

Sec. 9. Public school libraries.

For aid and maintenance to public school libraries	25,000.00
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Sec. 10. For assistance in maintaining public schools on Indian reservations or territory heretofore occupied, as such, where the taxable property is not sufficient to maintain public schools for five months, to be expended by the superintendent of education through the county board of education of the school board in whose county or district such territory mainly lies and for teachers' wages and text books only

10,000.00

Training schools, institutes and examinations	40,000.00
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Aid to common schools as provided in Chapter 341, General Laws 1911	40,000.00
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Sec. 11. Warrants—payments.—Whenever it becomes necessary, in order to meet the current demands upon the revenue fund of the payment of appropriations, the governor, auditor, and treasurer may at any time prior to July 31, 1919, make such agreement with banks or other corporations or persons as they may deem advisable or necessary to pay warrants issued against said revenue fund pursuant to any such appropriations prior to the time when the money to meet such appropriation comes into the state treasury, and any warrants so issued are paid for the accommodation of the state money necessary to pay interest upon the amount of such warrants from the time when such payment is made until the money to redeem such warrants comes into the state treasury, at the rate agreed upon by said governor, auditor and treasurer is hereby appropriated.

Sec. 12. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 23, 1917.

CHAPTER 438—H. F. No. 1281.

An act to appropriate money for expenses of the state government and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Appropriations for state government, etc.—The sums hereinafter named, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose specified in the following sections of this act, to be available, where not otherwise stated, for each of the fiscal years ending July 31, 1918, and July 31, 1919.

Sec. 2. Executive department.

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| 1. For maintenance | \$ 18,400.00 |
| 2. For contingent fund | 5,000.00 |

Sec. 3. Judicial department.

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| 1. For maintenance | \$ 70,900.00 |
| 2. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1917 | 122.50 |
| Out of which amounts above the assistant supreme court reporter or stenographer, shall be paid a total of \$1,500 per year. | |
| 3. For contingent fund for the year ending July 31, 1918, and for enlarging and furnishing quarters for the supreme court and state law library on the second and third floors of the east wing of the state capitol | 8,500.00 |
| 4. For contingent fund for the year ending July 31, 1919 | 1,500.00 |
| 5. For contingent fund, available immediately..... | 500.00 |
| 6. For correcting naturalization records and making index thereof | 350.00 |
| 7. For contingent fund for the court reporter..... | 100.00 |
| 8. For salaries of district court judges, active..... | 180,600.00 |
| 9. For salaries of district court judges, retired..... | 4,200.00 |
| 10. For district court referees | 300.00 |
| 11. For traveling expenses of district court judges | 5,000.00 |

Sec. 4. Secretary of state's office.

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| 1. For maintenance | \$ 15,500.00 |
| 2. For contingent fund | 2,000.00 |
| 3. For exchange of public documents..... | 500.00 |
| 4. For carrying out automobile law, available for the year ending July 31, 1918 | 86,505.00 |
| Of which \$1,500 is for the annual salary for automobile license clerk, \$1,200 for the annual salary of the assistant automobile license clerk, \$3,600 for the annual salary of three general clerks, and not more than \$3,700 for extra clerk hire. | |
| 5. For carrying out automobile law, available for the year ending July 31, 1919 | 25,145.00 |
| Of which \$1,500 is for the annual salary for automobile license clerk, \$1,200 for the annual salary of the assistant automobile license clerk, \$3,600 for the annual salary of three (3) general clerks. | |

Sec. 5. State treasurer's office.

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| 1. For maintenance | \$ 19,700.00 |
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2.	For maintenance, available for year ending July 31, 1917	533.33
3.	For contingent fund	2 500.00
4.	For surety bond premium	1,200.00
5.	For express and exchange	1,500.00
6.	For commercial agency reports, available for the year ending July 31, 1917	300 00
7.	For commercial agency reports	200.00

Sec. 6. Attorney general's office.

1.	For maintenance	\$ 41,100.00
2.	For contingent fund, available for the year ending July 31, 1918	5,000.00
3.	For contingent fund, available for the year ending July 31, 1919	6,000.00
4.	For miscellaneous expense	25,000.00

Provided that all moneys heretofore appropriated for the "attorney general's office" and continued in force and available to the attorney general by action under section 114, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, and all balances of such appropriations on hand at the end of the present fiscal year, are hereby continued in force and made available to him for any emergency calling for the services of his office to July 31, 1919.

Sec. 7. Public examiner's office.

1.	For maintenance	\$ 44,000.00
2.	For contingent fund, available for the year ending July 31, 1917	18,000.00
3.	For contingent fund	12,300.00

Sec. 8. Printing commission.

1.	For salary of state printer	\$ 2,400.00
2.	For printing, advertising and binding as may be required by the several state departments as provided by law, available for the year ending July 31, 1918	55,000.00
3.	For printing, advertising and binding as may be required by the several state departments as provided by law, available for the year ending July 31, 1919	75,000.00
4.	For printing, advertising and binding as may be required by the several state departments as provided by law, available for the year ending July 31, 1917	10,000.00

5. For cost of publishing blue book, available for the year ending July 31, 1917 22,000.00

Sec. 9. New capitol.

1. For maintenance \$ 87,000.00
 2. For new furniture, carpets, etc. 5,000.00
 3. For concrete chimney available for the year ending July 31, 1918 4,400.00
 4. For new engine, available for the year ending July 31, 1919 6,000.00

Sec. 10. Old capitol.

1. For maintenance \$ 11,500.00
 2. For repairs 2,500.00

Sec. 11. Inspection of apiaries.

1. For maintenance \$ 3,000.00

Sec. 12. State entomologist.

1. For maintenance \$ 6,300.00
 2. For nursery inspection according to the provisions of chapter 206, General Laws 1913, and acts amendatory thereof 3,000.00
 3. For combating ravages of white pine blister... 7,500.00

Sec. 13. State forestry board.

1. For maintenance and fire protection \$ 50,000.00
 Provided that only \$12,000.00 of which amount shall be used for salaries of office employees.
 2. For carrying on forest fire protection work, immediately available \$ 8,000.00

Sec. 14. Live stock sanitary board.

1. For maintenance and for animals killed by order of the board, to be expended under authority of and pursuant to the provisions of law \$ 60,720.00
 2. Also \$30,000 of the balance remaining in the foot and mouth disease fund is hereby re-appropriated for the payment of animals affected with the foot and mouth disease, killed by order of the live stock sanitary board, pursuant to the provisions of law, available for the year ending July 31, 1918.

Sec. 15. Bureau of labor.

1. For maintenance \$ 43,680.00
 2. For contingent fund 21,000.00
 3. For maintenance division of deaf 1,500.00

Sec. 16. Department of oil inspection.

1. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1917 \$ 15,000.00

2. For maintenance	65,000.00
Sec. 17. Bureau of immigration.	
1. For maintenance	\$ 25,000.00
Sec. 18. Insurance commissioner.	
1. For maintenance	\$ 35,320.00
2. For contingent fund	5,500.00
Sec. 19. State banking department.	
1. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1918	\$ 48,100.00
2. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1919	48,100.00
3. For contingent fund, available for the year ending July 31, 1917	3,472.89
4. For contingent fund, available for the year ending July 31, 1918	24,000.00
5. For contingent fund, available for the year ending July 31, 1919	24,000.00
Sec. 20. State tax commission.	
1. For maintenance	\$ 16,200.00
2. For contingent fund	19,800.00
3. For expense of re-assessments ordered by said commission as provided by law	6,000.00
Sec. 21. Dairy and food department.	
1. For maintenance	\$ 50,000.00
2. For contingent fund	20,000.00
3. For maintenance and necessary equipment of experimental creamery at Albert Lea	5,000.00
Sec. 22. Adjutant general.	
1. For maintenance	\$ 8,720.00
2. For contingent fund	500.00
3. For maintenance of national guard, as provided by law; to assist cities and villages in providing, equipping and maintaining armories for the national guard, providing an equal amount shall be appropriated for the same purpose by such city or village, not to exceed \$250 for each battery or company per year, the same to be paid to the commanding officer or armory board in charge of such armory, available for the year beginning June 1, 1917	116,498.00
4. For maintenance of national guard, as provided by law; to assist cities and villages in providing, equipping and maintaining armories for the national guard, providing an equal amount shall be appropriated for the	

same purpose by such city or village, not to exceed \$250 for each battery or company per year, the same to be paid to the commanding officer or armory board in charge of such armory, available for the year beginning June 1, 1918

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5. For maintenance and support of the naval militia; and to assist cities and villages in providing, equipping and maintaining armories for the naval militia, providing an equal amount shall be appropriated for the same purpose by such city or village not to exceed \$250 for each division or company per year, the same to be paid to the commanding officer or armory board in charge of such armory

19,555.00

6. For dredging lake in front of dock at Duluth, Minn., available for the year ending July 31, 1918

7,000.00

Sec. 23. Railroad and warehouse commission.

1. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1918

\$148,580.00

2. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1919

98,580.00

Sec. 24. Weights and measures commissioner.

1. For maintenance

25,000.00

Sec. 25. State board of arbitration.

1. For maintenance

1,000.00

Sec. 26. Soldiers' Home.

1. For maintenance

80,000.00

2. For repairs

7,500.00

3. For special repairs and equipment, available for the year ending July 31, 1918

3,500.00

4. For the purchasing of additional land for cemetery purposes, available for the year ending July 31, 1918

2,500.00

Sec. 27. Department of education.

1. For maintenance

27,000.00

2. For contingent fund

6,000.00

Sec. 28. State library.

1. For maintenance

6,900.00

2. For contingent fund

750.00

3. For books and binding

6,500.00

Sec. 29. Library commission.

1. For maintenance to be expended as provided by law

12,000.00

Sec. 30. Legislative expenses.

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| 1. For compensation of members of the legislature, available for the year ending July 31, 1919 | 198,000.00 |
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Sec. 31. State board of control.

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| 1. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1918 | 60,000.00 |
| 2. For maintenance, available for the year ending July 31, 1919 | 65,000.00 |

Sec. 32. State board of health.

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| 1. For maintenance | 17,772.00 |
| 2. For recording vital statistics | 10,000.00 |
| 3. For dealing with preventable diseases | 20,000.00 |
| 4. For expense of maintaining laboratories, \$3,000.00, of which amount shall be applied to the maintenance of the public laboratory at Duluth, \$2,500.00 to the maintenance of the public laboratory at Mankato, \$14,500.00 to the maintenance of the public laboratory of the board of health at the state university at Minneapolis | 30,000.00 |
| 5. For providing free anti-toxin | 7,000.00 |
| 6. For conducting Pasteur institutes | 7,000.00 |
| 7. For sanitary engineering work | 7,000.00 |
| 8. For dealing with and caring for indigent non-residents who are carriers of typhoid fever or other infectious diseases | 500.00 |
| 9. For the prevention of blindness | 1,000.00 |
| 10. For dealing with infantile paralysis, available May 1st, 1917 and May 1st, 1918 | 25,000.00 |

Sec. 33. Advisory commission of the Minnesota (state) sanitorium for consumptives.

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| 1. For maintenance | 10,000.00 |
| 2. For aid in maintaining county sanatoria for the year ending July 31, 1918 | 117,600.00 |
| 3. For aid in maintaining county sanatoria, available for the year ending July 31, 1919 | 150,000.00 |

Sec. 34. Game and fish commissioner.

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| 1. For maintenance, for contingent fund, for warden's services, well drilling, and miscellaneous expenses, for the gathering and distribution of pike spawn, trout, bass and crappie fry, for scientific investigation, for maintenance of fish car, for rescue work, for supporting field stations, and for the propagation of game, and the establishment of | |
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game farms	121,000.00
2. \$5,000.00 of the above is to be immediately available.	
3. One thousand dollars of the above to be immediately available for establishing a fish hatchery in Minnesota south of the Minn. river.	
Sec. 35. Miscellaneous funds.	
1. For the state board of visitors, maintenance.....	5,000.00
2. For state securities commission, maintenance.....	5,000.00
3. For state board of investment, maintenance.....	4,500.00
For contingent fund.....	1,000.00
4. For construction of women's reformatory at Shakopee	50,000.00
5. For minimum wage commission, maintenance.....	5,000.00
6. For hotel inspection dept., maintenance.....	6,000.00
7. For paving Como ave. west, along and adjacent to state fair grounds, and agr. college	25,308.50
8. For aid in changing highway at military grounds, Camp Lake View, Wabasha county for 1919 only.....	10,000.00
The state highway commission is hereby directed to expend from the state road and bridge fund the further sum of \$12,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary for the completion of the change in the said highway.	
9. For promoting the culture of tobacco, to be expended under the direction of Carl D. Schwab of St. Cloud, Minnesota.....	2,000.00
10. For commission on uniformity of laws.....	1,000.00
Sec. 36. Drainage commission.	
1. For maintenance	3,500.00
2. For contingent fund.....	2,000.00
Sec. 37. State auditor.	
1. For maintenance	38,550.00
2. For contingent fund.....	3,000.00
3. For examining, appraising and selling state land, estimating and selling pine timber and detecting trespass upon and caring for state lands	28,000.00
4. For expense examining and inspecting state mineral lands and examing operations thereon	60,000.00
5. For expense in carrying out provision of act providing for revolving fund in connection	

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| with improvement of state lands, S. F. No. 82, 1917 | 2,500.00 |
| 6. For the purpose of purchasing building and lots at Hibbing, Minnesota, known as the Longyear building, now occupied in connection with the care of state mineral lands, upon which state now holds option of purchase, for year 1917 only | 35,000.00 |
| 7. For the improvement of said building, available the year ending July 31st, 1917, only | 10,000.00 |
| 8. For the purpose of re-scaling state timber under the system of a top and stump scale, and examining lands appraised and sold as agricultural lands as to the value of merchantable timber at the time of sale, and for other purposes in the investigation of the sale and care of state lands and timber, and to be expended by the state auditor, as authorized and approved by the state board of timber commissioners, or for the use by the said board, of any part thereof, not exceeding one-half, for the work given said board by statute, and work incidental thereto, available May 1st, 1917 and May 1st, 1918 | 25,000.00 |
| Provided that of the amount referred to in item one, 3,600 dollars is for the annual salary of the superintendent of timber and thirty-six hundred dollars for the annual salary of the chief of accounts, and the positions of chief land clerk and chief booker is hereby abolished, effective May 1st, 1917. | |

Sec. 38. The state auditor and state treasurer are hereby authorized to pay in the county treasuries of the several counties of the state, on or before November 1, 1918 and 1919, the amounts due the respective counties as their share of the state inheritance tax under the provisions of section 21-D, chapter 209, General Laws 1911 and acts amendatory thereof.

Sec. 39: Whenever it becomes necessary in order to meet the current demands upon the revenue fund for the payment of appropriations, the governor, auditor and treasurer may at any time prior to July 31, 1919, make such agreement with banks or other corporations or persons as they may deem advisable or necessary to pay warrants issued against said revenue fund, pursuant to any such appropriation prior to the time when the money to meet such appropriation comes into the

state treasury and whenever any warrants are so issued for the accommodation of the state, and paid, the money necessary to pay interest upon the amount of such warrants from the time when such payment was made until the money to redeem such warrants comes into the state treasury at the rate agreed upon by said governor, auditor and treasurer is hereby appropriated.

Approved April 23, 1917.

CHAPTER 439—S. F. No. 1020.

An act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the state of Minnesota, tax and other refundments, certain expenses of the government and for other purposes, and directing the state auditor to cancel certain land sale certificates and timber sale permits.

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

Section 1. **Appropriating money for payment of claims against state and for certain other governmental expenses.**—The sums hereinafter named, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purposes specified in the following sections of this act to be available for the year ending July 31, 1917, unless otherwise specified.

Sec. 2. For refundment of excess gross earnings taxes as per order of the Minnesota tax commission, as follows:

1. Chicago, St. Paul, Mpls. & Omaha Ry. Co., order dated April 2, 1917	\$ 2,186.92
2. Chicago & Northwestern Ry. Co., order dated April 2, 1917	3,123.57
3. Great Northern Ry. Co., order dated April 9, 1917	34,333.10
4. Northern Pacific Ry. Co., order dated March 20, 1917	1,028.14
5. Chicago Great Western R. R. Co., order dated July 21, 1916	189.35
6. Mpls. & Rainy River Ry. Co., order dated May 1, 1916	114.32
7. Rollingsstone Telephone Co., order dated Oc- tober 20, 1915	7.16
8. Lismore Co-operative Telephone Co., order dated May 24, 1915	15.25
9. New London Central Telephone Co., order dated May 27, 1915	92.72
10. Canadian Northern Express Co., order dated September 8, 1916	2,418.63