

by it deemed to be advisable and necessary to provide relief in the matter of the preserving of the public health and relieving the poor in that portion of the state, to-wit: the village of Tyler, Minnesota, which was swept by a tornado in the month of August, 1918, and in so doing the commission is hereby authorized to expend not to exceed thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) in such manner and at such times as to it may seem advisable.

Sec. 7. **\$35,000 appropriated.**—To enable the commission to carry out the provisions of this act and for the purposes designated in section 6 of this act, there is hereby appropriated from the general revenue fund of the state for the year 1919, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).

Sec. 8. **Accounts to be audited by public examiner.**—The commission shall keep accurate account of all receipts and disbursements and the public examiner of the state is hereby directed to audit such accounts not later than three months after the completion of the work of such commission and file a report with the governor of the state.

Sec. 9. **Detailed report to be made.**—The commission shall, within three months after the completion of its work under the provisions of this act, prepare and file with the governor of the state a detailed report of the doings thereof. The report of said public examiner and the report of said commission shall be submitted to the legislature at its session to be held in 1921.

Sec. 10. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 12, 1919.

CHAPTER 63—H. F. No. 87.

An act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of certain corporations whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporation made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.
Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. **Renewal of corporate existence.**—Any corporation heretofore organized under the laws of this state, whose period of duration has expired and the same has not been renewed and such corporation has continued to transact its business, may renew its corporate existence from the date of the expiration of its period of duration for an additional period not exceeding thirty (30) years from and after the time of its expired period of duration, with the same force and effect as if renewed prior to the expiration of its term of existence, by taking the same proceedings and by paying into the state treasury the same incorporation fees as now provided by law for the renewal of the corporate existence of such corporations

in cases where such renewal is made before the end of its period of duration.

Sec. 2. Six months limitation.—Such proceedings to obtain such extension shall be taken within six (6) months after the passage of this act.

Sec. 3. Original acts declared valid.—When such steps are taken within such period, such proceedings shall relate back to the date of the expiration of said original corporate period, and when said period is extended as provided by this act any and all corporate acts and contracts done, performed, made and entered into after the expiration of said original period, shall be and each is hereby declared to be legal and valid.

Sec. 4. Application.—This act shall not apply to any corporation the charter of which has been declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction in this state, nor to any corporation as to which there is any action or proceeding pending in any of the courts in this state for the forfeiture of its charter.

Approved March 12, 1919.

CHAPTER 64—H. F. No. 228.

An act defining and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the State of Minnesota, creating a state board of chiropractic examiners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

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

Section 1. State board of chiropractic examiners.—There is hereby created and established a board to be known by the name and style of State Board of Chiropractic Examiners.

Sec. 2. Definition.—For the purpose of this act, chiropractic is hereby defined as being the science of adjusting any abnormal articulations of the human body, especially those of the spinal column, for the purpose of giving freedom of action to impinged nerves that may cause pain or deranged function.

Sec. 3. Appointment of board by governor and qualifications.—That within thirty days after the passage of this act, the governor shall appoint a state board of chiropractic examiners, consisting of five resident chiropractors, who shall have practiced chiropractic in this state at least three years immediately prior to the time of appointment, all of whom shall be graduates of a course in chiropractic, but no two of whom shall be a graduate of the same school or college of chiropractic; one to serve for one year, one to serve for two years, one to serve for three years, one to serve for four years and one to serve for five years, and until their successors are appointed and qualified, and one every year thereafter to the end