commissioner of the district in which such alleged indigent person resides; and thereafter an investigation shall be made in the manner hereinbefore provided.

Sec. 3. Costs.—The cost of hospitalization of such indigent persons exclusive of medical and surgical care and treatment shall not exceed in amount the full rates fixed and charged by the Minnesota general hospital under the provisions of Laws 1921, Chapter 411, and acts amendatory thereof, for the hospitalization of such indigent patients. The cost of the hospitalization of indigent persons under the provisions of this act shall be paid by the county of the legal residence of such indigent persons at such times as may be provided for in such contract.

Sec. 4. Law repealed.—Laws 1933, Chapter 393, is hereby repealed.

Approved April 29, 1935.

CHAPTER 360-H. F. No. 1427

An act to validate and legalize the expenditures made by certain towns and villages operating upon a cash basis during the year 1984.

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

Section 1. Certain expenditures legalized.—All expenditures made by towns and villages operating upon a cash basis during the year 1934, where such expenditures were for legally authorized purposes, but exceeded 90 per cent and not more than 100 per cent of taxes levied in the year 1933, are hereby legalized and validated.

Approved April 29, 1935.

CHAPTER 361-H. F. No. 1422

An act relating to the salaries of certain county officials, clerk hire and traveling expenses.

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

Section 1. Salaries of county officers in certain counties.— In each county of the state now or hereafter having 100 or more full and fractional congressional townships and an assessed valuation including moneys and credits of not less than \$4,000,000.00 nor more than \$6,000,000.00 the following county officers shall receive yearly salaries as follows:

County Auditor	\$2250.00
County Treasurer	
Judge of Probate	
County Commissioners	
Register of Deeds	1800.00

Provided however, that when the fees of the register of deeds are less than \$1,800.00 the difference between the amount of fees so received and the sum of \$1,800.00 shall be paid by the county, and provided further, that in event the fees so received are in excess of \$1,800.00 the same shall be retained by the register of deeds.

- Sec. 2. Salary of Clerk of Court in certain counties.—The clerk of the district court in each of such counties shall receive in full compensation for all services rendered by him for said county, except in real estate tax proceedings, in lieu of the fees now provided by law, a yearly salary of \$990.00. In said real estate tax proceedings, said clerk shall receive the sum of 15 cents for each description as set forth in Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 2125.
- Sec. 3. Traveling expenses for County Board in certain counties.—Each member of the county board of such counties shall also receive his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties within his county, to be audited and allowed as other claims against the county. All claims for such expenses shall show clearly the nature of the services in which the same were incurred, and date of same, and all claims for expenditures amounting to one dollar or more, shall be accompanied by a receipt signed by the person to whom the money was paid, provided, when a member of such county board furnishes his own conveyance for necessary travel in the discharge of his official duties, he shall be entitled to charge at the rate of five cents per mile therefor.
- Sec. 4. County Board to fix clerk hire in certain counties.

 —The clerk hire of county officers shall be fixed by the county board.
- Sec. 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved April 29, 1935.