a petition for said improvements duly filed as provided by law, but which petition is conditioned upon the city being reimbursed in whole or in part by the state by reason of said streets or any part thereof being a part of a trunk highway, said petition and all proceedings heretofore or hereafter taken pursuant thereto are hereby legalized and validated as fully and completely as if said petition had not contained said condition.

Sec. 2. Not to affect pending actions.—This act shall not apply to or affect any actions or appeals now pending in which the validity of any such proceedings is called in question.

Approved April 13, 1927.

CHAPTER 168—H. F. No. 530

An act to authorize all cities of the second class in this state to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, repairing, enlarging and improving storm water sewers, paving and curbing.

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

Section 1. Bonds authorized for improvements.—That the City Council or other governing body of each City of the second class in this State is hereby authorized and empowered, by a vote of two-thirds of its members, by ordinance or resolution duly passed to issue and sell bonds of such city, with coupons attached, to the amount of \$200,000.00, or so much thereof as said Council or governing body may deem necessary, for the purpose of constructing, re-constructing, repairing, enlarging and improving storm water sewers, paving and curbing in such city; said bonds to be made in such denomination and payable at such places and at such times, not exceeding 30 years from the date hereof as may be deemed best by said Council or governing body, notwithstanding any provisions contained in the Charter of such city or any law of this state prescribing or fixing any limit upon the total amount of indebtedness of such city falling due in any one fiscal year, and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed six percent per annum, payable semiannually, with interest coupons attached, payable at such place or places as shall be designated therein. Said Council or governing body is further authorized to negotiate and sell such bonds from time to time to the highest bidder or bidders therefor, and upon the best terms that can be obtained for said bonds. Provided that no such bonds shall be sold for a less amount than par value thereof and accrued interest thereon. and provided further that all of said bonds shall be made for

principal sum of not less than \$100.00 or more than \$1,000.00

Sec. 2. Charter limitations not to apply.—The bonds hereby authorized, or any part thereof, may be so issued and sold, not withstanding any provision contained in the Charter of such city or any law of this state requiring approval of the voters of such city or any limitations contained in said Charter or laws prescribing or fixing any limit upon the bonded indebtedness of such city.

The full faith and credit of any such city shall at all times be pledged for the payment of any bonds issued under this act, and for the payment of the current interest thereon, and said Council or governing body of such city shall each year include in the tax levy a sufficient amount for the payment of such interest as it accrues, and for the accumulation of a sinking fund for the redemption of such bonds at their maturity.

Sec. 3. Issuance.—All bonds issued under authority of this act shall be sealed with the seal of the city issuing the same and signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Recorder or Clerk of such city, but the coupons attached thereto may be signed with the lithographed signature of the Recorder

or Clerk.

Sec. 4. Use of proceeds,—Said Council or governing body hereby is and shall be authorized and fully empowered, in addition to all other powers possessed by it, to use the said bonds or the proceeds of the sale thereof for the purposes herein specified, but neither the same or any part thereof shall be used for any other purpose.

Approved April 11, 1927.

CHAPTER 169—S. F. No. 1075

An act relating to the keeping of records and the making of reports by persons engaged in the purchase, manufacture or sale of dairy products and owners of skimming stations or other places engaged in the business of purchasing milk or cream and operators of condenseries, creameries, milk factories and cheese factories, and prescribing penalties.

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

Section 1. Definitions.—The word "person" as used in this act shall mean persons, firms, corporations, co-partnerships and associations.

Records must be kept.—Every person engaged in Sec. 2. the purchase, manufacture or sale of dairy products, and all owners of skimming stations or other places engaged in the