

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved November 21, 1881.

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### CHAPTER 62.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION ONE (1) OF CHAPTER FORTY-ONE (41) SPECIAL LAWS OF EIGHTEEN SEVENTY-NINE (1879) AND ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of chapter forty-one (41) of Special Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-nine (1879), be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "East" before the word "Janesville" in said section.

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

Approved November 17, 1881.

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### CHAPTER 63.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION SIX (6) OF CHAPTER TWO HUNDRED AND ELEVEN (211) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX (1876), RELATING TO THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF ST. PAUL, APPROVED MARCH FIRST (1st), ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX (1876).

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

SECTION 1. That section six (6) of the act entitled "An act to amend the act relating to the municipal court of the city of St. Paul," approved March 8th, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (1875), approved March 1st, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (1876), be and the same is amended so as to read and be as follows, to wit:

SEC. 2. The judge and clerk of said court, in connection with the city attorney, shall on the last Saturday of each month in each year, meet at the municipal court room in said city of St. Paul, and from the electors of said city select and designate forty-eight of said electors of said city as the jurors of said municipal court, to serve therein when required and drawn, during the succeeding month, and until their successors are selected. The clerk of said municipal court shall thereupon write said names upon separate slips, and place the same in a wheel or box, and whenever a jury is required in said court he shall thereupon by lot draw for a jury of sixteen

jurors—for a jury of twelve—twenty jurors. The jurors so drawn shall be summoned to attend the trial of the case wherein they were drawn. The first six or twelve so drawn shall constitute the jury, unless some of said jurors are excused; in which case the clerk shall call so many of the remaining jurors as shall be required to fill the place of the jurors excused. And in the event that a jury can not, for any cause, be filled and sworn from the jurors so summoned, then the clerk shall draw other names from said box or wheel, and summon the same, until the jury is full. The jury shall be sworn as in the district court, and the functions of judge and jury in the trial of cause shall be the same as in the district court, and exceptions to the rulings and decisions of the judge, and his charges and his refusals to charge, may be taken as upon trials in the district court, and said court is vested with all powers over cases within its jurisdiction which are possessed by district courts of this state over cases within their jurisdiction, and all laws of a general nature shall apply to said municipal court so far as the same can be applicable and not inconsistent with the provisions of this act and other laws not inconsistent herewith. Jurors in said municipal court shall be entitled to like fees in the trial of civil actions as jurors in justices' courts, but the party demanding a jury in any civil action in said court shall be required to advance the fees for such jury and the summoning thereof.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved October 28, 1881.

#### CHAPTER 64.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-ONE (231), OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878), BEING AN ACT GRANTING SWAMP LANDS IN THE COUNTY OF OTTER TAIL TO AID IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A RAILROAD FROM FERGUS FALLS TO THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter two hundred and thirty-one (231), of the special laws of the year one thousand eight hundred seventy-eight (1878), is hereby amended by striking out the words "within three (3) years from the passage of this act," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "on or before July first (1st), A. D., one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two (1882)."

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

Approved November 21, 1881.