

CHAPTER 27—S. F. No. 243

An act relating to the powers of the commissioner of agriculture and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 17.03, Subdivision 3.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 17.03, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subdivision 3. Cooperation with federal agencies. The commissioner shall cooperate with the *government of the United States*, with financial agencies created to assist in the development of the agricultural resources of this state, and so far as practicable may use the facilities provided by the existing state departments and the various state and local organizations. *This subdivision is intended to relate to every function and duty which devolves upon the commissioner.*

Approved February 28, 1945.

CHAPTER 28—S. F. No. 271

An act relating to the manufacture, sale, offering or exposing for sale of any substance to be used as an artificial or imitation flavoring in any food product in imitation of butter any prohibiting the manufacture or sale of any article of food containing such artificial or imitation flavoring and amending laws 1931, Chapter 97, Section 1, being Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 33.03.

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

Section 1. Laws 1931, Chapter 97, Section 1, being Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 33.03, is amended to read:

"33.03. Butter imitations prohibited. No person, shall, by himself or agent, or as a servant or agent of another, manufacture, sell, distribute, offer or expose for sale or distribution in the state, or have in his possession with intent to use, sell, or exchange, any artificial or imitation flavoring preparation to be used in fats, oils, or any article of food to produce a flavor in imitation of that of natural butter, the product of the dairy. No person shall, by himself or agent, or as a servant or agent of another; manufacture, sell, distribute, offer or ex-

pose for sale or distribution in the state, or have in his possession with intent to sell or exchange any manufactured article of food containing an artificial or imitation flavor in imitation of that of natural butter, the product of the dairy. Bacterial culture used for ripening or souring or fermenting milk or skimmed milk in the production of any such culture in milk or skimmed milk shall not be considered an artificial or imitation flavoring preparation."

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CHAPTER 29—S. F. No. 288

An act relating to the issuance and sale of certain bonds heretofore voted by counties, cities, villages, boroughs, towns or school districts, under Minnesota Statutes 1941, Sections 476.02 to 476.11 inclusive.

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

Section 1. Issuance and sale of bonds of municipality heretofore voted. In any case where a "municipality," as defined in Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 476.02, has heretofore proceeded under Minnesota Statutes 1941, Sections 476.02 to 476.11 inclusive, and, by more than the required majority vote of its electors, has authorized the issuance of its bonds for a lawful purpose and amount and having serial maturities as permitted by said act, to bear interest at the rate of two and one-half percent per annum, and the bonds have not been sold and delivered and the municipality has received an offer from a private party or parties to purchase at not less than par the bonds of the amount and maturities so authorized but bearing interest at a rate of two percent per annum or less, the municipality, by its governing body, is authorized to accept such offer and to issue, sell and deliver the bonds in accordance with such offer; provided it shall comply with Minnesota Statutes 1941, Sections 475.03, 475.04, and 475.23 to 475.32 inclusive, as to the levy of taxes for payment thereof and provided at least one-half of the bonds are made redeemable at the option of the municipality on a date not more than three years after their issue date and on any interest payment date thereafter.

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