refuge. All acts or parts of acts to the contrary notwithstanding.

Approved April 5, 1955.

CHAPTER 347—H. F. No. 1357 [Not Coded]

An act relating to the salary of the county treasurer and county auditor in certain counties.

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

- Section 1. Salaries; county treasurer, county auditor. In all counties of this state having a population of not less than 24,000 nor more than 25,000, according to the federal census of 1950, and having an area of not less nor more than 24 full or fractional townships, the salary of the county treasurer and county auditor may be increased by the county board by an amount not in excess of $12\frac{1}{2}$ percent above the amount now provided by law.
- Sec. 2. Inclusion in section 375.43. The county treasurer and the county auditor shall be included under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 375.43, as amended.
- Sec. 3. Fees retained. Nothing contained in section 1, of this act shall be construed as limiting the right of such officers to collect and retain fees, per diem payments, or any other payment which they are now authorized to collect in addition to the stated amount of their monthly salary.
 - Sec. 4. This act shall become effective on May 1, 1955. Approved April 5, 1955.

CHAPTER 348—H. F. No. 1432 [Not Coded]

An act relating to firemen's relief associations in certain villages and to the powers and duties thereof.

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

Section 1. Richfield; village fire department relief association. Every fire department relief association organized under the laws of this state, in any village now or hereafter