- Sec. 11. Receipts deposited for general revenue fund; exceptions. Except as herein otherwise specifically provided, except income from swamp land trust fund, and except the income to the University of Minnesota and the income to the account of disabled persons receiving vocational training, and except all federal aid, contributions or reimbursements received for any account of any division, institution or department for which an appropriation is made in this act, all income, including fees or receipts of any nature whatsoever, shall be deposited in and for the benefit of the general revenue fund.
- Sec. 12. Transfer from income tax school fund. Notwithstanding any provision of Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 290.62, as amended by Laws 1947, Chapter 633, Section 18, or by any other law, to the contrary, there shall be hereby transferred from the income tax school fund in the state treasury to the general revenue fund in the state treasury the sum of \$3,000,000, on July 1, 1949, and the sum of \$3,000,000, on July 1, 1950 and the state auditor and the state treasurer are hereby empowered and directed to make the appropriate entries in their records on each of said respective dates.
- Sec. 13. Reimbursement of income tax school fund. \$1,000,000, which on July 1, 1946, was in the income tax school fund and was erroneously transferred by Laws 1945, Chapter 421, Section 2, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946, is hereby transferred back to the income tax school fund, and the state auditor and state treasurer are hereby empowered and directed to correct their records accordingly.

Approved April 25, 1949.

CHAPTER 744—H. F. No. 1835

[Not Coded]

An act to appropriate money for the current expenses of the Division of Social Welfare, for the purpose of paying the state's share of public assistance programs and administration, and authorizing the use of certain funds in paying the counties' share in old age assistance, aid to dependent children, public relief and administration costs in certain counties, veteran's relief, and providing for accounting and budget procedure, for salaries, current expenses, and improvement for the sanatorium for consumptives, providing for the establishment of a revolving fund and an equalization fund, and providing for transfers from certain funds.

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

- Section 1. Division of Social Welfare; appropriation. There is hereby appropriated out of the general revenue fund of the State of Minnesota, the sum of \$34,315,741.26 to be expended by the director of social welfare for the purposes provided in the following sections of this act.
- Sec. 2. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for care, relief and support of the aged;

For the year ending June 30, 1950....\$ 9,515,430 For the year ending June 30, 1951.... 10,311,975

Sec. 3. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for care, relief and support of dependent children;

For the year ending June 30, 1950 ... \$ 2,503,703 For the year ending June 30, 1951 ... 2,866,886

Sec. 4. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for care, relief and support of the blind:

For the year ending June 30, 1950 \$396,108 For the year ending June 30, 1951 433,941

Sec. 5. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for vocational rehabilitation of the blind:

For the year ending June 30, 1950.....\$ 37,115 For the year ending June 30, 1951...... 37,115

The sum of \$2,500 each year out of the amount above appropriated shall be paid into the revolving fund established by

Chapter 535, Laws of 1947 for the purchase of equipment and supplies for establishing and operating of vending stands by blind persons. All income, receipts, earnings and federal grants due to the operation thereof shall also be paid into said fund, and all equipment, supplies and expenses for the setting up of such stands to be so operated, shall be paid from said fund.

Sec. 6. Aid of county sanatoria. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for county sanatoria care:

For the year ending June 30, 1950 \$521,000 For the year ending June 30, 1951 521,000

Sec. 7. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, not more than the following sums shall be used for administration of the division of social welfare and relief:

For the year ending June 30, 1950.....\$387,225 For the year ending June 30, 1951...... 395,015

Of the amount appropriated by Section 7, \$7,500 thereof shall be available each year for salaries, supplies and expenses of the Inter-Racial Council. The sum of \$1,000 for the year ending June 30, 1950 may be used for the purchasing of duplicating equipment. Of the amount appropriated for salaries herein \$11,554 is for salary increases for the year ending June 30, 1950, and \$10,773 is for salary increases for the year ending June 30, 1951.

Sec. 8. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for the care of dependent and neglected children:

For the year ending June 30, 1950.....\$ 90,000 For the year ending June 30, 1951..... 90,500

Of the amount appropriated by Section 8, \$23,064 is for salaries and \$540 for salary increases for the year ending June 30, 1950, and \$23,604 is for salaries and \$540 for salary increases for the year ending June 30, 1951.

Sec. 9. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for the support of children under guardianship:

For the year ending June 30, 1950 \$310,000 For the year ending June 30, 1951 320,000

Sec. 10. Relief as provided by Laws 1941, Chapter 525, Section 10. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used for such relief purposes as are described in Laws 1941, Chapter 525, Section 10:

For the year ending June 30, 1950 \$650,000 For the year ending June 30, 1951 650,000

The expenditures of moneys appropriated by this section shall be subject to all the limitations and conditions imposed by Laws 1941, Chapter 525, upon the expenditures of the moneys therein appropriated, and all such limitations and conditions are hereby extended and reenacted. The Minnesota Public Relief Advisory Committee is hereby continued for the purposes of this section, and all provisions of Laws 1941, Chapter 525, relating thereto are hereby extended and reenacted.

Sec. 11. Equalization of costs. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, the following sums or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used to equalize the cost of welfare:

For the year ending June 30, 1950.....\$750,000 For the year ending June 30, 1951..... 750,000

All payments from funds appropriated by this section shall be based upon a formula that will provide:

- 1. Where the required total mill levy in any county with a valuation for real and personal property of less than \$7,000,000 for all costs of welfare as defined in Subsection 2, hereof, exceeds the average mill levy for welfare purposes in all counties of the state by 50 per cent or more but is insufficient to pay the county's share of the cost thereof, the state shall bear 75 per cent of the costs of welfare in that county which are in excess of the amount which would be produced by a levy in that county of one and one-half times the average state mill levy for such purposes.
- 2. For the purposes of this act, welfare costs shall be deemed to include all forms of public assistance and the administrative costs thereof, to-wit: old age assistance, aid to

dependent children, maintenance relief, medical relief, hospital charges, maintenance of children not under state guardianship, cost of sundry poor, and all administrative costs.

- 3. No county shall be entitled to the benefits of this act if it has transferred any moneys available for welfare purposes to any other county funds.
- 4. The Director of Social Welfare may advance such grants on an estimated basis subject to audit and adjustment at the end of each year.
- Sec. 12. Of the amount appropriated by Section 1, not more than the following sums shall be used for the purposes specified for the sanatorium for consumptives:

Current Expense June 30, 1950 \$220,500
Current ExpenseJune 30, 1951 220,300
SalariesJune 30, 1950 523,220
SalariesJune 30, 1951 537,764
Repairs and Replacements June 30, 1950 12,000
Repairs and Replacements June 30, 1951 12,000
Special Repairs and Improvements (Cold Water Main)June 30, 1950 12,200
Special Repairs and Improvements (Water Softener)June 30, 1951 4,500
EquipmentJune 30, 1950 18,750
EquipmentJune 30, 1951 3,500
Employees' Compensation June 30, 1949 13,994.26

Of the amount appropriated for salaries herein, \$9,828 is for salary increases for the year ending June 30, 1950, and \$10,068 is for salary increases for the year ending June 30, 1951. The amounts appropriated for equipment herein are for the purpose of acquiring an ambulance, a tractor, X-ray equipment, and laundry equipment.

Sec. 13. Of the amounts appropriated by Section 1, \$600,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950 and \$600,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951 shall be available

for Veterans' Relief to be administered by the Commissioner of Veterans' Affairs for relief purposes as described in Laws 1941, Chapter 525, Section 10. No other monies appropriated herein shall be used for work relief or any works projects. The expenditures of the monies appropriated by this section shall be subject to all the limitations and conditions imposed by Laws 1941, Chapter 525 upon the expenditures of the monies therein appropriated, and all such limitations and conditions are hereby extended and reenacted except that the amounts allocated for Veterans' Relief shall be administered by the Commissioner of Veterans' Affairs. The Minnesota Public Relief Advisory Committee is hereby continued for the purposes of this section, and all provisions of Laws 1941, Chapter 525, relating thereto are hereby extended and reenacted.

- Sec. 14. The amounts appropriated for salary increases herein are intended to constitute a maximum liability for that purpose in the various accounts for which such an appropriation is made, and the various officials are directed to permit salary increases in such manner that there shall be available sufficient funds for salary increases for each employee in each department in accordance with the law in relation to salary increases. Salary increases shall not be granted unless sufficient funds remain unobligated in the department by reason of previously granted salary increases, so that the liability for all salary increases if they were all to be paid for a twelve months' period, would not exceed the funds provided for that purpose in this act.
- Sec. 15. Disposition of certain funds. All funds, sums of money or other resources provided or to be received, including all receipts, collections, legislative allocations, transfers and other income and receipts properly belonging to and to be used for financing activities, programs and projects other than the sanatorium for consumptives now or hereafter under the supervision and jurisdiction of the director of social welfare not otherwise specifically designated as income or credits to other state departments or funds by law shall be credited to and become a part of the appropriation provided for in Section 1 hereof and shall be added to the maximums of the several accounts herein designated.

All receipts of the sanatorium for consumptives, except income from swamp land trust fund and receipts from opera-

tion of the patients' store and occupational therapy activities, the profits of which are hereby reappropriated into a special account to be known as the "Patients' Amusement Revolving Fund," shall be deposited in and for the benefit of the general revenue fund.

Sec. 16. Federal grants. Grants in aid now or hereafter received from the federal government for any welfare, assistance or relief program or for administration under the jurisdiction of the division of social welfare shall, in the first instance, be credited to a federal grant fund, and shall be transferred therefrom to the credit of the director of social welfare in the account established by Section 1 of this act upon certification of the director of social welfare that the amounts so requested to be transferred have been earned or are required for the purposes and program intended. Moneys received by such federal grant fund need not be budgeted as such, provided transfers from such fund are budgeted for allotment purposes in the appropriate appropriations.

All state departments, bureaus, agencies, or divisions, operating under Laws 1939, Chapter 431, financed by funds appropriated or receipts or fees of any nature whatsoever, when making requests or preparing budgets to be submitted to the Federal Government in support of or in request of funds, equipment, materials, or services, from the Federal Government, shall, upon completion of such request or budget, first submit it to the Commissioner of Administration. The Commissioner of Administration shall have authority to approve, disapprove, modify or amend, any such request or budget before submitting it to the proper Federal authority. When such Federal authority has approved such request or budget, the state agency shall resubmit it to the Commissioner of Administration for recording before any allotment or encumbrance of the Federal funds can be made.

- Sec. 17. The budgetary control as provided in Laws 1939, Chapter 431, shall extend to and apply to all appropriations herein made available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950 and June 30, 1951.
- Sec. 18. The unobligated balances on hand as of June 30, 1949, June 30, 1950 and June 30, 1951 in the several appropriations and accounts for which an appropriation is herein made, or has heretofore been made, are hereby can-

celled into the general revenue fund as of June 30, 1949, June 30, 1950 and June 30, 1951.

The provisions of this section shall not apply to contributions, or reimbursements received from the Federal Government by the state or boxing tax receipts transferred to the division of social welfare by the authority of Chapter 245, Laws of 1945, and all such Federal aid, contributions or reimbursements, and boxing tax receipts are hereby reappropriated for the purpose of supplementing the appropriation herein provided and shall be added to the maximums of the several accounts herein designated.

Sec. 19. Transfer of certain moneys. The Director of Social Welfare, with the consent of the Commissioner of Administration, may transfer unobligated appropriation balances between the various accounts appropriated under Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, and 11.

Approved April 25, 1949.

CHAPTER 745—H. F. No. 1839 [Not Coded]

An act relating to ad valorem taxation of real and personal property for state purposes, providing for the levy thereof, and fixing the maximum rates therefor.

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

- Section 1. Mill tax for fiscal year ending June 30, 1950. For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, there is hereby levied on all taxable property of the state a tax of such number of mills that the same, when added to the total number of mills of general property taxes for state purposes authorized to be imposed by all other statutes, shall not exceed 8.69 mills.
- Sec. 2. Mill tax for fiscal year ending June 30, 1951. For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951, there is hereby levied on all taxable property of the state a tax of such number of