- Subd. 2. This section is effective upon its approval by a majority of the members of the governing body of the city of Jackson and upon compliance with Laws 1959, Chapter 368.
- Sec. 2. There is hereby appropriated to the state adjutant general, from any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$40,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the purchase price of the property described in section 1 in accordance with the agreement of the parties therefor.

Approved April 20, 1961.

# CHAPTER 551—S. F. No. 1724

## [Coded]

An act relating to education and the types of school aid; amending Extra Session Laws 1959, Chapter 71, Article V, Section 53.

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

Section 1. Extra Session Laws 1959, Chapter 71, Article V, Section 53, is amended to read:

Sec. 53. [124.65] Types of school aid. Appropriations made for special state aid are for the following purposes:

Foundation program aid; emergency aid; transportation aid; aid for special classes of handicapped children; teacher training; school lunch; county tuition equalization aid; gross earnings tax refund, and vocational aid. Before any other aids are paid, transportation aid shall be paid.

Approved April 20, 1961.

## CHAPTER 552—S. F. No. 1726

## [Coded]

An act to provide in-service training for professional staff members and pay the costs therefor from state and federal funds.

Changes or additions indicated by italics, deletions by strikeout.

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

Section 1. [121.331] In-service training program for vocational rehabilitation staff. The state board of education is hereby authorized to provide the in-service training program of the vocational rehabilitation professional staff by paying for the direct costs with state and federal funds, the courses to be approved by the commissioner of education.

Approved April 20, 1961.

## CHAPTER 553—S. F. No. 1761

## [Coded]

An act relating to relief of the poor; permitting counties to conduct work relief programs.

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

- Section 1. [261.26] County work relief programs [Subdivision 1.] The purpose of work relief is to enable persons in need of relief assistance to preserve their self-esteem and skills, to provide new skills to disabled persons, and to enable counties to engage in necessary public works projects.
- Sec. 2. [Subd. 2.] Any county welfare department may provide a work relief program for persons who qualify for relief, and who desire to perform useful work or acquire new skills. The department may assign the needy person such work as he is able to perform but which is not that ordinarily performed and which would supplement but not replace projects which are ordinarily performed by regular employees of the county.
- Sec. 3. .[Subd. 3.] Work relief recipients shall be paid at the same wage rates as county employees doing similar work, and the number of hours of work assigned to a recipient shall be determined by the needs of himself and his family including expenses incidental to his employment.
- Sec. 4. [Subd. 4.] A county may contract with the federal government, or with any department, agency, subdivision or instrumentality of the state for the services of such work relief recipients on such terms and conditions as

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