that no sums whatever shall be paid or allowed for clerk hire in excess of the amounts actually paid or due for help employed to perform necessary excess clerical labor in the respective offices of judges of probate as hereinbefore mentioned.

- Sec. 2. Not to affect chapter 63, General Laws 1915, but all other inconsistent acts repealed.—This act shall not affect or repeal chapter 63 of General Laws, 1915. All other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after January 1st, 1919.

Approved April 17, 1917.

## CHAPTER 329-H. F. No. 723.

An act authorizing the university of Minnesota to exchange certain lands belonging to it and heretofore acquired for use in connection with the agricultural school at Morris, Minnesota, for other lands more suitable for use in connection with said agricultural school.

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

Section 1. University authorized to exchange lands at Morris agricultural school.—That the board of regents of the university of Minnesota be and it is hereby authorized to exchange the lands hereinafter described, to-wit: lot six (6) of county subdivision of the east half (E½) of section thirty-five (35) in township one hundred twenty-five (125), range forty-two (42), according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the register of deeds of Stevens county, Minnesota, and containing approximately two and four-tenth (2-4/10) acres for a tract of land of equal value and not less than two and four-tenths acres in area, to be selected from the north seven and one-half (7½) acres of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (NW¼ of NW¼ of SW¼) of section thirty-six (36), township one hundred twenty-five (125), range forty-two (42), all according to the government survey of said lands; all thereof being situate in Stevens county, Minnesota.

Sec. 2. To be approved by board of regents, who are to execute deed.—The selection of the particular land so to be taken in exchange for the land first hereinbefore described and the value thereof shall be approved by said board of regents. The president and secretary of the board of regents, when thereunto authorized by the board of regents, are hereby authorized to execute and deliver in the name of the University of Minnesota

and in its behalf, all deeds, conveyances or other instruments' necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act:

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and

after its passage.

Approved April 17, 1917.

## CHAPTER 330-H. F. No. 778.

An act to legalize certain payments of clerk hire in the office of the county treasurer in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Payment of clerk hire in Crow Wing county treasurer's office legalized.—All payments heretofore made for clerk hire in the office of the county treasurer in any county then having an assessed valuation of more than fourteen million dollars and less than eighteen million dollars, according to the assessment of the last preceding year, not exceeding, for any one year, one-twelfth of one mill upon each dollar of such assessed valuation, is hereby legalized and made valid.

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

Approved April 17, 1917.

## CHAPTER 331-H. F. No. 794.

An act to amend Section 3630, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by Section 5 of Chapter 271, Laws of 1915, relating to the inspection of petroleum products and establishing fees for such inspection.

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

Section 1. Fees for inspection of petroleum, etc., in more than 50 barrel lots reduced to five cents per barrel.—That section 3630, General Statutes of 1913, as amended by section 5 of chapter 271, Laws of 1915, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3630. The fees for inspecting and branding shall be

as follows:

- 1. For a single barrel or other receptacle containing not more than fifty gallons, forty cents.
- 2. If more than one and not more than ten such receptacles be inspected at one time and place, twenty-five cents for each.

3. If more than ten, fifteen cents for each additional barrel or receptacle, except as hereinafter provided.

4. Oil, gasoline, naphtha or benzine in tanks or tank cars containing more than fifty barrels five cents per barrel.

If the quantity in any one receptacle exceeds one barrel excepting where the same is in tanks or tank cars containing