

Section 1. Minimum punishment for larceny of fowl.—In any case of grand larceny in the second degree or petit larceny, when the property stolen or any part thereof shall consist of any domestic animal or fowl, the minimum punishment shall be 45 days imprisonment in the county jail; but this shall not affect the maximum punishment for the offense.

Approved April 16, 1929.

CHAPTER 204—S. F. No. 662

An act authorizing villages to issue bonds for the purpose of funding floating indebtedness.

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

Section 1. Villages may issue bonds for certain purposes.—Any village in the State of Minnesota is hereby authorized to issue bonds of such village to fund the outstanding floating indebtedness thereof as represented by its orders or warrants or bonds outstanding and unpaid on February 15, 1929; provided, however, that the aggregate face value of the bonds which shall be issued by any village under the provisions of this act shall not exceed the sum of \$10,000, nor shall such bonds together with all other indebtedness of such village bring the total net bonded indebtedness of such village in excess of 5% of the assessed valuation of such village.

Sec. 2. Bonds—Rate of interest—Execution.—Before any bonds are issued under the provisions of this act, the issuance of such bonds shall be authorized by a resolution adopted by the affirmative vote of all the members of the village council. Said bonds shall bear interest at not to exceed five and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, shall mature as provided by Section 3, Chapter 131, Laws 1927, shall be in such form as the governing body shall by resolution determine, shall be signed by the president and countersigned by the clerk or recorder, and shall be sold in the manner prescribed by Section 1943, General Statutes 1923; and prior to the issuance of such bonds the governing body shall levy a tax for the payment thereof in the manner prescribed by Section 5 of Chapter 131, Laws 1927. Provided, that no such bonds shall be issued unless the village

council issuing such bonds shall pass the resolution authorizing the issuance thereof under this act within 90 days after the passage and approval of this act.

Sec. 3. Limitation.—This act shall not be construed as limiting the power of a municipality to levy taxes to pay its obligations issued hereunder, but the governing body of every municipality shall have the authority and it shall be its duty to levy any taxes necessary to provide revenue to pay such obligations.

Sec. 4. Acts Supplemental.—The provisions of this act shall be supplementary and additional to the powers in that regard now conferred by law on villages.

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CHAPTER 205—S. F. No. 730

An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 294, Laws, 1919, fixing the salary of the county coroner in counties now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits.

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

Section 1. Salary of coroner in certain counties.—That Section 1, Chapter 294, Laws, 1919, be amended so as to read as follows:

“Section 1. The coroner of every county in this state now or hereafter having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and an assessed valuation of over \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits, shall receive a salary of *Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars* a year payable in equal monthly installments, as other county officials are now paid, which salary shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by such coroner to said county.”

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