CHAPTER 353-H. F. No. 854.

An act to legalize certain conveyances of real property heretofore made, and the record thereof.

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

Section 1. Conveyances and record thereof legalized.—All conveyances of real property belonging to the State of Minnesota within this state made during the month of August, 1880, and executed by the president of the State Normal School Board, which conveyances refer to and purport to be executed pursuant to an Act of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota approved on January 20, 1869, in which Act the president of the State Normal School Board of said state, by and with the consent of the said Normal School Board, was empowered to dispose of, sell and convey all the real estate donated, prior to the passage of the said Act, to the State of Minnesota for the establishment of the State Normal School at Winona, Minnesota, are hereby declared legal and valid, and such conveyances and the record thereof shall have the same force and effect in all respects for the purposes of notice, evidence and otherwise as may be provided by law with respect to conveyances in other cases. This act shall not apply to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this state.

Approved April 9, 1943.

CHAPTER 354—H. F. No. 874.

(Amending Section 633.18 Minnesota Statutes 1941.)

An act relating to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace, and amending Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 9127.

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 9127, is amended to read as follows:

9127. Judgment on conviction.—When the accused is tried under the provisions of this chapter and found guilty, or is convicted on a plea of guilty, the justice shall render judgment thereon and inflict such punishment, either by fine or imprisonment as the nature of the case may require. When the facts of the case so warrant the justice may suspend sentence or place the defend-

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ant on probation for a period not exceeding one year or, where a fine has been imposed, order such fine to be paid in instalments over a period not exceeding one year.

Approved April 9, 1943.

CHAPTER 355—H. F. No. 887.

(Amending Section 388.01 Minnesota Statutes 1941.)

An act relating to the term of office of county attorneys, amending Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 924.

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 924, is amended to read as follows:

. 924. **Election—term—bond.**—There shall be elected in each county a county attorney, whose term of office shall be *four* years and until his successor qualifies. Before entering upon his duties he shall give bond to the county in the penal sum of \$1,000, to be approved by the county board, conditioned that he will faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his office and pay over without delay to the county treasurer all moneys which come into his hands by virtue thereof, which bond and his oath shall be filed for record with the register of deeds and when so recorded forwarded by the register of deeds to the secretary of state.

Approved April 9, 1943.

CHAPTER 356-H. F. No. 903.

An act relating to salaries of county commissioners and county auditors in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Salaries of county officers in certain counties.— In all counties in this state containing not less than 14 nor more than 15 full or fractional congressional townships, with an as-