

ated from any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose specified in the following section of this Act.

Sec. 2. **Same.**—To defray expenses of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission or its duly authorized representatives, in connection with a hearing to be held before the Interstate Commerce Commission to determine proper freight rates on

potatoes\$1,500.00

Approved April 21, 1933.

CHAPTER 426—S. F. No. 1582

An act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the State's natural resources; for maintenance and improvement of State Soldiers' Home; for the maintenance of Minnesota Department, G. A. R.; for maintenance Minnesota Historical Society; for expense of burial of soldiers and sailors; for maintenance, improvement and repairs, Minnesota State Agricultural Society; for County and District Agricultural Societies; for aid to agricultural agents; for various stock breeders, dairymen's horticultural and poultry associations and societies; for public parks and additions thereto, for sheriff's per diem and mileage in certain cases; for drainage and highway assessments upon State lands; for vessel tonnage tax; for fees public land collections; for maintenance Sibley house; for maintenance of various semi-state activities; and providing for appropriations to be made out of the Game and Fish Department Funds for wolf bounties; for maintenance of various State departments; and for other purposes, and prescribing certain reductions and limitations as to the moneys hereby appropriated.

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

Section 1. **Appropriation for state activities.**—The sums hereinafter named, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purposes specified, in the following sections of this act, to be available, when not otherwise stated, for each of the fiscal years ending June 30, 1934, and June 30, 1935.

APPROPRIATIONS

Available for the year
ending June 30:

Sec. 2. Soldiers' Home:

	1934	1935
1. For Maintenance and Repairs.....	\$205,000.00	\$205,000.00

Sec. 3. Ladies of the G. A. R. Home, Anoka:

1. For Maintenance	6,500.00	6,500.00
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Sec. 4. Minnesota Department, G. A. R.:

1. For Maintenance	900.00	900.00
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Sec. 5. Burial of Soldiers and Sailors:

1. For care of the soldiers' graves in the Pioneer Cemetery in Minneapolis to be expended under the direction of the Adjutant General..	3,000.00	
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Said sum is hereby transferred and reappropriated from the unexpended balance remaining of the amount appropriated by Section 5, Item 1 of Chapter 395, Laws 1931.

2. The balances of the appropriation for the burial of soldiers and sailors after certain transfers and reappropriations therefrom are hereby reappropriated.

Provided, however, that no payment shall be made for the burial of soldiers and sailors and/or markers for their graves in any case in which Federal funds are received therefor.

Sec. 6. Agricultural, Livestock and Poultry Associations and Societies:

	1934	1935
1. Minnesota State Agricultural Society:		

a. For Maintenance, Expenses and Repairs	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
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2. Agricultural Societies:

a. For County and District Agricultural Societies	136,000.00	120,000.00
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Provided that the amounts appropriated by item "a" hereof shall be disbursed on a pro rata basis to the county and district agricultural societies according to the provisions of Section 7886, General Statutes 1923, and acts amendatory thereof, no one county or district agricultural society to receive in excess of \$1360.00 however; provided further, however, that any association or society enumerated in said Section 7886, General Statutes 1923, may suspend the holding of its annual fair for one year, and upon resumption of the holding of such annual fair shall be entitled to its pro rata distributive share as provided by said section.

b. For Southern Minnesota Livestock Association of New Prague	1,500.00	1,500.00
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c. For Red River Valley Livestock Association	4,700.00	4,700.00
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Provided that the moneys appropriated by Items "b" and "c" of subdivision 2 hereof shall be disbursed pursuant to the provisions of Section 7886, General Statutes 1923 and acts amendatory thereof.

d. For aid to Minnesota Crop Improvement Association	2,700.00	2,500.00
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3. State Horticultural Society:

a. For Maintenance	4,000.00	4,000.00
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4. For aid to Minnesota Livestock Breeders' Association	15,000.00	15,000.00
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5. For live stock premiums to County Fair Associations for carrying on Boys' and Girls' Club Work.... 5,000.00 5,000.00
- Said item to be subject, so far as practicable, to the conditions contained in Section 7886, General Statutes 1923, and acts amendatory thereof, except that disbursements shall be made upon approval by and through the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' Association. No county fair association shall be entitled to receive more than \$50.00.
6. For the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association, Inc., for the purpose of promoting better dairying 1,000.00 1,000.00
- Provided, that the amount appropriated by Item 6, shall be expended under the supervision and control of the state commissioner of agriculture.
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7. For Maintenance, Minnesota Poultry Improvement Board 1,000.00
- 1934 1935
- 7½. For Maintenance, Minnesota Poultry Improvement Board\$ 2,000.00 \$ 2,000.00
8. For poultry associations, to aid in the payment of premiums at exhibitions of poultry by the following societies:

Aitkin County Poultry Association; Anoka County Poultry Association; Becker County Poultry Association; Beltrami County Poultry Association; Benton County Poultry Association; Big Stone County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Blue Earth County: Blue Earth County Poultry Association, Amboy Poultry Association, Breeders & Fanciers Association of Mankato; Brown County Poultry Association; Carlton County Poultry Association; Carver County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Cass County: Cass County Poultry Association, Lake Region Poultry Association of Pine River, Walker Poultry Association of Walker; Chippewa County Poultry

Association; Chisago County Poultry Association; Clay County Poultry Association; Southwestern Poultry & Pet Stock Association, Cottonwood County; Crow Wing County Poultry Association; Clearwater County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Dakota County: Hastings Poultry Association, Dakota County Poultry Association; Dodge County Poultry Association; Douglas County Poultry Association; Faribault County Poultry Association, the following poultry associations in Fillmore County: Fillmore County Poultry Association; Fillmore County Poultry Breeders' Association; Southern Minnesota Poultry & Fanciers Association, Freeborn County; Cannon Valley Agriculture & Poultry Association, Goodhue County; Grant County Poultry Association; Houston County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Hubbard County; Hubbard County Poultry Association, Shell Prairie's Agricultural Association; Isanti County Poultry Association; Itasca County Poultry Association; Jackson County Poultry Association; Kanabec County Poultry Association; Kandiyohi County Poultry Association; Kittson County Poultry Association; Koochiching County Poultry Association; Lac qui Parle County Poultry Association; Lake County Poultry Association; Lake of the Woods County Poultry Association; LeSueur County Poultry Association; Lincoln County Poultry Association; Lyon County Poultry Association; McLeod County Poultry Association; Mahnomen County Poultry Association; Marshall County Poultry Association; Martin County Poultry Association; Meeker County Poultry Association; Mille Lacs County Poultry Association; Morrison County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Mower County: Mower County Poultry Association, Mower County Poultry Association of Grand Meadow, LeRoy Poultry Association; Murray County Poultry Association; Nicollet County Poultry Association; Nobles County Poultry Association; Norman County Poultry Association; Southeastern Minnesota Poultry Association, Olmsted County; the following poultry associations in Otter Tail County: Otter Tail County Poultry Association, East Otter Tail County Poultry Association; Pennington County Poultry Association; Pine County Poultry Association; Pipestone County Poultry Association; Northern Minnesota Poultry Association, Polk County; Pope County Poultry Association; Ramsey County Poultry Association; Red Lake County Poultry Association; Redwood County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Renville County: Western Renville County Poultry Association, Renville County Poultry Association; Cannon Valley Poultry Association, Rice County; Rock County Poultry Association; Roseau County Poultry Association; St. Louis County Poultry Association; Belle-plaine Poultry Association, Scott County; Sherburne County Poultry Association; Sibley County Poultry

Association; the following poultry associations in Stearns County: Central Minnesota Poultry Association, Stearns County Poultry Association; North Star Poultry Association, Steele County; Stevens County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Swift County: Swift County Poultry Association, West Central Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Todd County: Todd County Poultry Association, Staples Poultry Association; Traverse County Poultry Association; the following poultry associations in Wabasha County: Boys and Girls Agricultural Fair & Poultry Association, Plainview Poultry Association; Wadena County Poultry Association; Waseca Poultry Association; Washington County Poultry Association; Wilkin County Poultry Association; Watonwan County Poultry Association; Winona County Poultry Association; Wright County Poultry Association; Yellow Medicine County Poultry Association; Minnesota State Poultry Association\$ 10,000.00 \$ 10,000.00

Provided, that the Minnesota State Poultry Association (being a consolidation of the Minnesota State Poultry Association of Hennepin County and the Minnesota Fanciers Association of Ramsey County) shall receive not to exceed \$400.00 subject, however, to all other provisions relating to the distribution of the appropriation herein made.

Provided, that no one association or society shall receive an amount greater than the annual premiums paid to exhibitors by them and shall not in any case exceed the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to any one county. Provided, further, that any society or association to be entitled to their distributive share of this appropriation shall file annually with the state auditor, on or before the first day of April of each year, a sworn statement signed by the president or secretary of such association or society, showing the amount of cash premiums paid during the year to exhibitors, and the amount to be distributed to such society or association from said fund shall be based and determined

upon the amount of cash premiums paid out as hereinbefore provided. Provided, further, that except as herein provided, that where there is more than one association in a county the amount allotted to such county, not exceeding two hundred dollars (\$200.00) aforesaid, shall be distributed to the societies in equal amounts.

Sec. 7. Department of Conservation:

	1934	1935
A. STATE PARKS:		
1. Itasca State Park:		
a. For maintenance, supervision and protection of timber.....	\$12,000.00	\$ 12,000.00
b. For bridge	300.00	
c. For repairs and improvements to Douglas Lodge	2,500.00	2,500.00
<p>The rentals and income received from Douglas Lodge for the years 1934 and 1935 are hereby reappropriated for the purpose of making repairs and improvements at Douglas Lodge.</p>		
2. Horace Austin State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	750.00	750.00
b. Special repairs and replacements	1,000.00	500.00
3. Minneopa State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	1,000.00	1,000.00
4. Jay Cook State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	5,000.00	5,000.00
b. There is hereby transferred and reappropriated from the Permanent Improvement Fund to the		

Maintenance Fund the sum of \$200.00; the balance of said Permanent Improvement Fund, to-wit: \$1,000.00 to be expended in the construction of a new road to Ogantz Point.

5.	Scenic State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance and Permanent Improvements	1,200.00	1,200.00
6.	Fort Ridgely State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance and Permanent Improvements :.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
7.	Inter State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance	2,000.00	2,000.00
8.	White Water State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance	1,200.00	1,200.00
9.	Camp Release State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance	200.00	200.00
10.	Toqua Lakes State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance	500.00	500.00
11.	Alexander Ramsey State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance and Permanent improvements	2,000.00	2,000.00
12.	Latsch State Park:		
	a. For Maintenance	750.00	750.00
	Authority is hereby granted the budget commissioner to reimburse John Latsch in the amount of \$400 for permanent improvements made at the park, such amount to be paid out of the 1931 appropriation for said park.		
13.	Burntside State Forest and Park:		
	a. For Maintenance	1,500.00	1,500.00

14. Charles A. Lindbergh State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	750.00	750.00
15. Chippewa Lac Qui Parle Indian Mission Park:		
a. For Maintenance	500.00	500.00
16. Lake Bemidji State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	250.00	250.00
17. Milford Monument:		
a. For Maintenance	100.00	100.00
18. Inspiration Peak Park:		
a. For Maintenance and Improve- ments	750.00	300.00
19. Sibley State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	100.00	100.00
20. Sleepy Eye State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	500.00	500.00
21. Traverse Des Sioux State Park:		
a. For Maintenance	50.00	
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b. For Maintenance	100.00	150.00
22. Birch Coulee State Park:		
a. For Maintenance and Perma- nent Improvements	750.00	750.00
B. TOURIST BUREAU	12,500.00	12,500.00
Sec. 8. County agricultural agents and cooperative exten- sion work:		
	1934	1935
1. For Maintenance, County Agricul- tural Agents and Co-operative Extension Work	54,000.00	58,750.00

Provided that out of the moneys appropriated by Item 1 hereof \$1175 for each agent is to be used to pay the salary of such county agent or agents in each county.

Sec. 9. Miscellaneous funds:

1.	For Maintenance Sibley House, to be expended by the Sibley House Association	1,200.00	1,200.00
2.	For Minnesota Historical Society:		
	a. For Maintenance	26,500.00	26,500.00
	b. For supplies and expense.....	15,000.00	15,000.00
3.	For special aid to cities having large proportion of property paying gross earnings taxes, Chapter 259, Laws 1923	60,000.00	60,000.00
4.	For mileage and per diem of sheriffs, for conveying prisoners to state prison and state reformatory	17,500.00	17,500.00
		1933	
4½.	For mileage and per diem of sheriffs, for conveying prisoners to state prison and state reformatory	4,000.00	
		1934	1935
5.	For drainage assessments due on state lands	70,000.00	70,000.00
6.	For the aid of common school districts as provided in Chapter 341, Laws 1911	50,000.00	50,000.00
7.	The sum of \$75,000 or so much thereof as is necessary for each of the fiscal years ending June 30, 1934, and June 30, 1935, is hereby appropriated out of the Game and Fish Commission's account, for the payment of Wolf Bounties in the manner provided by law.		

- 8. To pay expenses of Upper Mississippi and St. Croix River Improvement Commission of Minnesota 5,000.00 5,000.00

Provided that the sum of \$2,500.00 may be paid from each of said sums of \$5,000.00 to the Upper Mississippi Waterways Association.

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- 9. To pay expenses of Great Lakes St. Lawrence Tidewater Commission 5,000.00
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- 10. To pay expenses of Great Lakes St. Lawrence Tidewater Commission 5,000.00

- 11. To pay for one-half the cost of acquiring Lots 8 and 9 in Block 1 and all of Block 2 south of Wabasha Street in Ewing's and Chute's Addition to Saint Paul for the purpose of widening Aurora Avenue between Rice Street and Park Avenue, and to pay one-half of the cost of grading and paving said street as so widened, on condition that the City of St. Paul shall pay the other half of the cost of acquiring said property, and of making such improvements, available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933\$ 30,000.00

Provided, that the City of Saint Paul shall acquire the title to such property and make the said improvements to Aurora Avenue and shall submit a detailed statement of the total cost thereof to the Executive Council which, if found proper, shall direct that one-half thereof be paid to said City of Saint Paul out

of this appropriation, upon the completion of said improvements.

Provided, further, that if the total cost of acquiring such property and the making of such improvements shall exceed \$60,000.00, no part of such excess shall be an obligation of the State.

Provided further, that the amount hereby appropriated shall be cancelled and be unavailable from and after July 1, 1935.

Sec. 10. Counties to receive share of vessel tonnage act.—The State Auditor and State Treasurer are hereby authorized to pay to the county treasuries of the several counties of the state, on or before December 1, 1934, and 1935, the amounts due the respective counties as their share of the vessel tonnage tax under the provisions of Section 2291, Mason's Minnesota Statutes, 1927.

Sec. 11. Unexpended balances reappropriated.—The unexpended balances on June 30, 1933, in the several appropriations heretofore made to the activities named in this act are hereby reappropriated and made available for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1934, and June 30, 1935, respectively, for the purposes for which such appropriations were made. Where an appropriation is made in this act and there remains a balance in a previous appropriation for the same purpose, such balance shall be added to and become a part of such appropriation, except as herein otherwise specifically provided.

Sec. 12. Salary reductions.—The appropriations herein made in Sections 2, 6, 7 and 9 have been made on the basis of salary reductions of twenty per cent. (20%) on any and all salaries and wages exceeding the sum of \$1200 per annum, no salary, however, to be reduced below the sum of \$1200 per annum. The reductions herein prescribed are to be construed as an emergency provision, applicable only to the years ending June 30, 1934, and June 30, 1935.

The heads of the various state departments and activities designated in said Sections 2, 6, 7 and 9 are hereby given authority to reduce salaries as nearly as may be upon an equitable basis and in any manner that they deem best, having regard to the circumstances and experience of the employee involved. Such authority

to reduce salaries shall apply to all positions and to all salaries, whether fixed by law or otherwise, and whether such salaries are paid from state appropriations, fees, special funds or otherwise, hereby suspending and repealing all laws in conflict with this section.

In all cases where such state departments and activities are subject to the provisions of Chapter 426, Laws 1925, all such reductions in salary shall be approved by the Commission of Administration and Finance, and such state departments and activities shall continue subject to the provisions of said Chapter 426, Laws 1925.

Sec. 13. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 22, 1933.

CHAPTER 427—S. F. No. 1747

An act to appropriate money for the payment of claims against the State of Minnesota; to provide for tax and other refundments; to provide for the reimbursement and compensation of certain employees of the state having claims for personal injuries sustained or for loss or damage of property incurred while engaged in the performance of their duties and for the relief of dependents of certain employees of the State for the death of such employees while engaged in the performance of their duties; to provide for the reimbursement and compensation of persons for injuries sustained or for loss or damage to property by certain employees of the State while engaged in the performance of their duties; and by inmates of state institutions; and for relief of dependents of certain employees of the State while engaged in the performance of their duties; to provide for payments to certain persons for services performed to the State; to authorize the State Auditor to cancel certain land and other contracts heretofore entered into by certain persons with the State and to credit payments heretofore made upon other purchases or to refund the same; to reimburse certain persons for deeds to certain land erroneously conveyed by the State; to authorize the Auditor to credit on certain land contracts the value of improvements found not to be on said land; to provide money for carrying on certain State activities as authorized