ship lying distant more than 40 miles from any city of the first class.

Approved March 30, 1955.

## CHAPTER 273—H. F. No. 1188 [Coded]

An act relating to the disposal of affidavit of grantee or purchaser at the time of filing a deed of conveyance and "canceled" owner's duplicate certificate by the registrar of titles. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. [508.836] Registrar of titles, disposal of certain affidavits. The registrar of titles in any county of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 650,000 is hereby authorized to destroy or otherwise dispose of affidavits of grantees and purchasers or of the person acting on their behalf, which are more than five years old and owners duplicate certificates marked "canceled" upon the entry of a new owners duplicate certificate.

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## CHAPTER 274-H. F. No. 1437

[Not Coded]

An act relating to tax levies for independent school districts within the limits of certain cities.

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

Section 1. Independent school districts, tax levy limitation. Subdivision 1. In an independent school district situated within the limits of any city of the first class, governed by a charter which does not fix the amount which may be levied as taxes or expended for school purposes, the district may determine its own limitation on the maximum tax levy permitted for school purposes by compliance with the provisions of this act, but not in excess of the limitation contained in Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 275.12. In the absence of a determination by the district, Laws 1951, Chapter 398, as amended by Laws 1953, Chapter 415, shall govern.

Subd. 2. The school board or boards of education may call a special meeting, open to the public, for the sole purpose of establishing a new limit on the maximum tax levy that can be