

Sec. 3. **Retirement compensation not increased.** *The retirement compensation for justices of the supreme court and judges of the district court, now in effect, shall not be increased by reason of the change in salaries provided for in this act, but shall be governed by the provisions of law and based on salaries in force immediately prior to the passage of this act.*

Sec. 4. **Effective date.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 1945.

Approved April 23, 1945.

CHAPTER 508—S. F. No. 109

An act relating to the state agricultural society and appropriating money therefor.

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

Section 1. State agricultural society; appropriation. There is hereby appropriated to the state agricultural society from the general revenue in the state treasury \$400,000 available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946, for the construction of an agriculture-horticulture building on the state fair grounds, no part of such appropriation to cancel until the purpose for which such appropriation is granted shall have been accomplished.

Approved April 23, 1945.

CHAPTER 509—S. F. No. 161

An act relating to the duration of corporate existence and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 300.13.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 300.13, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

300.13. Corporate existence; duration; renewal; notices of renewal, publication. A railroad corporation may be formed for any period specified in its certificate of incorporation. A savings bank shall have perpetual succession. Every other corporation, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, shall