transportation, rendering, and all other provisions deemed by said board to be necessary to prevent the spread of disease. No person shall sell or offer to sell, or give away such carcass when the animal died or was killed on account of disease, nor convey the same along any public road or upon any land not his own; unless in accordance with a special permit as hereinbefore provided. Nor shall any person negligently or willfully permit diseased animals owned or controlled by him to escape his control or to run at large. Every violation of any provision of this act shall be a misdemeanor."

Approved March 31, 1939.

CHAPTER 105-S. F. No. 740

An act relating to authorized securities, amending the 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 7714, Subdivision 12.

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

- Section 1. Authorized securities.—That the 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 7714, Subdivision 12, is hereby amended to read as follows:
- "12. (a) In bonds and obligations of the Federal Home Loan Banks established by Act of Congress known as the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, approved July 23, 1932, and Acts amendatory thereto, and in bonds and obligations of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation established by Act of Congress known as the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and Acts amendatory thereto.
- (b) Certificates of Deposits of any bank or trust company, however organized, the deposits of which are insured in whole or in part by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, to the extent that such certificates of deposits are fully insured."

Approved March 31, 1939.

CHAPTER 106—S. F. No. 702

An act relating to hybrid seed corn.

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

- Section 1. Subdivision 1. Hybrid seed corn—What constitutes.—In this act unless otherwise specified, "hybrid seed corn" shall be seed of the first generation of a cross involving two, three, or four different inbred lines of corn or their combinations, and shall be restricted to seed of single crosses, three-way crosses and double crosses, these in turn being defined as follow:
- (1) Single cross. The first generation of a hybrid between two inbred lines.
- (2) Three-way cross. The first generation of a hybrid between a single cross and an inbred line.
- (3) Double cross. The first generation of a hybrid between two single crosses.
- Subdivision 2. **Definitions.**—The word "person" as used herein shall be construed to import both the singular and the plural as the case requires and shall include corporations, a copartnerships, companies, societies, firms and associations.
- Sec. 2. Sale of Hybrid seed corn.—It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, offer or expose for sale within the state of Minnesota any seed corn as "hybrid" unless the said seed answers to and complies with the definition of hybrid seed corn contained in Section 1 hereof; and unless there is attached to each sack, bag, or other container of such corn a label specifying that the corn contained therein is the product of either a single cross, a three-way cross or a double cross, as the case may be; and said label shall state the year, county and state in which said hybrid corn was raised and state approximately the number of days of growing season required from emergence of the corn plant above the ground to maturity in the section in Minnesota where said corn is intended to be grown, as hereinafter provided.
- Sec. 3. Dean of agricultural college to establish sections.—It shall be the duty of the dean and director of the department of agriculture of the University of Minnesota to determine, establish and number or otherwise identify, corn growing sections of the state and to determine and publish for each section so established the approximate number of days growing season required for corn from emergence of the corn plants above ground after planting to maturity.
- Sec. 4. Commissioner of agriculture to enforce act.—The commissioner of agriculture is hereby charged with the duty and responsibility of enforcing the provisions of this act.

Sec. 5. Violations—Penalties.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Sec. 6. Effective July 1, 1939.—This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of July, 1939.

Approved March 31, 1939.

CHAPTER 107—H. F. No. 636

An act relating to the date of the final meeting of the board of education and the time during which polls shall be open in certain school districts, and amending the 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 2807-18a and 2807-18c.

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

Section 1. Elections in certain school districts.—The 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 2807-18a, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"2807-18a. In any school district in this state, created, organized and operating under a special law, and now or hereafter having a population of not less than 10,000 and not more than 20,000 inhabitants, and wherein some members of the governing board or board of education are elected by and from the district at large on the third Saturday in July of each year for a term of two years, the term of office of such members shall commence on the first Saturday in August after said election. The polls at all elections in such district shall be open between the hours of 9 A. M. and 8 P. M., unless the Board of Education by resolution shall fix other hours.

Sec. 2. Meetings of school board.—The 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 2807-18c, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"2807-18c. The governing board or board of education of such special district shall also meet on the Friday preceding the first Saturday in August of each year and close up as far as practicable all old or unfinished business of said board and audit all proper bills, and order the same paid, and do all such other business as may properly appertain to said board, but at said meeting no business shall be transacted, and no person shall be nominated, chosen or elected to fill any vacancy in the board.

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