of a portion of "Mothers' Pensions," so-called, paid by such counties.

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

Section 1. Laws repealed.—That General Statutes 1923, Sections 8684 and 8685, be and the same hereby are repealed. Approved April 22, 1927.

## CHAPTER 363-H. F. No. 1381

An act to amend Section 2138, General Statutes 1923, with reference to forfeited tax sales.

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

Section 1. Unredeemed lands.—Section 2138, General Statutes 1923, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"2138. All parcels of land bid in for the state, and not assigned to purchasers or redeemed within three (3) years from the date of the tax sale at which they are offered, shall be disposed of as provided in this section and section 937. In June of each year the county auditor shall prepare and transmit to the state auditor a list of all such lands in his county then remaining unredeemed, together with a list of all taxes, penalties, interest and costs charged thereon. Such sale shall take place at the county seat on the second Monday of *November* of each year and shall continue from day to day until completed, and the county auditor shall publish a notice once each week for three successive weeks in such county of the time and place when said lands will be offered for sale."

Approved April 22, 1927.

## CHAPTER 364-H. F. No. 1384

An act to provide a levy of taxes for state purposes for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1928, and June 30, 1929.

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

Section 1. Tax levy for 1928.—For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1928, a tax of Seven Million, Twenty-two Thousand One Hundred Forty-one and 78/100 Dollars or as near that amount as practicable, shall be levied on all taxable property of the state; provided, that the tax hereby levied shall not exceed the rate of three and seven-tenths (3.7) Mills on each dollar of taxable property.

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Sec. 2. Tax levy for 1929.—For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1929, a tax of Five Million, Two Hundred Ninety-one Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-five Dollars or as near that amount as practicable, shall be levied on all taxable property of the state; provided, that the tax hereby levied shall not exceed the rate of two and eight-tenths (2.8) Mills on each dollar of taxable property.

Sec. 3. Credited to general revenue fund.—All taxes levied under the provisions of this act, when collected and paid into the state treasury, shall be placed to the credit of the General Revenue Fund only.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 22, 1927.

## CHAPTER 365-H. F. No. 21

An act to amend Section 9862, General Statutes 1923, relating to certified copies of official records, in probate court.

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

Section 1. Official records—certified copies.—Section 9862, General Statutes 1923, is amended to read as follows:

"9862. The original record made by any public officer in the performance of his official duty shall be prima facie evidence of the facts required or permitted by law to be by him recorded. A copy of such record, or, of any document which is made evidence by law and is preserved in the office or place where the same was required or is permitted to be filed or kept, or a copy of any authorized record of such document so preserved, when certified by the person entitled to the official custody thereof to have been compared by him with the original and to be a correct transcript therefrom, shall be received in evidence in all cases, with the same force and effect given to such original document or record; but if such officer have, by law, an official seal, his certificate shall be authenticated thereby. Provided, that no part of this section relating to the form of certification shall apply to documents or records kept in the departments or offices of the United States government.

In all cases where a decree of Probate Court, assigning or distributing property of a decedent, embraces real estate or other property situated in more than one county, the Probate Court shall furnish upon request therefor, certified copies of parts of such decrees, excluding from such certified copy all descriptions of real or other property included in such decree excepting description