Section 1. Probate Court may authorize continuance of business of decedent.—The Probate Court, upon such notice and conditions as it considers reasonable may authorize a representative of any estate pending in said court to continue and operate as a going concern either the individual business of the decedent or any partnership in which he was interested at the time of his decease, upon consent of the surviving members of such partnership, for the benefit of his estate for such time, and under such regulations, restrictions and other requirements as to the Court may seem appropriate in each particular case; provided that such representative shall be required to file in such court a verified statement showing the condition of the business engaged in at least once a year.

Approved April 15, 1929.

CHAPTER 189-H. F. No. 644

An act to amend the title to and the provisions of Chapter 255, General Laws 1925, being "an act authorizing the board of county commissioners of counties of this state having a total assessed valuation of more than \$200,000,000 and less than \$350,000,000 to appropriate and expend money from the county road and bridge fund upon any road, highway or bridge located upon or immediately adjacent to the boundary line between any city of the first class and any other city or village within such county"; and authorizing said county commissioners to purchase or condemn lands for right-of-way.

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

Section 1. Title amended.—That the title to Chapter 255, General Laws 1925 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of counties of this state having a total assessed valuation of more than \$220,000,000, and less than \$375,000.000, exclusive of money and credits, and the area of less than 5,000 square miles, to appropriate and expend money from the county road and bridge fund upon any road, highway or bridge located upon or immediately adjacent to the boundary line between any city of the first class and any other city or village within such county, and to acquire by purchase or condemnation right-of-way therefor."

- Sec. 2. Certain counties to improve roads outside of county.

 —That Chapter 255, General Laws 1925 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:
- "Section 1. That in any county of this state now or hereafter having a total assessed valuation of all its taxable property as fixed by the State Tax Commission of more than \$220,000,000, and less than \$375,000,000 exclusive of moneys and credits, and an area of less than 5,000 square miles, the board of county commissioners shall have authority to appropriate and expend upon any road, highway or bridge located upon or immediately adjacent to the boundary line between any city of the first class and any other city or village within such county, such sum or sums of money from the county road and bridge fund as said board shall deem proper for building, repairing or otherwise improving any road or highway, including the construction and repairing of any bridge thereon.
- Sec. 2. In the event said board of county commissioners shall determine to grade, pave or otherwise improve any road or highway, or construct or repair any bridge upon or immediately adjacent to the boundary line between any city of the first class and any other city or village within such county, and it shall be deemed that such improvement of such road, highway or bridge can be more economically and better done by having the work of such improvement done by any such city of the first class such board of county commissioners is hereby authorized to appropriate and pay to any such city of the first class such amount of money as it shall deem necessary to be expended by the county for such purpose in such city or in the city or village adjoining; provided that if any such road, highway or bridge so improved is upon a boundary line between any city or village and a city of the first class operating under a home rule charter within such county, and such road, highway or bridge is partly within such city of the first class, the amount so appropriated by said county shall not exceed one-half the cost of any such improvement as estimated by the county highway engineer of any such county.
- Sec. 3. Said amount so appropriated and paid to any such city of the first class shall be set apart in a fund for the improvement of any such road, highway or bridge, or may be paid to any fund raised or to be raised under any proceeding authorized by the charter of any such city for improvement of any such road, highway or bridge, and shall be expended from such fund in the same manner as other funds therein.
- Sec. 4. Such appropriation shall not be declared invalid because the same shall be more or less than one-half the total cost of such improvement as finally determined.

Sec. 5. Any county Board coming within the provisions of this act shall have authority in the name of the county to purchase or condemn lands for the right-of-way of such road, highway or bridge under the provisions of Chapter 41, General Statutes 1923."

Approved April 15, 1929.

CHAPTER 190-H. F. No. 1035

An act to amend Subdivision (3) of Section 3026, General Statutes of 1923, as amended by Chapter 282, General Laws of 1925, defining a four-year high school, and Subdivision (4) of Section 3026, General Statutes of 1923, as amended by Chapter 413, General Laws of 1925, defining a high school department, and Subdivision (5) of Section 3026, General Statutes of 1923, defining a junior high school, and Subdivision (6) of Section 3026, General Statutes of 1923, defining a senior high school.

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

- Section 1. Classification and definitions.—That Subdivision (3) of Section 3026, General Statutes of 1923, as amended by Chapter 282, General Laws of 1925, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:
- "(3) A four-year high school shall be a school giving one or more four-year courses beyond the eight-year elementary course, and which shall employ a superintendent, a high school principal and one or more high school teachers."
- Sec. 2. Classification and definitions.—That Subdivision (4) of Section 3026, General Statutes of 1923, as amended by Chapter 413, General Laws of 1925, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:
- "(4) A high school department shall be a school giving instruction in high school subjects beyond the eight-year elementary course. Such high school department shall employ two or more qualified high school teachers to give instruction in such high school subjects, one of whom may be the superintendent of the high school department and the elementary school associated therewith.