ings in January and July the county board may appropriate from the county revenue fund a sum not exceeding \$2,000 to pay incidental expenses of county officers incurred for postage, and for necessary express, freight, telephone, telegraph, water, and light charges, the mileage and per diem of town officers making election returns, to be paid on the warrant of the county auditor upon the presentation of a properly itemized and verified bill, except in cases where the county auditor considers the sum charged excessive, in which case he shall file the bill, if requested by the person presenting the same, for action by the board at its next meeting.

Approved March 27, 1947.

CHAPTER 150-H. F. No. 695

An act relating to schools, defining unorganized territory, and amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 122.01, Subdivision 9.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 122.01, Subdivision 9, is amended to read as follows:

122.01. School districts. Subd. 9. Unorganized territory. Unorganized territory comprises portions of a county which have not been included in organized districts, including territory heretofore ceded to the government of the United States, in which the schools are administered by a county board of education for unorganized territory consisting of the county superintendent of schools, chairman of board of county commissioners, and county treasurer, each acting as ex officio member of the board, which board is vested with the authority to levy taxes.

Approved March 27, 1947.

CHAPTER 151—H. F. No. 665 [Coded as Section 412.076]

An act relating to the authorization of certain villages to appropriate funds from municipal liquor store earnings to aid in the construction of a community hospital.