## CHAPTER 325-S. F. No. 1113

An act legalizing and validating certain tax sales and the certificates issued thereunder.

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

Section 1. Tax sales legalized.—In any case where the county auditor of any county, between the second Monday of August, 1929, and December 31st, 1929, both dates inclusive, shall have attempted or purported to sell any parcel of land pursuant to the provisions of Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 2138 and 2139, as amended by Laws 1929, Chapter 415, and shall have issued certificate to the purchaser of such parcel, and such sale shall have been in all respects properly conducted and such certificate would have been valid except that the sale was made upon a day on which no sale under such laws was authorized to be held, such sale and the certificate issued to the purchaser thereupon are hereby legalized and validated.

Sec. 2. Not to affect pending action.—This act shall not have the effect of legalizing or validating any action taken prior to the approval of this act for the termination of the right to redeem from such sale but any proceedings for that purpose may be taken subsequent to the passage of this act, and within the time limited by law.

Approved April 24, 1931.

## CHAPTER 326-S. F. No. 1161

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 8677, relating to appointment, duties and salaries of official investigators of applicants for mothers' allowance.

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

Section 1. Official investigators.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 8677, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"8677. In counties having over 200,000 and not to exceed 330,000 population the judge of the juvenile court may appoint one supervisor and one or more investigators for the investigation of

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application for allowance under this act, whose duty it shall be to visit the homes of the applicants and ascertain all the relevant facts and circumstances including the facts specified in the preceding section and make report in such form as the court may require. In counties having over 200,000 and not to exceed 250,000 population each person so appointed shall receive such salary as shall be fixed by a majority of the judges of the district court and approved by the county board. Such salary, however, of said supervisor shall not exceed \$2400. per annum and of said investigators \$1800 per annum. In counties having over 250,000 and not to exceed 330,000 population such salary of said supervisor shall not exceed \$1500.00 during the first year of service of such supervisor, except a supervisor in service now, who shall receive the salary now provided by law, \$1600 during the second year of service and \$1800 during and after the third year of service of such supervisor, and such salaries of such investigators shall not exceed \$1200 during the first year of service of any investigator except those in service now, who shall receive the salary now provided by law, \$1300 during the second year of service, \$1400 during the third year of service and \$1500 during and after the fourth year of service of any such investigator. Such salary shall be paid as other salaries are paid out of the county treasury, together with all expenses certified by the judge to have been necessarily incurred by them in the performance of their duties."

Approved April 24, 1931.

## CHAPTER 327—S. F. No. 1249

An act to amend Section 5670, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1923, relating to the maintenance of a law library in any county.

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

Section 1. Law libraries.—That Section 5670, General Statutes of Minnesota for 1923, be amended so as to read as follows:

"5670. In counties having a population of two hundred thousand or more, the district court may authorize and require the county board, or other body in charge of the courthouse, to provide rooms therein for the uses of a law library, whenever the owner of any such library shall offer to furnish and maintain the same for a term of at least ten years, and to give the free use thereof, under

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