produce more than \$50,000 in taxes actually collected and paid into the revenue fund of said county, which rate calculated to produce said amount shall be based on the percentage of the taxes, currently payable in the preceding year, which have been collected by July 1 of the year in which the levies hereby authorized are made.

Approved February 14, 1945.

## CHAPTER 12-S. F. No. 216

An act to amend Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 517.03, relating to marriages which are prohibited.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 517.03, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"517.03. Marriages prohibited. No marriage shall be contracted while either of the parties has a husband or wife living; nor within six months after either has been divorced from a former spouse; nor within six months after either was a party to a marriage which has been adjudged a nullity; nor between parties who are nearer of kin than second cousins, whether of the half or whole blood, computed by the rules of the civil law; nor between persons either one of whom is epileptic, imbecile, feeble-minded, or insane; nor between persons one or both of whom are under 15 years of age."

Approved February 14, 1945.

## CHAPTER 13-H. F. No. 372

An act relating to commissioned officers; amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 192.18, Subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 192.18, Subdivision 1, is hereby amended to read as follows: 192.18. Vacation of commissions; continuance in service. Subdivision 1. Commissions of national guard officers shall be vacated as provided by federal law, provided, however, that in time of war or other declared emergency, brigade and regimental commanders who reach the retirement age of 64 years, may in the discretion of the commander-in-chief, on the recommendation of the adjutant general, be continued in the active service of the State Guard, in their then grade and assignment, for the duration of the war or emergency and for six months thereafter.

Approved February 14, 1945.

## CHAPTER 14-H. F. No. 22

An act relating to motor vehicles and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 168.09, by adding a new subdivision thereto.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 168.09, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

- 168.09. Registration of motor vehicles; re-registration. Subdivision 1. No motor vehicle, except as is exempted by section 168.02, shall use or be operated upon the public streets or highways of the state in any calendar year until it shall have been registered, as hereinafter required, and the motor vehicle tax and fees herein provided shall have been duly paid and the number plates issued therefor shall be duly displayed on such vehicle. No motor vehicle, except as provided by section 168.02, which shall for any reason not be subject to taxation as herein provided, shall use or be operated upon the public streets or highways of this state until it shall have been duly registered, as herein provided, and shall duly display number plates as required by the provisions of this chapter, except that the purchaser of a new motor vehicle may operate his motor vehicle without plates, provided that;
- (1) Such purchaser shall secure from a person appointed by the registrar for that purpose a permit so to operate his motor vehicle, of which permit such person shall keep a record, on a blank provided by the registrar for that purpose;