the award corresponding to the amount offered in the advertised premium list referred to in schedule 2. Payments of awards for horse races, ball games, musical contests, talent contests, parades, and for amusement features for which admission is charged, are specifically excluded from consideration as premiums within the meaning of that term as used herein. Upon receipt of the certificate of examination by the public examiner, it shall be the duty of the state auditor to draw his voucher in favor of the agricultural society or association for the amount to which it is entitled under the provisions of this chapter, which amount shall be computed as follows: On the first \$750 premiums paid by each society or association, such society or association shall receive 100 percent reimbursement; on the second \$750 premiums paid, 80 percent; on the third \$750 premiums paid, 60 percent; and on any sum in excess of \$2,250, 40 percent.

(4) If the total amount of state aid to which the agricultural societies and associations are entitled under the provisions of this chapter exceeds the amount of the appropriation therefor, the amounts to which the societies or associations are entitled shall be pro rated so that the total payments by the state will not exceed the appropriation.

Approved April 30, 1963.

## CHAPTER 409—S. F. No. 978

An act relating to interstate cooperation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 3.29, Subdivision 4.

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

- Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 3.29, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:
- Subd. 4. Interstate cooperation; Minnesota commission. There is hereby established the Minnesota commission on interstate cooperation, which shall be composed of 15 regular members, namely:

The five members of the senate committee on interstate cooperation;

The five members of the house committee on interstate cooperation; and

The five members of the governor's committee on interstate cooperation.

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The governor, the president of the senate, and the speaker of the house of representatives shall be, ex officio, honorary nonvoting members of this commission. The chairman of the governor's committee on interstate cooperation shall be; ex officio, chairman elected by the members of this commission.

Approved April 30, 1963.

## CHAPTER 410-S. F. No. 1006

An act relating to soft drinks and other nonalcoholic beverages; requiring the cleaning, washing, and treating of beverage containers; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 34.10.

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

- Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 34.10, is amended to read:
- Soft drink containers, cleansing. Before being filled with such beverages, all bottles, jars, and eoolers shall be sterilized by soaking for a period of not less than five minutes in a solution consisting of a minimum of three percent of caustic soda, expressed in terms of sodium hydrate, heated to not less than 130 degrees Fahrenheit, and then thoroughly rinsed in pure water until freed from alkali. Jars and coolers, before being refilled, shall be cleansed and washed as in the manner above prescribed for bottles. All jars, cans, glasses, tumblers, coolers, metal kegs, and metal barrels, before being filled with such beverages, shall be cleaned, washed, and subjected to bactericidal treatment approved by the commissioner pursuant to rule and regulation promulgated in the manner provided by law. When such beverages are marketed in second-hand or used barrels, kegs, or other wooden containers, such containers shall be thoroughly cleansed and coated on the inside with paraffin, pitch, or other suitable material. No beverages shall be placed in containers known as the "Hutchinson plunger bottle," or any container of similar type.
  - Sec. 2. This act takes effect on July 1, 1963.

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