

CHAPTER 494—H. F. No. 985.

An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909, authorizing the county board to grant additional clerk hire to county treasurers in certain cases.

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

Section 1. Salary and clerk hire of county treasurer in certain counties.—That section 1 of chapter 139 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1909 be, and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows, to-wit:

Sec. 1. In all counties where the annual salary of the county treasurers is arbitrarily fixed by special law at twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00), and the clerk hire fixed at not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500.00), the county commissioners are hereby authorized to allow *fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) or as much thereof as may be necessary* as clerk hire to such county treasurers in addition to the five hundred dollars (\$500.00) allowed by special law, making a total of not to exceed *two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00)* for such clerk hire.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25, 1919.

CHAPTER 495—H. F. No. 1008.

An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 97 of the General Laws for the year 1913 entitled an act to provide for the inspection of canneries, publishing reports of same and establishing a grade of canned fruits and vegetables.

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

Section 1. Dairy and food commissioner authorized to expend \$15,000 for certain purposes.—Section 10 of chapter 97 of the General Laws of the year 1913 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 10. The dairy and food commissioner is hereby authorized to use funds available from the appropriation made for the general use of his department to enable him to carry this act into effect.

The commissioner is hereby authorized to expend such sum or sums not exceeding fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars annually, for the purpose of establishing, equipping, and maintaining a bacteriological laboratory and employing a bacteriologist, and one assistant bacteriologist, and a sufficient number of special inspectors to be stationed at canneries while operating, for the purpose of inspecting and grading canned products packed, to see that proper raw mater-