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

Section 1. Validating certain deeds. That all deeds to real property within this state, heretofore given by a receiver or receivers, or superintendent of banks, appointed in another state where the sale was confirmed by a court of such state, be, and the same hereby are, declared to be in all respects legal and valid conveyances. This act shall not apply to any action now pending.

Approved April 5, 1947.

CHAPTER 249-H. F. No. 605

An act relating to changing boundaries of school districts; and amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 122.09.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 122.09, is amended to read as follows:

122.09. Changing boundaries of districts. Upon petition of not less than 20 per cent of the freeholders of each district affected, and otherwise proceeding in the manner prescribed for the formation of districts, the boundaries of any existing district may be changed, or two or more districts united, or one or more districts annexed to an existing district.

Approved April 5, 1947.

CHAPTER 250—H. F. No. 648 [Coded as Section 366.022, Subdivisions 1 and 2]

An act relating to the providing of police protection in certain townships situated in counties containing a city of the first class and authorizing the town board to provide for the same.

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

[366.022] Additional powers. Section 1. Subdivision 1. Police protection. The board of supervisors of any township having an assessed valuation of over \$1,000,000 and situated

in a county containing a city of the first class shall have power to provide for police protection and for apparatus therefor.

Sec. 2. Subd. 2. Authorized at town meeting. The town board shall not have any authority to spend money therefor, or to enter into any contract, or levy any taxes for any such purposes unless the same be authorized at the annual town meeting or at a special town meeting called for that purpose upon ten days notice.

Approved April 5, 1947.

CHAPTER 251—H. F. No. 683 [Not Coded]

An act relating to filing fees and fees in the probate courts in certain counties.

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

- Section 1. Filing fee in probate court of St. Louis County. In all counties of the state, now or hereafter having a population in excess of 150,000 inhabitants and an area in excess of 5,000 square miles, the fees charged in probate court shall be as follows:
- (1) No proceeding in the probate court for the allowance of a will, special administration, general administration, decree of descent, summary distribution, or the appointment of a guardian of the estate of a minor or incompetent, shall be commenced until there has been paid to the clerk of such court as a filing fee the sum of \$2.00.
- (2) In all proceedings for the allowance of a will, general administration, or the appointment of a guardian of the estate of a minor or incompetent, where the gross value of the estate is \$10,000 or more, there shall be paid to the clerk an additional filing fee in the amount of \$8.00.
- Sec. 2. Fees on appeal and for certificates. The court shall furnish a return on appeal or a certified, exemplified, or authenticated copy of any paper on file or of record upon payment of 50 cents for each page or fraction thereof, and 50 cents for each certificate.
- Sec. 3. Filing will during lifetime of testator. Each person filing a will in probate court during the lifetime of the