

declared valid and sufficient for all purposes notwithstanding such notices were not filed within the thirty days specified in said Act, and shall not be affected in any manner by reason of such fact, provided such notices were in fact filed with the proper body during such month of November, 1925.

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

Approved April 23, 1927.

CHAPTER 401—S. F. No. 324

An act to amend Subsection 2 of Section 2585, General Statutes, 1923, relating to certain town cartways.

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

Section 1. **Town cartways.**—That subsection 2 of section 2585, General Statutes, 1923, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

“Sub. 2. Town boards shall, on petition of the owner of a tract of land of not less than five acres in area, who has no access thereto except over the lands of others, establish a cartway not more than two rods wide connecting his land with a public road, and if the petition contains a prayer therefor the order establishing such cartway may authorize the petitioner and his successors in interest in the lands so connected with a public road to construct and maintain fences along or within the outer limiting lines of the cartway so established. The amount of damages, if any, to be paid by the petitioner to the town before such cartway is opened.”

Approved April 23, 1927.

CHAPTER 402—S. F. No. 1135

An act amending Section 8707 of Chapter 74 of the General Statutes of 1923 of the State of Minnesota, which section refers to the salaries and clerk hire in the offices of the Judges of Probate in this state.

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

Section 1. **Salaries of Judge of Probate in certain counties.**—That Section 8707 of Chapter 74 of the General Statutes of 1923 be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

8707. Salaries of judges of probate in certain counties.—The probate judges in all the counties in this state where compensation is not fixed by special laws shall receive in full com-

pensation for all services rendered by them annual salaries to be paid in twelve equal monthly installments, based on the then last preceding completed state or national census, and on the then last preceding assessed valuation of real and personal property, as fixed by the Minnesota state tax commission as follows:

In counties whose population is less than six thousand, seven hundred fifty dollars; if the population is six thousand and less than nine thousand, one thousand dollars, and in addition thereto fifty dollars for every one million dollars assessed valuation not to exceed three hundred dollars; if the population is nine thousand and less than thirteen thousand eleven hundred fifty dollars, and in addition thereto fifty dollars for every one million dollars assessed valuation not to exceed four hundred dollars; if the population is thirteen thousand and less than seventeen thousand, thirteen hundred dollars, and in addition thereto fifty dollars for every one million dollars assessed valuation not to exceed five hundred dollars; if the population is seventeen thousand and less than twenty-two thousand, fourteen hundred fifty dollars, and in addition thereto fifty dollars for every one million dollars assessed valuation not to exceed six hundred dollars; if the population is twenty-two thousand and less than twenty-eight thousand, fifteen hundred dollars, and in addition thereto fifty dollars for every one million dollars assessed valuation not to exceed seven hundred fifty dollars; if the population is twenty-eight thousand and less than thirty-six thousand, sixteen hundred dollars, and in addition thereto fifty dollars for every million dollars assessed valuation not to exceed nine hundred fifty dollars; if the population is thirty-six thousand and less than forty-five thousand, eighteen hundred dollars, and in addition thereto fifty dollars for every one million dollars assessed valuation not to exceed one thousand dollars; if the population is forty-five thousand and less than one hundred thousand, three thousand dollars.

In addition to the foregoing salaries, annual compensation for clerk hire for probate judges in counties having a population of less than one hundred thousand shall be as follows:

In all counties having a population of less than eight thousand the county board may allow clerk hire in an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the salary of the probate judge; if the population is eight thousand and less than thirteen thousand, three hundred dollars, and such further sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of seven hundred dollars; if the population is thirteen thousand and less than seventeen thousand, four hundred dollars and such further sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of eight hundred dollars; if the population is seventeen thousand and

less than twenty-two thousand, five hundred fifty dollars, and such further sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of nine hundred dollars; if the population is twenty-two thousand and less than twenty-eight thousand, six hundred fifty dollars, and such further sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of twelve hundred dollars; if the population is twenty-eight thousand and less than thirty-six thousand, seven hundred dollars, and such further sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of fourteen hundred dollars; if the population is thirty-six thousand and less than forty-five thousand, twelve hundred dollars and such further sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of fifteen hundred dollars; if the population is forty-five thousand and less than fifty-five thousand, fifteen hundred dollars, and such further sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of two thousand dollars; if the population is fifty-five thousand and less than one hundred thousand such sum as the county board may allow not to exceed a total of *four thousand* dollars per annum. Provided, however, that no sums whatever shall be paid or allowed for clerk hire in excess of the amounts actually paid or due for help employed to perform necessary excess clerical labor in the respective offices of judges of probate as herein before mentioned.

Approved April 23, 1927.

CHAPTER 403—S. F. No. 1192

An act to amend General Statutes 1923, Section 1089, relating to the compensation of certain town officers.

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

Section 1. **Compensation of town officers.**—That General Statutes 1923, Section 1089, be amended to read as follows:

"1089. The following town officers shall be entitled to compensation for each day's service necessarily rendered as follows, viz: Assessors, four dollars, and mileage at the rate of five (5) cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled by him in going and returning from the county seat of the county to attend any meeting of the assessors of the county which may be legally called by the county auditor, and also for each mile necessarily traveled by him in making his return of assessment to the proper county officer; supervisors and clerks, three dollars when the service is rendered within the town, and three dollars when rendered without the town; but no supervisor shall receive more than ninety dollars as compensation