

of original grant may bill the county of present residence for one-sixth of the amount of any increase in the old age assistance grant which may be allowed to the recipient, except that amounts allowed for medical care and hospitalization shall not be included in determining the amount of increase.

Upon verification of the facts the county welfare board of the county of present residence shall order the verified amount to be paid, and thereupon said amount shall be paid in the same manner as is provided for the payment of poor relief.

Approved April 26, 1947.

CHAPTER 544—S. F. No. 235

An act relating to hybrid seed corn; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 21.225, Subdivisions 1 and 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 21.225, Subdivisions 1 and 2, are amended to read as follows :

21.225. Record of hybrid seed corn varieties. Subdivision 1. **Filing of record; fee; seed act account.** A record of each hybrid seed field corn variety to be tested for days necessary for maturity, or to be sold, including the zone in Minnesota to which it is adapted shall be filed by *February 1* of each year by the originator or owner thereof with the commissioner, and for each such filing the commissioner shall collect a fee of \$15.00. Annually thereafter the originator or owner shall by *February 1* apply for and receive from the commissioner a renewal of such filing for a fee of \$15.00 each for *the first two years of renewal and \$2.00 each for every year thereafter* during which any hybrid seed corn of said varieties is to be sold in Minnesota. Such fees shall be deposited with the state treasurer, as other departmental receipts are deposited and shall constitute and be a part of the separate account known as the "seed act account" created by section 21.02, subdivision 6. The number or name used to designate any hybrid seed field corn in the registration thereof shall be the only variety name of all seed corn covered by or sold under such registration and renewal thereof.

Subd. 2. **Tests.** After the filing of any variety, the director, *with the assistance of the commissioner*, shall test

the same for one year and annually thereafter at his discretion in the appropriate zones and determine the number of days necessary for maturity. *To assist in defraying the expenses of the experiment station in making such tests, there shall be transferred annually from the seed act account to the Agricultural Experiment Station of the University of Minnesota the sum of \$9,000.*

Approved April 26, 1947.

CHAPTER 545—S. F. No. 267

An act relating to the salaries of judges of the district court, the retirement compensation for justices of the supreme court and judges of the district court; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 350.10; and repealing Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 350.105.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 350.10, is amended to read as follows:

350.10. Salaries; judges of the district court. The yearly salaries to be paid to the judges of the district court shall be \$8,000 each from the state and \$1,500 additional from each county in their respective districts having a population of 75,000 or more and \$300 additional in each judicial district having an area of more than 15,000 square miles, from the counties comprising such judicial district in such proportion as the assessed valuation of each county bears to the total assessed valuation of such judicial district in the preceding year; provided, that when any district judge shall preside upon the trial or hearing of any cause outside of his resident judicial district, wherein the district judge receives a larger salary, he shall receive as additional compensation during the period of such trial or hearing the difference between his fixed compensation and the compensation of the district judge of the district where he has been so engaged, the same to be paid by the county wherein the trial or hearing was held upon certification of the senior resident district judge thereof.

Sec. 2. **Effective date.** This act shall be in force beginning July 1, 1947.

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