

evidence of the assignment thereof, if any, by issuance and payment of the warrant of the county auditor or the county treasury therefor; provided, however, that the right to refundment shall be exercised within six years from the date of such tax sale, and the amounts paid shall be charged to the proper funds, and extended against the respective parcels of land with the current taxes, and collected therewith.

Approved July 15, 1937.

CHAPTER 62—H. F. No. 207

An act to amend Laws 1937, Chapter 385 relating to the appropriation of money for state educational institutions, including the University of Minnesota, and/or Commission of Administration and Finance, and authorizing the State Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota to negotiate with the federal government or any agency thereof for federal funds and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. **May negotiate with federal government for grants.**—Laws 1937, Chapter 385, Section 9 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

“Section 9. The amounts obtained from the sale of the certificates authorized by this act are hereby appropriated for the use of the Board of Regents and the Commission of Administration and Finance in the respective amounts allocated to each item as hereinbefore specified and provided. *Provided, however, that the said Board of Regents and/or Commission of Administration and Finance are authorized and directed to negotiate with the federal government or any agency, bureau or department thereof in securing or obtaining any grants or aid for the purposes specified in said Chapter 385. Any grants or aid thus secured or received from the federal government or any agency, bureau or department thereof are hereby appropriated to said Board or Commission and made available for the uses and purposes for which it was received and shall be used in conjunction with the appropriations provided for in said Chapter 385.*”

Approved July 15, 1937.

CHAPTER 63—H. F. No. 259

An act relating to the compensation of county commissioners in certain cases and legalizing payments heretofore made.

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

Section 1. **Salary of county board in certain counties.**—In all counties of the state now or hereafter containing not less than 19, and not more than 21, whole or fractional organized townships, and which counties now have or hereafter may have a population of not less than 34,000, and not more than 45,000, inhabitants, and having an assessed valuation, including money and credits of not less than \$28,000,000, and not more than \$45,000,000, each member of the board of county commissioners shall receive from the county an annual salary of \$700.00, and in addition thereto their actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred by them in the discharge of their official duties.

Section 2. **Payments legalized.**—All payments of salaries heretofore made to the county commissioners in any such counties in good faith are hereby in all things legalized, validated and approved.

Approved July 15, 1937.

CHAPTER 64—H. F. No. 267

An act relating to the deposit and keeping of public monies in banks and prescribing certain conditions therefor and penalties for the violation thereof.

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

Section 1. **Deposit of public monies.**—No public monies belonging to the State of Minnesota or to any county, town, city, village, borough, school district or other governmental subdivision therein shall be kept in any national bank in this state after August 25, 1937, nor shall be deposited in any such bank after August 25, 1937, unless such bank shall have filed with the Minnesota Tax Commission an agreement to pay all taxes that may during the years 1937 and 1938 be levied and assessed against the shares of stock in such bank under the statutes and laws of the State of Minnesota as they exist at the close of the present session of the legislature. When the commission shall have determined that any national bank shall have complied with the requirement of this section it shall issue a certificate to that effect; but no such certificate shall be issued after August 25, 1937. One copy of such certificate shall be mailed to the bank to which it relates and one filed in the office of the county auditor in the county in which such bank is located. The commission shall on August 25, 1937, file in the office of the county auditor of each county a list of the names of national banks, if any there be, located in such county to which such certificates have not been issued as herein pro-