diseases; to act as visiting nurses; to assist in giving health instruction; to perform such other similar duties as shall be directed by the board employing such nurses or the authority under whom such nurses are acting as hereinafter provided, and to make written reports through the board employing them to the state and local boards of health in such form and at such times as shall be prescribed by the State Board of Health. The Board of county commissioners may detail any such public health nurses to act under the direction of the County Superintendent of schools, the County Child Welfare Board or the County Health officer.

- Sec. 2. Definition of expenses.—The term "expenses" as used in the preceding section may cover and include suitably furnished office rooms, records, stationery, postage, nursing and nurses supplies, transportation, including the purchase and maintenance of automobiles, meals and lodging of nurses when on duty away from their place of residence, telephone rent and tolls, elerical assistance and such other actual expenses as shall be necessarily incidental to the carrying out of the above purposes. Appropriations heretofore made by any council or board for the year 1921 for public health nursing may be expended in accordance with the provisions of this act
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 31, 1921.

## CHAPTER 139-S. F. No. 294.

An act to legalize acknowledgments taken by notaries public who are members of the Legislature at the time of taking such acknowledgments, together with the record of instruments bearing such acknowledgments.

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

Section 1. Acknowledgments and affidavits legalized in certain cases.—That all acknowledgments and affidavits taken by any members of the Legislature of this state as a Notary Public, who at the time of taking such acknowledgment was a member of said state legislature, are hereby legalized and made valid and effectual in all particulars, together with the records thereof where the instrument bearing such acknowledgment has been recorded as provided by law; provided that this act shall not extend to any action or proceeding now pending.

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

Approved March 31, 1921.