Section 1. Law amended.—Session Laws of 1929, Chapter 44 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. Cities may contract for use of sewers.—Any city of the second, third or fourth class may contract for the use of its sewers by the owner or occupant of land outside and within one mile of the limits of such city. Any such contract heretofore made is hereby validated and confirmed. Provided nothing herein shall be construed as limiting any power now possessed by any such city under its home rule charter.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 31, 1937.

## CHAPTER 129—S. F. No. 506

An act authorizing the purchase and maintenance of a law library by the board of county commissioners of certain counties.

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

Section 1. Purchase of law library by board of county commissioners of certain counties authorized.—That the board of county commissioners of any county now having an assessed valuation excluding moneys and credits in excess of \$22,800,000, and having a population of not less than 27,000 or more than 28,000 inhabitants according to the last federal census, and having not less than 90 nor more than 92 full and fractional townships, and not containing within its limits a city of the first class, and not possessing a county law library, may purchase such books and legal works and publications as will comprise a library for the use of officials of the county, the judges of the district court and other courts and attorneys at law, and the library so acquired shall thereafter be maintained by the county.

Sec. 2. Books to be purchased on approval of judges.—No purchase of books shall be made without the approval of a majority of the judges of the district in which the county is situated with respect to the kinds of works to be purchased. A part of the amount which can be so expended may be used for shelving and equipment of the library. The library shall be maintained in the county court house or elsewhere in the county seat. The county board may make such regulations as may be necessary or advisable respecting the use of the library.

- Sec. 3. Limitations of expenditures.—The initial expenditure to be made for such purpose shall not exceed the sum of \$4,000, and the annual cost of the maintenance of the library, including the cost of volumes supplementing sets first purchased, shall not exceed \$500.00. Certificates of indebtedness of the county may be issued by the county board to the persons from whom books for the library may be purchased for the whole or a part of the consideration, which certificates shall be payable on or before ten years from the date of issuance and shall bear annual interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum.
- Sec. 4. This act shall be in effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved April 2, 1937.

## CHAPTER 130-S. F. No. 542

An act to secure from the Secretary of the Interior under authority of the Act of Congress of May 28th, 1926, (44 Statutes 672) the transcripts, documents, records, field notes, maps, plats, and other papers mentioned in Sections 1 and 2 of such act, for the use and benefit of the State of Minnesota, and to conform to the requirements of Section 3 of said act and appropriating money therefor.

WHEREAS, on January 1st, 1933, the General Land Office at Washington discontinued its land office at Cass Lake, Minnesota, and shipped to Washington all plats, tract books and other important records, and

WHEREAS, certain serial registers from the Cass Lake, Duluth and Crookston Land Offices, with eight bundles of other records have been sent to the office of the Secretary of State of Minnesota, and

WHEREAS, the remaining records, plats, etc., of the land of Minnesota, would be of great service to the State of Minnesota and the Department of Conservation in the administration of state-owned lands in furnishing the people of the state information on private and publicly owned lands.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. Governor to request transfer to state of certain documents and records.—The Governor is hereby authorized to request the Secretary of the Interior to transfer to the State of