the viewers in the newspaper in which the last delinquent real estate tax list was published, if that paper is still published in the county, and if not, in some legal newspaper printed and published in the county, and if there is none, in some newspaper published at the state capitol, stating the date and the first meeting of the viewers, and that any party interested may appear at that meeting and at such other time and place as the viewers may fix, and be heard in relation to the damages and such other matters as the viewers are authorized to hear and determine, and proof of the publication of said notice shall be filed in the office of the county auditor prior to the first meeting of the viewers.

Sec. 2. Limitations for filing claims.—After the first day of October 1927 no claim for damages under the provisions of this det shall be entertained or allowed unless duly presented within six years after the completion of the ditch.

Approved April 11, 1927.

CHAPTER 134-H. F. No. 728

An act relating to cities of the first class, authorizing any such city which maintains and operates a municipal water plant to furnish water, and extend its mains, to cities, towns and villages whose territory is contiguous to any such city.

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

Section 1. City water mains to be extended in certain cases.—Any city of the first class, including such cities operating under a home-rule charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, which maintains a municipally owned and operated water plant or department, whether such water plant is under the control of the city council or a board of water commissioners, is hereby authorized to furnish water to, and extend its mains into, any city, town or village whose territory is contiguous to such city, and to assess the cost of extending said mains against the property abutting on the street in which said mains are laid.

Sec. 2. Assessment against benefited property.—Whenever any such city extends its mains and furnishes water to contiguous cities, towns or villages, under the provisions of this act, and is operating under a home-rule charter adopted pursuant to Section 36, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, the cost of such mains shall be assessed and the assessment collected in the manner prescribed by its charter, provided, however, that no such mains shall be extended or

ordered furnished to any such contiguous city, town, or village except upon the adoption of a resolution requesting such service by the council or town board of such city, town or village, which resolution shall designate the streets, alleys, or other public places wherein such mains may be laid and provided further that the total cost of constructing such mains extended into any city, town or village shall be assessed against the property abutting on the street where the mains are laid.

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

Approved April 9, 1927.

CHAPTER 135—S. F. No. 109

An act relating to resident pupils attending high school in adjoining state and providing for the payment of tuition.

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

- Section 1. Pupils to attend school in adjoining state.—That any person under twenty-one years of age residing in any school district of this state not maintaining a high school, who has successfully completed the eighth grade, may with the consent of a majority of the school board of his residence district, expressed at a meeting thereof attend any high school in an adjoining state willing to admit him, which high school is nearer to his place of residence than any duly established high school in Minnesota, the distances being measured by the usual traveled routes.
- Sec. 2. Tuition.—That any tuition charged by the district so attended shall be paid by the school district in which such person resides; provided, however, that such tuition shall not be more than such district charges non-resident pupils residing in such state if any such tuition is charged, and if no tuition is charged for non-resident pupils of said state, then such tuition shall not exceed the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) per month. Provided further, that the person so attending high school in another state shall continue to be treated as a pupil of the district of his residence in apportionment of the current school fund and the payment of state aid.
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 9, 1927.