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

Section 1. Salary and clerk hire of county officers in certain counties.—That Laws 1921, Chapter 351, Section 1, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. In each county of this state now or hereafter containing not less than 70 full or fractional congressional townships and not more than 80 full or fractional congressional townships, and having at any time an assessed valuation of not less than \$2,000,000 and not more than five million (\$5,000,000) dollars, exclusive of money and credits, as officially equalized by the State Tax Commission, the salary and clerk hire of the county auditor, county treasurer, clerk of district court, and register of deeds and judge of probate respectively, shall be as hereinafter provided."

Approved April 21, 1931.

CHAPTER 285---S. F. No. 901

An act to fix the time of holding the general terms of the district court in the fourteenth judicial district of the State of Minnesota.

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

Section 1. Terms of district court in fourteenth judicial district.—The general terms of the District Court in the several counties constituting the Fourteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota shall be held, each year, at the times herein prescribed as follows:

Pennington County: On the second Tuesday in January, and the second Monday in June.

Mahnomen County: On the fourth Monday in May.

Kittson County: On the fourth Monday in March, and the second Monday in November.

Roseau County: On the second Monday in April, and the fourth Monday in October.

Marshall County: On the first Monday in May, and the fourth Monday in November.

Norman County: On the third Monday in May, and the fourth Monday in October.

Polk County: On the first Monday in June, and the first Monday after the first day of January.

Red Lake County: On the second Monday in April, and the second Monday in October.

- Sec. 2. Inconsistent acts repealed.—All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.
- Sec. 3. Effective August 1, 1931.—This act shall take effect from and after August 1, 1931.

Approved April 21, 1931.

CHAPTER 286-S. F. No. 1056

An Act authorizing the Executive Council of the State of Minnesota, when deemed in the public interest, to permit the diversion or drainage of public waters where the State has entered into a contract for removing minerals from the beds of any such waters, to extend such contracts, and to permit such diversion or drainage for the purpose of mining riparian lands.

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

Section 1. Executive council may extend contracts.—Whenever a contract or agreement has been made with the State of Minnesota pursuant to Chapter 110, General Laws 1917, and the laws amendatory thereof, covering the bed of a public lake or river, the Executive Council is empowered, upon application of the owner or holder thereof, to extend said contract or agreement for an additional period no greater than the period covered by the terms of the original contract or agreement, where the Executive Council deems such extension necessary or desirable in the public interest. The Executive Council is further empowered to grant a license for such definite term or period as it may determine, to the owner or holder