

subdivision thereof, into parcels, lots, or blocks and lots for the purpose of sale or assessment, or wishing to dedicate streets, alleys, parks or other lands to public use, shall cause the same to be surveyed and monumented in the field in conformity with the following:

1. The external boundary lines of any land subdivision shall be monumented at intervals of not to exceed 1,400 feet on straight lines, at all subdivision points located along said boundaries and at the corners of said subdivision, at the beginning and end of all curves, at any point where a curve changes radius or is reversed and at all angle points in said lines except where such angle points are less than 100 feet apart, except that when such corners or points fall within the limits of any street or streets the monuments shall be placed on the side lines of said street or streets and not in the street itself;

2. Monuments shall be either of stone, concrete, or twisted or deformed iron rods with a length of at least 30 inches in the ground and with the top set flush therewith;

3. **Repeal.** Stone or concrete monuments shall have a minimum top diameter of not less than five inches and the point being perpetuated on the monument shall be a cross, brass plug, iron pin or other suitable and durable marker, cut or set permanently in the top of said monument; and

4. Iron rods used for monuments shall be of a minimum diameter of one inch.

Sec. 3. Special Laws 1889, Chapter 178, Section 8, is hereby repealed.

Approved April 23, 1945.

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#### CHAPTER 547—S. F. No. 954

*An act relating to the hospitals and asylums for the insane and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 253.02.*

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

Section 1: Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 253.02, is hereby amended to read as follows:

253.02. **Detention hospitals.** The director of public institutions shall establish, erect, equip, and maintain, in connec-

tion with the state hospitals for the insane, *five* detention hospitals, to be known as first, second, third, *fourth and fifth* state detention hospitals, which shall be under the supervision, respectively, of the superintendent of the state hospital for the insane, at which it is located. The director of public institutions shall determine to what detention hospital patients shall be committed from each county and notify the probate judge thereof and of changes made from time to time. Each person found to be insane, except those criminally insane, shall be committed to the proper detention hospital, there to be kept and treated until the superintendent shall determine and certify either that he is not insane or that he is a fit subject for a state hospital for the insane. If he is found to be sane he shall be discharged, as provided by law in other cases. If, after a reasonable time, the superintendent deems him a fit subject for a state hospital or asylum, and so certifies to the director of public institutions, the director of public institutions shall transfer him to a hospital or asylum, to be detained and treated as provided by law.

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#### CHAPTER 548—S. F. No. 964

*An act relating to the change of boundaries of independent school districts having a population of more than 2300 and less than 2800 and an assessed valuation of taxable property exclusive of moneys and credits of more than \$6,500,000, more than 70 per cent of which consists of iron ore, and repealing Laws 1943, Chapter 511.*

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

Section 1. **Repeal.** Laws 1943, Chapter 511, is hereby repealed.

Approved April 23, 1945.

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#### CHAPTER 549—S. F. No. 973

*An act relating to the incurring and payment of municipal and school district obligations in certain cases, and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 475.23, as amended by Laws 1943, Chapter 480*