made the duty of such register of deeds, upon being paid his statutory fees, to record such statement in some appropriate book in his office.

Such record or duly certified copy thereof shall be prima facie evidence that the city in question is the owner of the property described therein by good and perfect title.

Sec. 10. Application of act.—This act shall be applicable to any city of the third class existing under a charter framed under and pursuant to the Constitution of the state of Minnesota, Article 4, Section 36.

Any city acquiring any property under this act is empowered to afford police protection to any and every such property.

Approved March 24, 1939.

## CHAPTER 76—S. F. No. 1

An act relating to wild animals, the issuance of licenses, fees therefor, and privileges thereunder, and amending the 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 5536-2 and 5505, Subdivision 7.

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

- Section 1. Fees for game and fish licenses.—The 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 5536-2, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:
- "5536-2 (A) The kinds of licenses, the fees to be paid therefor, and the kinds of animals which may be taken thereunder, respectively, subject to all other provisions of law relating to the taking of wild animals, as stated in Section 5536-1, shall be as follows:
- (1) Resident small game hunting license, \$1.00, to take all small game;
- (2) Non-resident small game hunting license, \$25.00, to take all small game;
- (3) Resident big game hunting license, \$2.00, to take all big game.
- (4) Non-resident big game hunting license, \$50.00 to take all big game;

- (5) Resident trapping license, \$1.00 to trap all fur bearing animals;
  - (6) Resident fishing license, \$.50, to take fish;
- Non-resident season fishing license, \$3.00, to take fish; Provided, a combination fishing license may be issued to a non-resident husband and wife for which a fee of \$4.50 shall be charged, and a charge of \$1.00 shall be made for two shipping coupons one of which is required to be attached to each shipment of fish made by common carrier by any nonresident, in accordance with the provisions of the 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 5505, Subdivision 7, as amended by this act. Provided, however. that no more than two shipping coupons may be issued to any licensee, combination or otherwise, in one season; provided, however, that such shipping coupons shall be cancelled by the shipping clerk to whom said shipment is first delivered; and provided, further, that the director of game and fish may issue to non-residents licenses to take fish by angling in and upon the waters of Big Stone Lake and Lake Superior upon the same terms and conditions as those granted and enjoyed under and by virtue of the Laws of the States of South Dakota and Wisconsin respectively;
- (8) Bait dealers' license, \$2.50, but operators of summer resorts and tourist camps who sell to their guests only, shall not be subject to the payment of such license fee.
- (9) Whitefish netting and inland herring netting licenses to take fish for private use but not for sale, under Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 5586, one net per applicant not exceeding 100 feet in length, license \$1.00;
- (10) Dark House, fish house or other shelters for use thereof in winter fishing, license \$1.00.
- (B) The term "big game" as used herein shall include deer, moose, elk, caribou and bear and the term "small game" as used herein shall include all other protected wild quadrupeds and wild birds.
- (C) Every license shall have printed thereon the kind thereof and the name of all wild animals which may lawfully be taken thereunder, and shall entitle the person to whom issued to take the wild animals therein specified in such manner and at such times and places as may be permitted by law. Protected wild animals may be taken under a hunting

· license only by hunting with a firearm or other lawful weapon. Protected fur-bearing animals may be taken under a trapping license only with lawful traps. Fish may be taken under fishing license only by angling, or by spearing, or netting by residents only, when possessing the required additional license so to do.

- (D) All persons who engage in selling bait to be used for fishing shall be designated as bait dealers."
- Sec. 2. Shipping out of the state.—The 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 5505, Subdivision 7, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:
- "(7) A non-resident duly licensed to fish in this state, may, however, ship by common carrier as provided by this Act to a point outside this state in any one season not to exceed 24 pounds of fish of any variety or one fish lawfully caught by him in this state, and as provided by this act; but not more than 12 pounds may be shipped on one coupon.

Such non-resident shall further be authorized to transport or carry with him to any point beyond the boundaries of the state, not to exceed one daily limit of fish of any variety.

Only undressed fish may be shipped.

Such shipment shall be made by the licensee to himself only."

Approved March 24, 1939.

## CHAPTER 77-H. F. No. 627

An act relating to the judicial notice of the laws of other jurisdictions and for proof thereof.

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

- Section 1. Courts to take judicial notice.—Every court of this state shall take judicial notice of the common law and statutes of every state, territory and other jurisdiction of the United States.
- Sec. 2. Courts may obtain information—how.—The court may inform itself of such laws in such manner as it may deem proper, and the court may call upon counsel to aid it in obtaining such information.