lakes, by dredging or opening the channel of navigation in such lake or in such stream, or otherwise improving the same.

Provided, that the population of any county shall be determined by the official census next preceding any appropriation made under the provision of this act.

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

Approved March 27, 1913.

## CHAPTER 135-H. F. No. 725.

An Act to provide salaries for the sheriffs of certain counties for certain of the services rendered by them to and paid for by their respective counties in lieu of fees, and to provide for the payment of their expenses in such cases, and the compensation of their deputies.

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

Section 1. Annual salary and expenses for sheriffs of certain counties.—In each county less than twenty-five hundred (2500) square miles in area, now or hereafter having a population of less than forty-five thousand (45,000) inhabitants, and in each county of this state having an area exceeding twenty-five hundred (2500) square miles and now or hereafter having a population of less than fifteen thousand (15,000) inhabitants, according to the then next preceding state or federal census, the sheriff shall receive an annual salary and his expenses for official services rendered by him for his county in lieu of fees, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. Classes "G" and "H" specified.—All such counties now or hereafter so having a population of less than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants, and all such counties having an area exceeding twenty-five hundred (2500) square miles, and now or hereafter having a population of less than fifteen thousand (15,000) inhabitants, shall be known as counties of "Class A"; those having ten thousand (10,000) or more, but less than fifteen thousand (15,000) shall be known as counties of "Class B"; those having fifteen thousand (15,000) or more, but less than twenty thousand (20,000), shall be known as counties of "Class C"; those having twenty thousand (20,000) or more, but less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) shall be known as counties of "Class D"; those having twenty-five thousand (25,000) or more but less than thirty thousand (30,000) shall be known as counties of "Class E"; those having thirty thousand (30,000) or more but less than thirty-five thousand (35,000) shall be

known as counties of "Class F"; those having thirty-five thousand (35,000) or more but less than forty thousand (40,000) shall be known as counties of "Class G"; those having forty thousand (40,000) or more but less than forty-five thousand (45,000) shall be known as counties of "Class H."

Sec. 3. Salaries of sheriffs in different classes.—The several sheriffs of all such counties shall, in lieu of fees therefor, receive a yearly salary, payable monthly, on the first day of each month out of the county revenue fund on warrants drawn by the county auditor upon the county treasurer, in full of their compensation for all official services rendered by them and their deputies for their respective counties, other than those required of them by the tax laws of this state, where the county is not required to pay for such service, as follows:

Sheriffs of the counties of "Class A," \$800; sheriffs of the counties of "Class B," \$900; sheriffs of the counties of "Class C," \$1,000; sheriffs of the counties of "Class D," \$1,100; sheriffs of the counties of "Class E," \$1,200; sheriffs of the counties of "Class F," \$1,300; sheriffs of the counties of "Class G," \$1,400; and sheriffs of the counties of "Class H," \$1,500; but the said several sheriffs shall also be allowed the expenses necessarily incurred by them in the performance of their official duties for their said respective counties, which shall be allowed and paid in the same manner as other claims against such counties are paid and allowed, except that the expenses incurred by them in performing the services required of them in connction with insane persons by the probate code shall be allowed and paid as therein provided.

All claims for livery hire shall state the purpose for which such livery was used and have attached thereto a receipt for the amount paid for such livery, signed by the person to whom paid.

Sec. 4. County board may increase salary.—Whenever it shall appear to the county board of any such county, upon a showing made by the sheriff thereof, that the salary herein provided for is inadequate for the services performed by such sheriff for such county, the county board may increase the amount of such salary in any just and reasonable sum, but any person aggrieved by their action in the premises may appeal to the district court within thirty days thereafter by filing notice thereof with the county auditor and the clerk of that court, which shall, upon eight days notice to the chairman of the county board, whether in term time or during vacation, hear any such appeal and summarily determine the amount of salary to be paid any such sheriff during the remainder of his term of office, and enter an order fixing the same, a copy of which shall be filed with the county auditor forthwith.

Sec. 5. Salaries specified not to include other items.—The salaries hereinbefore provided for are not to be held to include the salaries of jailors or matrons or the pay of deputies whose attendance is required at terms of court, nor the compensation allowed the sheriffs for the board and care of prisoners, as these various items are now or may hereafter be provided for by law, and whenever because of any riot or industrial strike, in the opinion of the sheriff, require the appointment of other deputies. the number so to be appointed and the compensation to be allowed each one so appointed shall be fixed and determined upon by the district court, upon the application of any such sheriff, by an order to be filed with the clerk of that court, and each such deputy so appointed shall be paid the amount of compensation provided for in and by the terms of any such order in the manner that deputies in attendance upon the terms of that court are paid.

Sec. 6. When fees and other compensation are to be allowed. —For all services rendered by such sheriffs or their deputies for which payment is not made out of the county revenue fund, the same fees and compensation shall be allowed them as is otherwise

provided by law.

Sec. 7. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this

act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after January 1st, 1915.

Approved March 27, 1913.

## CHAPTER 136—S. F. No. 83.

An Act to amend Section 4442, Revised Laws 1905, relating to notice to terminate contracts for sale of land and the service of said notice.

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

Section 1. Personal service without the state to have same effect.—That Section 4442, Revised Laws of 1905, be and the

same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 4442. When default is made in the conditions of any contract for the conveyance of real estate or any interest therein, whereby the vendor has a right to terminate the same, he may do so by serving upon the purchaser, his personal representatives or assigns, a notice specifying the conditions in which default has been made, and stating that such contract will terminate thirty days after the service of such notice unless prior thereto the purchaser shall comply with such conditions and pay the costs of service. Such notice must be given notwithstanding