

pay for transferring and transcribing such records such sums as they may deem to be just and reasonable.

SEC. 4. And it shall be and is hereby made the duty of the present Board of County Commissioners of said Big Stone county, on or before the twenty-eighth (28th) day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (1881), to redistrict said county into five (5) commissioner districts, and to give notice of said redistricting by posting one (1) notice in the most public place in each district, and by publishing said notice in the North Star and Ortonville Herald, two weekly papers published in said county. Redistricting.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 8, 1881.

## CHAPTER 107.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR STATE PURPOSES FOR THE YEARS ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE (1881) AND ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO (1882.)

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

SECTION 1. There shall be levied on all taxable property in the State of Minnesota for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (1881) a tax of two hundred and eighty thousand dollars (\$280,000), or as near that amount as practicable. *Provided*, that the tax hereby levied shall not exceed one mill (\$.001) on each dollar of taxable property. Tax levy.

SEC. 2. All taxes levied under the provisions of the foregoing section when collected and paid into the State treasury, shall be distributed as follows: three-quarters ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ) thereof to be placed to the credit of the General revenue fund, one-twentieth (1-20) thereof to be placed to the credit of the State interest fund, and one-fifth (1-5) thereof to be placed to the credit of the sinking fund. Distribution of taxes.

SEC. 3. There shall be levied on all taxable property in the State of Minnesota for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two (1882) a tax of three hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$320,000) or as near that amount as practicable. *Provided*, that the tax hereby levied shall not exceed one mill (\$.001) on each dollar of taxable property. Amount of tax levy.

SEC. 4. All taxes levied under the provisions of the foregoing section, when collected and paid into the State treasury, shall be placed to the credit of the general revenue fund.

Disposition of funds.

SEC. 5. All accumulations of the interest fund in excess of the amount required to pay interest on State indebtedness, shall be transferred to the sinking fund.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 23, 1881.

## CHAPTER 108.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE SUSPENSION AND REMOVAL OF COUNTY TREASURERS, FOR THE MALFEASANCE OR NONFEASANCE IN OFFICE AND FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COUNTY TREASURERS AD INTERIM.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever it shall appear from the report of the Public Examiner that the Treasurer of any county has been guilty of malfeasance or nonfeasance, in the performance of his official duties, the Governor may suspend such Treasurer from office, if he shall deem the public interests so to require.

Malfeasance or nonfeasance

suspension by the governor.

SEC. 2. In case of such suspension, the Governor shall immediately notify the Auditor of the county, who shall at once give notice to the Commissioners of said county of such suspension, and call a meeting of the board to be held at the earliest possible date, and within five (5) days from date of said notice. It shall be the duty of said Board of Commissioners to convene at the time mentioned in such notice, and to appoint a County Treasurer *ad interim*, and such person shall qualify according to the provisions of section one hundred and forty-five (145), of chapter eight (8) of the General Statutes, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878) whereupon the suspended Treasurer shall deliver to such Treasurer *ad interim* all the public property, money, books, accounts, papers and documents in his possession.

Commissioners may appoint.

Hearing.

SEC. 3. The suspended Treasurer may notify the Governor that he desires a hearing upon the charges made, whereupon the Governor shall cause the charges to be reduced to writing, and furnish the Treasurer with a copy thereof.