CHAPTER CCVI.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. LOUIS COUNTY TO LEVY A TAX FOR AND EXPEND THE SAME ON ROADS AND BRIDGES IN SAID COUNTY.

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

Section 1. That the board of county commissioners of Saint Louis county are hereby authorized and empowered to levy annually a tax in the same manner that other taxes are levied by them, to an amount not exceeding one mill per centum upon the valuation of all of the taxable property of said county as fixed by the State Board of Equalization, which tax shall constitute a separate fund, and shall be known and designated as the "special road fund."

Sec. 2. The board of county commissioners aforesaid shall have power to expend and appropriate from said fund, in the same manner as now provided for by law in respect to other county funds, such sums of money as in their discretion may be deemed advisable for the opening, vacating, resurveying, repairing, ditching or otherwise improving the county roads of said county, and also for the building or repairing of bridges and drains upon said roads.

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

its passage.

Approved Feb. 18, 1879.

CHAPTER CCVII.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE FORMATION OF THE CARVER COUNTY MUTUAL HAIL INSURANCE COMPANY.

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

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for any number of persons not less than twenty, residing in the county of Carver, and engaged in agricultural business, to form themselves into a company under the name and style of the Carver County Mutual Hail Insurance Com-