CHAPTER 57.

8. F. No. 77.

Amendment to probate code.

An act to amend section 277 of chapter 46 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1889, entitled "An Act to Establish a Probate Code," as amended and modified by section 49 of chapter 5 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1893, entitled "An Act to Confirm the Location and Establishment of the Minnesota Hospitals for the Insanc, to Provide for Commitment Thereto, the Management and Supervision Thereof and the Licensing and Supervision of All Other Hospitals for the Insane,'

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

Section 1. That section 277 of chapter 46 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1889, entitled "An Act to Establish a Probate Code," as amended and modified by section 49 of chapter 5 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1893, entitled "An Act to Confirm the Location and Establishment of the Minnesota Hospitals for the Insane, to Provide for Commitment Thereto, the Management and Supervision Thereof and the Licensing and Supervision of All Other Hospitals for the Insane," be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 277. The judge of probate or court commissioner shall allow the following fees for services provided for in this act:

"To the examiners in lunacy, for every examination, five dollars each, and for every mile traveled by each of them in making such examination fifteen cents, and to the family physician or examiner procuring answers to the questions specified in section 22 of said chapter 5, the sum of five dollars.

"To the person authorized to convey an insane person For conveyto a state hospital, or to the place of his legal residence, three dollars per day for the time necessarily employed, and all necessary disbursements for travel, and for the support of himself, the insane person and authorized assistants.

"Such amounts to be audited by the judge of probate or court commissioner and judgment entered of record therefor, to be paid out of the county treasury, by the county treasurer upon the written order of the judge of probate or court commissioner under seal of the court;

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and paid out of county treasury.

Written order filed. and upon the payment thereof, said judgment shall be satisfied of record by the judge of probate or court commissioner; provided, that the said written order shall be filed with the county auditor, who shall issue his warrant on the county treasurer in payment of said sums.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the

provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 23, 1905.

S. F. No.

CHAPTER 58.

An act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants or over to issue bonds in aid of certain street improvements.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota

Issue of bonds for street improvement in cities of \$10,000 and over.

Section 1. Any city in this state, now or hereafter having a population of fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants or over, which shall decide by action of its common council to improve any street leading to the outskirts of such city, which will be in the nature of a general thoroughfare, by paying or macadamizing the same, when in the opinion of the common council, property cannot be found subject to assessment which is benefited sufficiently to cover the cost and expense of such improvement, then and in that case the common council of such city, in order to aid in defraying the cost and expense of such improvement, may, by ordinance passed by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of all the members thereof, authorize the issue, and may issue and sell the bonds, of such city therefor in a sum not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) par value, anything in the charter of said city or in any law in this state which may prohibit the issue of any bonds in excess of any specified percentage of the taxable property in such city to the contrary notwithstanding; provided, however, that no power is granted or shall exist under this act, to issue in the aggregate more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,-000.00) par value of bonds by any one city, and provided further, that the powers granted by this act must be exercised by the passage of such ordinance or ordinances within one (I) year from the passage of this act.

Issue not to exceed \$10,000.

Power to issue. Limited to one year from passage of this act.