Sec. 2. This Act shall be in force and effect from and after the date of its passage.

Approved April 22, 1935.

## CHAPTER 234—S. F. No. 986

An act authorizing certain counties to pay a reward where the payment thereof has been authorized by resolution of the county board for the recovery of a dead body.

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

Section 1. Counties may pay award in certain cases.—That whenever any county in this state having a population of more than 200,000, and an assessed valuation of more than \$250,000,000.00, shall have by resolution of its county board authorized the payment of a reward for the recovery of the body of a murderer, such county board shall be authorized to pay such reward and claim therefor, provided that no such payment shall exceed the sum of \$200.00, and no such payment shall be made except by resolution of the county board. Provided, further, that such county board before allowing any such reward, shall require proper and sufficient legal proof of the fact, evidencing the recovery of the body of any such murderer. That any seven taxpayers may appeal to the district court of such county from the action of such county board, as provided by law for appeal from the allowance or disallowance of any claim by such county board.

Approved April 22, 1935.

## CHAPTER 235—S. F. No. 1167

An act to amend Laws of Minnesota, 1929, Chapter 176, Section 1, relating to the zoning ordinances.

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

Section 1. That Laws 1929, Chapter 176, Section 1, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. Municipalities may pass zoning ordinances.—That for the purpose of promoting health, safety, order, convenience, prosperity, and general welfare, any city of the second, third or fourth class or any village in

this state, acting by or through its governing body, may by ordinance regulate the location, size, use and height of buildings, the arrangement of buildings on lots, and the density of population within such city or village; may make different regulations for different districts thereof; and may acquire or prepare and adopt a comprehensive plan for the future physical development and improvement of such city or village. in accordance with the regulations made as aforesaid, and may thereafter alter said regulations or plan, such alterations, however, to be made only by a two-thirds vote of all the members of the governing body of such city or village. Provided, that the provisions of this Act shall not be made effective by the governing body of any such municipality until the proposition of the enactment of such regulations shall be first submitted to a vote of the legal voters of such municipality at a general election in such municipality or at a special election called for the purpose of passing upon the proposition when if a majority of the electors voting at such election shall vote in favor thereof the governing body may proceed to carry out the regulations authorized by this Act, but not otherwise, except that in cities of the second class no such election shall be necessary.

. Approved April 22, 1935.

## CHAPTER 236-S. F. No. 1196

An act to amend Laws 1933, Chapter 117, relating to the dates of the annual election of members of the board of education in any independent school district, however organized, in any city of the first class in the State of Minnesota, the territorial limits of which independent school district coincide with the territorial limits of such city, the government of which independent school district is not provided for in the charter of such city.

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

Section 1. Date of annual meeting of independent school districts in certain counties.—Laws 1933, Chapter 117, Section 1, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. That in any independent school district, however organized, in any city of the first class in the State of Minnesota, the territorial limits of which independent-school district coincide with the territorial limits of such city, and