

tribution to take all lawful means to secure support for the family from relatives under legal obligation to render such support; to ascertain the ability of other relatives to assist the family and to interview individuals, societies and other agencies which may be deemed appropriate sources of such assistance. Every family to which an allowance has been made shall be visited at its home by a representative of the court at least once in three months; and after each visit the person making the same shall make and keep on file as a part of the official record of the case a detailed statement of the condition of the home and family, and all other data which may assist in determining the wisdom of the allowance granted and the advisability of its continuance; and the court shall at least once in each year reconsider every case in which an allowance has been made, and take such action as the facts then existing shall warrant. All findings and orders provided for herein may be made upon the written reports of official investigators with like effect as if based upon competent testimony given in open court."

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#### CHAPTER 356—H. F. No. 1013.

*An act providing for the furnishing by the register of deeds of each county to elevators making application and paying the fee provided therefor, of an abstract of all mortgages and liens upon grain grown during each year, and, filed in the office of the register of deeds.*

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

**Section 1. Register of Deeds to furnish Abstract of Chattel mortgages to elevators.**—Any elevator company doing business this state may annually make written application to the register of deeds for an abstract of all designated mortgages and liens upon grains grown during the year within the county. Such application shall state the name of the elevator and the post address thereof and shall be accompanied by a fee of \$5.00, as an advance for fees, and the register shall receive 15 cents for each instrument abstracted and at the end of the year may deduct from such advance fees or any further sums that may have been deposited, his fees earned hereunder and return the surplus, if any, to the party having made such deposit.

**Sec. 2.** Each register of deeds shall, on or before the 15th day of June of each year, mail to each and every applicant having paid such fee for such year, an abstract of all requested existing mortgages and liens upon grain or crops raised or to be raised during such year, showing the name of the person against whom the lien is claimed, arranged alphabetically, the name of the person holding or claiming such lien, a description of the land upon which the grain

was raised, upon which said lien is claimed, the kind of grain and the amount of the lien claimed. Such abstract shall further contain a list of all mortgages and liens filed against crops or grain grown in such crop year which have been satisfied. At least once a week during the balance of the calendar year the register of deeds shall mail to each of such applicants a similar abstract covering the liens, mortgages and releases thereon filed in his office, since the date of furnishing such prior abstract.

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CHAPTER 357—H. F. 1212.

(Not in G. S. 1923.)

*An act to provide an additional method of amending the articles of incorporation of religious societies, religious associations and religious corporations heretofore formed or reorganized pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 229, General Laws 1889.*

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

**Section 1. Additional method of amending articles of incorporation of religious societies.**—Any religious society, religious association, or religious corporation, heretofore formed or reorganized and now existing pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 229, General Laws 1889, upon compliance with the provisions of this Act, may alter or amend its articles of incorporation as to any matter or thing which, under said Act, could have been included in the original articles of incorporation adopted pursuant to said Act; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall authorize or empower any such religious organization to amend or alter, in the manner provided by this act, its said articles of incorporation in respect to any matter relating to the management or the conduct of the affairs of any cemetery now or hereafter owned or controlled by such religious organization where such cemetery is now or hereafter may be managed or conducted pursuant to provisions of Sections 7606 to 7609, both inclusive, General Statutes 1923.

**Sec. 2. Board of trustees may amend articles.**—The board of trustees, the board of administration, or other governing body of any such religious organization, may, by unanimous vote of all the members of said board or governing body, so alter or amend such articles of incorporation when authorized so to do at any special meeting of such religious organization called for such expressly stated purpose, which such special meeting a majority of the members of such religious organization are present, which authority shall be by resolution passed by vote of a majority of the members present and voting at such meeting of such religious organization. The board of trustees, the board of administration, or other governing body of any such