

shall contain the names of the owners of all lots, parts of lots and parcels of ground which it is so determined or alleged would be so benefited, and may, in addition to or in lieu of fixing a time when such improvement shall be completed, fix a time and place, not less than twenty days after the service of said resolution, for a hearing on the question whether such improvement shall be ordered and completed as provided in Section 3 of said act, and the benefits and cost thereof assessed on and charged against all of the property benefited thereby; and after such hearing, the council, if it deem expedient, may proceed to so order and complete such improvement. In such case the resolution aforesaid, and that provided for in section 3 of said act, shall be served, in the manner as therein provided, upon all the owners of property so alleged or determined to be affected; and the benefits and cost determined, after the completion of the improvement, shall be assessed and charged against all the property benefited thereby; provided, an equitable adjustment shall be made of the benefits and cost, if any, assessed against property whose owner has already made or contributed to the cost of a like improvement beneficial to the same area, or any part thereof.

Sec. 3. Act supplemental.—This act shall be construed as adding to the existing provisions of said Chapter 167, and not as repealing any part thereof; and in all cases hereby authorized the procedure of said chapter shall be followed so far as capable of being applied.

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

Approved April 25th, 1925.

CHAPTER 384—S. F. No. 553

(Not in G. S. 1923.)

An act to amend General Laws 1923, Chapter 94, Section 1, relating to personal property belonging to the State, and providing for the sale, exchange or disposition thereof in certain cases.

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

Section 1. Disposition of personal property belonging to the State.—That General Laws 1923, Chapter 94, Section 1, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. Personal property belonging to the state, for which there is no immediate use, may be sold, exchanged or otherwise disposed of with the consent of the governor as follows: The official having custody and possession of such property shall apply in writing to the governor for his consent to sell, exchange or otherwise dispose thereof, and in his application shall describe the property and shall state the terms or conditions upon which it is desired to

dispose of the same. The governor shall then refer the application to the purchasing agent of the State Board of Control for his recommendation. Thereafter, if the governor finds that there is no immediate use for such property and that the best interests of the state will be subserved by the sale, exchange or other disposition of such property, he may order that such property be sold, exchanged or otherwise disposed of, and in his order may provide for such terms and conditions as in his judgment will be for the best interests of the State. Any moneys received from the sale of personal property belonging to the State shall be paid into the state treasury and accredited to the general revenue fund, *except that moneys received from the sale of property purchased or used by the Minnesota Highway Department shall be credited to the trunk highway fund.*

Approved April 25, 1925.

CHAPTER 385—S. F. No. 594

(Sec. 3844, G. S. 1923)

An act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 495, Laws 1921, known as the "Minnesota Dairy and Food Law" as amended by Chapter 379, Laws 1923, relating to special inspection of canneries and the fees therefor.

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

Section 1. Inspection of Canneries.—That Section 55 of Chapter 495, Laws 1921, as amended by Chapter 379, Laws 1923, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Section 55. The commissioner is hereby authorized to expend such sum or sums, not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars annually, for the purpose of establishing, equipping and maintaining a bacteriological laboratory and employing a bacteriologist and one assistant bacteriologist and a sufficient number of special inspectors to be stationed at canneries while operating, for the purpose of inspecting and grading canned products, packed, to see that proper raw materials are used, and to enforce sanitary regulations. The dairy and food commissioner is hereby further authorized and directed to collect from the various canneries in operation in this state, an assessment for inspection to be provided for by the dairy and food commissioner, the sum of one-half cent per case, but not exceeding \$1,500.00 from any one cannery for inspection in any one cannery season, for each and every case of hermetically sealed and sterilized canned foods manufactured by such canneries, each year hereafter, including the year 1921, and the sums so collected shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the commercial canneries inspection fund, to compensate for and meet the expense of special inspection as provided for in this section. The amount of