revised Laws 1905, being Section 8550, General Statutes 1913, relating to the escape of prisoners and of persons in the lawful custody of an officer or other person, and prescribing a penalty therefor.*

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

Section 1. Escaped prisoners.—That section 4822, Revised Laws 1905, being section 8550, General Statutes 1913, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"4822. Every prisoner confined in a *penal institution*, or being in the lawful custody of an officer or other person, who shall escape from such *institution* or custody or who shall depart from such *institution* or custody without the permission of the authorities of such *institution* or of the officer or person having him in custody, or who, being outside of the confines of such *institution* by permission or order of the authorities thereof, or being away from the presence of the officer or person having him in custody by permission or order of such officer or person, shall depart contrary to such permission or order, or shall fail to return to such *institution* or to the presence of such officer or person in accordance with such permission or order, if he is held on a charge or conviction of felony, shall be guilty of a felony; if on a charge or conviction of a gross misdemeanor, shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor; and if on a charge or conviction of a misdemeanor, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

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