

the commissioner, in cooperation with the dean of the department of agriculture of the University of Minnesota, is directed and authorized to sell such produce, and all moneys derived from such sale shall be deposited with the state treasurer in the same manner as other state receipts are, but shall be set aside and constitute a separate fund to be known as the Primary Noxious Weed Fund, and shall be used in the conduct of the studies provided for in this act."

Sec. 2. Expenses.—That Section 6 of Chapter 348, Laws of 1935, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. (a) The expenses of field operations, including cost of chemicals and other materials employed in weed eradication except machinery and other equipment, shall be paid from the fund herein provided, which fund shall be reimbursed not later than January first of each year, 20 per cent thereof by the county and ten per cent thereof by the township in which the land so quarantined and improved is situated.

(b) When the infestations of primary noxious weeds, against which the activities of the commissioner are directed, are found located on the sides of public highways, the expenses of eradication shall be paid, 50 per cent by the state from the fund herein provided, 50 per cent from the funds provided for the maintenance of the state highway department if the infestation is on a state highway, 50 per cent by the county if the infestation is on a county or state aid road, and 50 per cent by the township if the infestation is located on a township road or cartway.

(c) *When infestations of primary noxious weeds, against which the activities of the commissioner are directed, are found located within the corporate limits of a municipality or on property used by a municipality, the expense of the eradication of such weeds shall be paid as follows: 50 per cent thereof by the state from the funds provided for in this act, and 50 per cent by the municipality from its general revenue fund."*

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CHAPTER 73—S. F. No. 473

An act to amend Laws 1929, Chapter 312, Section 1, relating to appropriations for the maintenance and operation of veteran rest camps.

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

Section 1. **Appropriation for operation of veteran rest camps.**—Laws 1929, Chapter 312, Section 1, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. The board of public welfare or similar welfare body of any city and county in this state, may annually expend an amount not in excess of \$9,000.00 in the operation and maintenance of a rest camp now being operated or which hereafter may be located or operated within such county or outside the limits thereof, for disabled or needy American War Veterans and their families having a legal settlement in such county, and for such other disabled and needy veterans and their families, whose cost of maintenance while at said camp is paid by the state or some other person or agency."

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CHAPTER 74—H. F. No. 442

An act defining and relating to narcotic drugs, to make uniform the law with reference thereto and repealing Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 10453, 10454, 10455, 10455-1, 10455-2 and 10455-3, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, except Chapter 321, Session Laws of 1935, together with all other acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

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

Section 1. **Definitions.**—The following words and phrases, as used in this act shall have the following meanings, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) "Persons" includes any corporation, association, co-partnership, or one or more individuals.

(2) "Physician" means a person authorized by law to practice medicine in this state and for the purposes of this act only, any other person authorized by law to treat sick and injured human beings in this state and to use narcotic drugs in connection with such treatment.

(3) "Dentist" means a person authorized by law to practice dentistry in this state.

(4) "Veterinarian" means a person authorized by law to practice veterinary medicine in this state.