

Election of directors—terms designated on ballots.

of such district, there shall be chosen in the same manner six (6) directors, two (2) of whom shall serve for one (1) year, two (2) for two (2) years, and two (2) for three (3) years, and until their successors are elected and qualified; the time that each shall serve to be designated on the ballot, and annually thereafter on the first (1st) Saturday in September there shall be chosen two (2) directors whose terms of office shall be three (3) years, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Normal school students.

SEC. 11. That section one hundred and thirty-seven (137) be amended to read as follows: There shall be no charge for tuition or for incidental expenses to the students of any Normal School who shall have filed with the principal thereof a declaration of intention to engage in the work of teaching in the public schools of this State for not less than two (2) years after his or her connection with said school shall cease. The board may fix such rates of tuition for pupils in the model school and for students not intending to teach as in their judgment may be equitable and just.

SEC. 12. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 7, 1881.

CHAPTER 42.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-TWO (232), TITLE ELEVEN (11), CHAPTER EIGHT (8) OF GENERAL STATUTES OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878), RELATING TO COUNTY GENERAL SURVEYORS.

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

SECTION 1. That section two hundred and thirty-two (232), title eleven (11), chapter eight (8) of General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 232. The said surveyor may appoint such number of deputies as he thinks proper, who shall severally take an oath, for the faithful performance of whose duties he shall be responsible, and by himself or one of his deputies, execute all surveys which shall be ordered by any court, board of county commissioners, town supervisors or other public offi-

County surveyors may appoint deputies.

cer. within his county, or upon application of any individual or corporation, and each of said deputies shall have the power to administer oaths to chainmen and other persons under their charge.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS NINE (9), EIGHTEEN (18), FORTY (40) AND FIFTY-ONE (51) OF CHAPTER FIFTY-SEVEN (57), GENERAL STATUTES, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT, (1878), RELATING TO SALES OF LANDS BY EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS AND GUARDIANS.

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

SECTION 1. That section nine (9) of chapter fifty-seven (57) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 9. If the Judge of Probate is satisfied, after a full hearing upon the petition, and on examination of the proofs and allegations of the parties interested, that a sale of the whole or some portion of the real estate is necessary for the payment of valid claims against the deceased, and charges of administration, or if such sale is assented to by all persons interested, he shall thereupon make an order of sale authorizing the executor or administrator to sell the whole, or so much and such part of the real estate described in the petition as he deems necessary or beneficial: and he may, by said order, or by a supplemental order, in case an order of license has already been granted, direct the executor or administrator to sell any lot or tract of land in as many subdivisions, parts or portions as in the opinion of the Judge of Probate may be best calculated to secure purchasers and produce the most money on such sale; and if it appears to the Judge of Probate necessary or beneficial to the interests of all parties interested, he may direct and require the executor or administrator to sub-divide any tract or parcel of land into lots, and to lay off such streets or alleys, or both, as may be necessary or desirable; and upon the approval of a plat of such sub-division by the Judge of Probate, the executor or administrator shall thereupon proceed to comply with the

Judges of probate may order land sold for payment of claims.