

and are hereby vested with the usual powers of constables at common law and authority and powers of police officers of said city of St. Paul. If the judges of said court shall so direct one of said assistant clerks shall have the qualifications of a stenographer, and shall perform such duties in that regard as the judges prescribe. Such direction or qualification, however, shall not in any way affect the provisions of this act in reference to the official stenographer. Each of said assistant clerks before entering upon the performance of the duties of his office shall first take and subscribe an oath in form as prescribed in Section 10 of this Act, and execute to the city of St. Paul for the use and benefit of all persons injured by failure to observe its conditions a penal bond in the sum of \$1,000, with such sureties as the common council may approve, conditioned that he will account to and pay over to the clerk or deputy clerk of said court on each day all moneys belonging to or to go to said city, and that he will at all times pay over to said clerk or deputy clerk of said court on demand all moneys to which any person may be entitled which may have come into his hands in virtue or by reason of his office. Such bond shall be filed with the same officer as the bond of the clerk.

The judges of said court shall each receive a salary of \$5,500.00 per year; the clerk of said court a salary of \$3,600.00 per year; the deputy clerk of said court a salary of \$2,700.00 per year; the assistant clerk a salary of \$2,000.00 per year, and one assistant clerk a salary of \$1,800.00 per year; and the stenographer reporter shall receive a salary of \$2,100.00 per year; such salaries being payable in each case out of the city treasury of the City of St. Paul in equal monthly installments.

Approved April 21, 1945.

CHAPTER 459—H. F. No. 784

An act providing for the filing of articles of amendment increasing or diminishing the authorized capital stock of cooperative associations organized under the provisions of Chapter 326, Laws of Minnesota 1923, as amended, and validating such articles of amendment heretofore filed.

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

Section 1. Cooperative association; time extended to file amendment to articles. In any case where an amendment of

articles of incorporation of a cooperative association organized under the provisions of Chapter 326, Laws of Minnesota 1923, as amended, increasing or diminishing the capital stock of such association, has been duly adopted by the stockholders of the association, but articles of amendment setting forth such amendment and the manner of adoption thereof have not been filed in the office of the Secretary of State and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of the principal place of business of the association within thirty days after the adoption of such amendment, articles of amendment setting forth such amendment may be filed in the office of the Secretary of State and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of the principal place of business of such association within six months after the approval of this Act.

Sec. 2. Validation. All such articles of amendment heretofore filed in the office of the Secretary of State and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of the principal place of business of the association more than thirty days after the adoption of such amendments are hereby validated for all purposes.

Sec. 3. Prior amendment. Articles of amendment increasing or diminishing the capital stock of a cooperative association, filed and recorded as provided in Section 1 hereof, and all such articles of amendment heretofore filed and recorded more than thirty days after the adoption thereof shall be effective as fully and to the same extent as though said articles of amendment had been filed and recorded within thirty days after the adoption thereof by the stockholders of the association.

Approved April 21, 1945.

CHAPTER 460—H. F. No. 802

An act relating to old age assistance and to repeal Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 256.26, Subdivision 8, and to amend Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 256.26, Subdivisions 9, 10, 11, and 12.

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

Section 1. Repeal. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 256.26, Subdivision 8, is hereby repealed.