expiration of said original corporate period, and when said period is extended as provided by this Act any and all corporate Acts and contracts done, performed, made and entered into after the expiration of said original period, shall be and each is hereby declared to be legal and valid.

Sec. 4. Application.—This Act shall not apply to any corporation the charter of which has been declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction of this State, nor to any corporation as to which there is pending any action or proceeding to any of the courts of this State, for the forfeiture of its charter, nor shall this Act affect any action or proceeding now pending in any of the Courts of this State in relation to any corporation described in Section 1 of this Act.

Approved April 10, 1933.

CHAPTER 194-H. F. No. 636

An act amending Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3554, relating to the organization of mutual automobile insurance companies.

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

Section 1. Mutual automobile insurance companies.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3554, be amended so as to read as follows:

"3554. Any number of persons not less than five may associate themselves together and form an incorporated company to insure against loss or damage to automobiles or other vehicles and their contents, by collision, fire, burglary, theft, hail, windstorm or tornado, and against liability for damage to property of others by collision with such vehicles."

Approved April 10, 1933.

CHAPTER 195-S. F. No. 674

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3692, relating to Mutual Hail, Tornado and Cyclone companies.

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

Section 1. Bonds of officers—duties.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3692, be amended to read as follows:

"3692. The officers shall perform such duties, receive such compensation, and give such bonds as shall be provided in the by-laws or fixed by the directors; but no salary, past or future, shall be increased except by majority vote of all members present and represented at an annual meeting, and no officer or director shall receive any commission, except upon business personally solicited and written by such officer."

Approved April 10, 1933.

CHAPTER 196-H. F. No. 761

An act amending Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 500, relating to fee of 20 cents to be paid by applicant for absent voter's ballot, and authorizing County Auditor to name assistants. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Fees for absent voter ballots.—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 500, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"500. The applicant for such ballots shall pay to the county auditor at the time he makes such application, a fee of twenty cents. The money so received by said county auditor shall be kept in a separate fund and shall be expended by said auditor in paying the expense of such extra clerical assistance as may be required for the performance by him of the duties imposed by this Act; the cost of furnishing and printing the application blanks specified in Section 2 hereof; the cost of furnishing and printing the envelopes and voters' certificate hereinafter specified; the cost of postage both in forwarding and for the return of the ballots as hereinafter specified and in delivering to the judges of election of the several districts in his county the applications after the same have been endorsed by him as hereinafter specified. Any surplus of the moneys so received shall be paid into the county treasury and credited to the general revenue fund.

Th county auditor of each of the several counties is hereby authorized to employ such assistants, additional to those now authorized by law, as may be necessary to the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act, but the expense of such additional