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tion of a city or village. All other fines and forfeitures and all fees and costs collected by the county municipal court shall be paid to the treasurer of Ramsey county who shall dispense the same as provided by law.

(f) Amounts represented by checks issued by the clerk or received by the clerk which have not cleared by the end of the month may be shown on the monthly account as having been paid or received, subject to adjustment on later monthly accounts.

(g) The clerk may receive negotiable instruments in payment of fines, penalties, fees, or other obligations as conditional payments, and is not held accountable therefor but if collection in cash is made and then only to the extent of the net collection after deduction of the necessary expense of collection.

Sec. 41, **REPEALER.** Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 488A.23, Subdivisions 3 and 4, are repealed.

Sec. 42. EFFECTIVE DATE. Except for section 39 of this act which shall take effect upon the day following final enactment, and section 15, which is effective August 1, 1974, and except as otherwise provided in this act, this act takes effect January 1, 1975.

Approved April 9, 1974.

CHAPTER 398—S.F.No.3163 [Not Coded]

An act relating to the city of St. Paul; authorizing the issuance of licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquor at the old federal courts building.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MIN-NESOTA:

Section 1. ST. PAUL, CITY OF; OLD FEDERAL COURTS BUILD-ING; LIQUOR LICENSES. In addition to the licenses now authorized by law, and notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary contained in the charter or ordinances of the city of St. Paul or statutes applicable to such city, the city of St. Paul is authorized to issue "on sale" liquor licenses to the St. Paul council of arts and sciences for the premises known as the old federal courts building and the premises at the arts and science center, 30 east Tenth Street. The two licenses so authorized may, with the prior approval of the St. Paul council of arts and sciences, be used any place on the premises of the old federal courts building and the arts and science center, respectively, and by any person, firm or corporation who has contracted for the use of the premises for an event or a caterer of such person, firm or corporation approved by the St. Paul council of arts and sciences. The licenses may

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be used by such person, firm, corporation or caterer notwithstanding the fact that such person, firm, corporation or caterer may hold "on sale" licenses in their own right.

Sec. 2. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing body of the city of St. Paul, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved April 9, 1974.

CHAPTER 399—S.F.No.3210

An act relating to taxation; extending option to employ certified assessor; amending Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 270.493.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 270.493, is amended to read:

270.493 TAXATION; CERTIFIED ASSESSOR; EMPLOYMENT; CERTAIN TOWNSHIPS AND CITIES OPTION TO CONTINUE EXIST-ING SYSTEM. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 270.49, any township in this state and any city of the fourth class within a county whose population exceeds 650,000 which failed to certify by resolution to the commissioner of taxation revenue its intention to employ or continue to employ a certified assessor on or before April 1, 1972, may if done prior to December 1, 1974, hire a certified assessor in which case the assessment function will be returned to the local assessor by the county assessor.

Sec. 2. This act is effective the day following its final enactment.

Approved April 5, 1974.

CHAPTER 400—S.F.No.3246 [Not Coded]

An act relating to local government in Chisago and Pine county and the towns of Moose Lake in Carlton county and Windemere in Pine county; authorizing the county boards of Chisago and Pine counties to issue obligations and levy special assessments for improvements to bodies of water; authorizing the county board of Chisago county to establish water or sewer or combined water and sewer systems within cities; providing for the creation of a sewer district and a sanitary sewer board to administer the district; providing for the collection, treatment, and disposal of sewage in the Moose Lake and Windemere area.

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