## CHAPTER 535—S. F. No. 1323 [Not Coded]

An act relating to Straight Lake rearing pond in Becker County, authorizing the conveyance of a tract of land not needed for rearing pond purposes for the consideration for the release of an easement across land used for rearing pond purposes.

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

Section 1. Conveyance by state to Sue Green in consideration of an easement. The state of Minnesota is hereby authorized to convey to Miss Sue Green the following described property in the county of Becker: That part of the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section 29, Township 140 North of Range 36 West, described as follows: Beginning at the north one-sixteenth corner on the east one-sixteenth line, Section 29; thence west along the north one-sixteenth line of said section to the center of the Straight River, thence in a general northerly direction along the center of the Straight River to a point which is 290 feet north of the north one-sixteenth line of said Section 29; thence east parallel with the north one-sixteenth line of said section to a point 130 feet east of the east one-sixteenth line; thence south parallel with the east one-sixteenth line of said section 290 feet to the north onesixteenth line; thence west 130 feet along the north one-sixteenth line of said section to point of beginning, in consideration of the release and conveyance to the state of Minnesota all right, title and interest in and to that certain easement across lands owned by the state and used for rearing pond purposes contained in deed now on file in the office of the register of deeds, Becker County, Minnesota.

Approved April 20, 1949.

## CHAPTER 536-S. F. No. 1377

An act relating to intoxicating liquor; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 340.57.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 340.57, is amended to read:

Certain cities may issue liquor license. The governing body of any city of the first class now or hereafter existing, which city contains within its corporate limits any territory in which sales of intoxicating liquors have been heretofore prohibited by any law of this state, and which city has enjoyed such a substantial increase in business, manufacturing and population that it has increased its population 100,000 or more between the year 1900 and the year 1930, as shown by the United States census for these years, resulting in the extension in such prohibited territory of a substantial portion of the business, commercial, and industrial activities of such city, is hereby authorized and empowered, by a three-fifths vote of the governing body thereof, to grant licenses to sell intoxicating liquors in such prohibited territory; provided, that no greater number of licenses shall be issued therein than has been heretofore issued in such territory under authority granted by sections 340.42 and 340.43, notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in any city charter or law of this state; and provided further, that when real property or the buildings thereon, not within such prohibited area is taken for a public purpose by eminent domain proceedings and such real property was actually and lawfully used for the sale of intoxicating liquor five years immediately prior to such taking, governing body may, in addition to the number of licenses permitted in such prohibited area, reissue such license at any location in \ said city, which location shall be subject to all limitations, now prescribed by any law of this state, provided, that no such license shall be issued or reissued at any location situated within 1,500 feet of any public bathing beach.

Approved April 20, 1949.

## CHAPTER 537—S. F. No. 1449 [Not Coded]

An act to convey real estate to the Ramsey County Historical Society, Inc.

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