Sec. 2. Ramsey county; sheriff, yearly automobile allowance. Such sheriff shall be allowed a sufficient sum per annum for the purchase, care, maintenance, operation and upkeep of automobiles and for insurance thereon, including liability and property damage covering the operator of the automobiles, and for fire-arms and other necessary equipment and paraphernalia to be used in the performance of the duties pertaining to his office.

Approved April 21, 1953.

#### CHAPTER 498-H. F. No. 949

## [Not Coded]

An act relating to clerk hire for the clerk of district court in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Clearwater county; clerk of district court, clerk hire. In any county having an assessed valuation in the year 1951 of less than \$2.000.000 exclusive of money and credits, and having over 10,000 and less than 11,000 inhabitants according to the 1950 federal census and over 29 full and fractional congressional townships, the clerk of the district court shall be allowed \$1,800 deputy clerk hire for each year, payable from time to time as such services may be rendered and payment thereof be due, by the treasurer of the county out of the revenue fund upon the warrant of the county auditor.

Approved April 21, 1953.

## CHAPTER 499—H. F. No. 951

# [Not Coded]

An act relating to sheriff's deputies in counties having more than 300,000 and less than 450,000 inhabitants; amending Laws 1947, Chapter 457, Section 1, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 457, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1949, Chapter 178, Section 1, and Laws 1951, Chapter 592, Section 1, is amended to read:

Section 1. Ramsey county; sheriff, deputies. The sheriff in any county having more than 300,000 and less than 450,000 inhabitants shall appoint and employ one chief deputy, one

chief criminal deputy and three assistants, ten court bailiffs, one chief patrol deputy and fourteen assistants, one female deputy, four process servers, one chief jailer and nine assistants, one matron and four assistants, one bookkeeper-cashier, one principal clerk, two clerk-stenographers and one senior clerk-typist. Said chief patrol deputy shall be allowed \$75.00 per month for the operation of his automobile. The titles herein mentioned shall not be controlling but shall be subject to change by the county board or other lawful authority.

Approved April 21, 1953.

### CHAPTER 500-H. F. No. 957

## [Coded]

An act relating to school districts, providing for additional levies to retire certain bonds.

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

Section 1. [275.121] Bonds, certain school districts. In the case of school districts having not more than 1,600 nor less than 1,500 inhabitants, bonds issued pursuant to Laws 1943, Chapter 526, may be paid by levies in excess of the limitations imposed by Minnesota Statutes, Section 275.12.

Approved April 21, 1953.

## CHAPTER 501-H. F. No. 959

An act relating to levy of taxes in certain counties; amending Laws 1947, Chapter 322.

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 322, is amended to read:

Section 1. St. Louis county; levy for general purposes, maintenance of courthouses. In any county in this state having an area in excess of 5,000 square miles, a population in excess of 150,000, and an assessed valuation of more than \$125,000,000 there may be levied for general purposes an amount not in excess of seven mills when the valuation exceeds \$200,000,000 and seven and one-half mills when the valuation is less than \$200,000,000 and the levy for maintenance purposes of the several court houses shall be levied within this limitation.

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