

transact its business, may renew its corporate existence from the date of the expiration of its period of duration for an additional period not exceeding the period of thirty (30) years from and after the time of its expired period of duration, with the same force and effect as if renewed prior to the expiration of its said term of existence, by taking the same proceedings and by paying into the state treasury the same incorporation fees, if any, as now provided by law for the renewal of the corporate existence of such corporation in cases where such renewal is made before the end of its period of duration.

Provided, that such proceedings to obtain such extension shall be taken within six (6) months after the passage of this act, and provided further, that this act shall not apply to any corporation the charter of which has been declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction in this state.

Approved February 21, 1917.

CHAPTER 31—H. F. No. 130.

An act to amend Chapter 192, Laws 1915, relating to the issuance by the State Auditor of leases on school, university, internal improvement and swamp land for taking sand, clay, rock, marl, peat, and black dirt therefrom, storing thereon ore, waste materials from mines and tailings from ore milling plants, and for building or garden sites, and for other uses.

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

Section 1. Authorizing the leasing of state land for certain mineral operating purposes.—That Section 1 of Chapter 192 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, be amended so as to read as follows:—

Section 1. The State Auditor may at public or private vendue and at such prices and under such terms and conditions as he may prescribe, lease any unsold school, university, internal improvement, and swamp land, for the purpose of taking and removing sand, gravel, clay, rock, marl, peat, and black dirt therefrom for storing thereon ore, waste materials from mines or tailings from ore milling plants, and for building or garden sites, and for other temporary uses that shall not result in any permanent injury to the land; provided that no such lease shall be made for a term to exceed one year, except in the case of leases of lands for storage sites for ore, waste materials from mines or tailings from ore milling plants, which may be made for term not exceeding ten years; provided further that all such leases shall be made subject to sale and leasing of the land for

mineral purposes under legal provisions. All money received from leases under this act shall be credited to the fund to which the land belongs.

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

Approved February 21, 1917.

CHAPTER 32—S. F. No. 2.

An act to amend Section 3109, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, relating to the regulation of the sale of intoxicating liquors, and providing penalties for the violation of such regulations.

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

Section 1. **Prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors outside of city or village corporate limits.**—That Section 3109, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, be, and the same is amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3109. Any person who shall sell any intoxicating liquors in quantities less than five gallons, or in any quantity, to be drunk upon the premises, *in any city, village or borough, in the State of Minnesota, except as provided by law, or any person who shall sell any intoxicating liquors in any quantity in the State of Minnesota outside of the corporate limits of cities, villages or boroughs therein,* shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars, and the costs of prosecution, and by imprisonment in the county jail not less than thirty days. Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not prevent any person, firm or corporation, operating a bona fide brewery now in existence, located outside the corporate limits of an incorporated city, village or borough, in any county wherein the sale of intoxicating liquor is not prohibited by law, from selling at such brewery malt liquors, actually manufactured therein, in quantities of five gallons or over; and provided that nothing in this act shall in any way repeal, modify, or affect chapter 23, General Laws of Minnesota for 1915, or any part thereof.

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

Approved February 26, 1917.