

cases.—That in any and all cases, where a proper petition for the establishment of a judicial highway under the provisions of chapter 13, General Statutes for 1913, has been presented to a judge of any district court in this state, and an order has been made and filed in said proceeding appointing highway commissioners and said commissioners have fully performed their duties and filed their report establishing the highway as ordered by said judge, and that notice of the presentation of said petition was given as required by law, except that such notice was not posted in three public places in each of the counties affected, such proceedings are hereby declared to be in all respects legal, valid and effective as though a notice of presentation of such petition was posted in each of such counties affected as required by law; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to actions now pending which involve the validity of any such proceeding.

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

Approved April 19, 1923.

CHAPTER 387—H. F. No. 607.

An act to create an additional Judge of the District Court for the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota with Juvenile Court Assignment.

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

Section 1. Additional judge in 4th Judicial District—Appointment.—One Judge of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota in addition to the present Judges of said Court is hereby authorized and the office of such additional Judge is hereby created. Within ten days after the passage of this act the Governor of the State of Minnesota shall appoint one suitable and legally qualified person for Juvenile Court assignment to hold the office of the Judge of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District hereby created until the election and taking of office by the incumbent of the office hereby created under the provisions of this act. Any vacancies in the office hereby created shall be filled in like manner as is, or shall be provided by law for the filling of vacancies in the office of other judges of the District Court of said District.

Sec. 2. Powers and duties.—Such judge shall have and exercise all the powers of said court which are now and may hereafter be prescribed by law relative to judges of said court.

Sec. 3. Designation on ballot.—All candidates for the office created by this act shall be designated on the ballots, both at primary and general elections, as "District Judge, for Juvenile Court Assignment."

Sec. 4. To have charge of juvenile court.—After election and qualification of a Judge at the next general election and at each election thereafter the incumbent of the office hereby created shall have and exercise all the powers of said Court which are now, and may be hereafter be prescribed by law relative to Judges of said Court. He shall have charge of the Juvenile Court in his District, and shall hear and determine all matters brought before said Juvenile Court and shall perform all other duties devolving under the charge of the Judge of said Court under the laws of this State, and the performance of said duties shall take precedence over all other work. In case of absence or sickness, or other disability of such Judge preventing him from performance of his duties, the Judges of the District Court shall designate and assign one of the other Judges of the District Court to perform the duties of such Judge during his absence or disability.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved April 19, 1923.

CHAPTER 388—H. F. No. 671.

An act entitled "An act authorizing counties of this state now or hereafter having property of an assessed valuation of not less than \$200,000,000, and having a bonded indebtedness of not to exceed \$1,000,000, exclusive of bonds issued to defray the cost of permanently improving State Trunk Highways, which the State of Minnesota has agreed to pay under the provisions of Chapter 522, Laws of 1921, to construct or improve, or aid in the construction or improvement, of roads and bridges within such counties, roads and bridges outside of such counties leading to such counties, and roads, streets and bridges within the limits of any municipalities in such counties, and authorizing the issuance and sale by such counties of not to exceed \$6,000,000 in bonds of such counties for such purposes.

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

Section 1. Bond issue authorized.—Any county in this State now or hereafter having property of an assessed valuation of not less than \$200,000,000, and having a bonded indebtedness of not to exceed \$1,000,000, exclusive of bonds issued to defray the cost of permanently improving state trunk highways, which the State of Minnesota has agreed to pay under the provisions of chapter 522, Laws of 1921, may construct or improve, or aid in the construction or improvement, of roads and bridges within such county, and roads and bridges outside of such county leading to such county, and roads, streets and bridges within the boundaries of any municipalities within such county. Such roads, streets and bridges may be constructed or improved by the county alone or jointly with other counties or with any municipality within whose limits some of such roads, streets and bridges may be located.