authorized by such owner, and the same recorded prior to September 1, 1915, in the office of the register of deeds of the county in which such foreclosure was held.

Sec. 2. Not to affect pending actions.—The provisions of this act shall not affect any action or proceeding now pending in

any of the courts of this state.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 24, 1915.

CHAPTER 307-S. F. No. 498.

An Act to provide for the necessary expenses of blind students in universities, colleges and conservatories of music. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Blind students to receive \$300 expenses while at universities, colleges, etc.—That any blind person who is, and for five (5) years immediately preceding the making of his application for aid under this act has been, a resident of this state, and who is a regularly enrolled student pursuing any course of study, profession, art or science in any university, college, or conservatory of music, approved by the board of directors of the Minnesota School for the Blind, may in the discretion and under the direction of the said board, receive a sum or sums of money not exceeding Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) in any one year, for the purpose of defraying his necessary expenses, including those of a reader, while in attendance upon such university, college or conservatory, such expenditures to be made from the appropriations for the current expenses of the Minnesota School for the Blind, provided that not more than five (5) such blind persons shall receive such aid in any one year.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and

after August first, 1915.

Approved April 24, 1915.

CHAPTER 308-S. F. No. 585.

An Act to legalize and validate the defective execution of chattel mortgages and the filing thereof in certain cases.

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

Section 1. Defective execution of chattel mortgages legalized.—That in all cases where chattel mortgages have heretofore been executed between the first day of January, 1911, and the first day of January, 1914, which were attested by only one subscribing witness, and have been actually filed with the register