6, Chapter 307, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1923, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 420, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1927, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 306, Session Laws of Minnesota for 1929, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"The salary of the clerk of the district court of each county in this state having or which may hereafter have a population of not less than 240,000 and not more than 330,000 inhabitants shall be the sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500) per annum.

Such clerk of the district court may appoint and employ one chief deputy who shall be paid the sum of Twenty Eight Hundred Dollars (\$2,800) per annum; one deputy clerk who shall be paid the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$2,150) per annum; one deputy clerk who shall be paid the sum of Two Thousand and Fifty Dollars (\$2,050) per annum; one deputy clerk who shall be paid the sum of Nineteen Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1,950) per annum; nine deputy clerks who shall each be paid the sum of Sixteen Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$1,620) per annum to be increased to Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800) per annum after having completed *five* years of employment as such deputy clerk; one clerk to be known as the assignment clerk, who shall be paid a salary of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$1,920) per annum.

Approved April 6, 1937.

## CHAPTER 158-H. F. No. 435

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1089, as amended by Laws 1933, Chapter 411, Laws 1935, Chapters 151 and 375, relating to the compensation of certain town officers and employes.

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

Section 1. Compensation of town officers and employees.— That Mason's Minnesota Statutes, 1927, Section 1089, as amended by Laws 1933, Chapter 411, and as amended by Laws 1935, Chapters 151 and 375, be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

"1089. The following town officers shall be entitled to compensation for each day's service necessarily rendered as follows, viz: Assessors, four dollars, and mileage at the rate of five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled by him in going and returning from the county seat of the county to attend any meeting of the assessors of the county which may be legally called by the county auditor, and

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also for each mile necessarily traveled by him in making his return of assessment to the proper county officer; supervisors and clerks, three dollars when the service is rendered within the town, and three dollars when rendered without the town, and mileage at the rate of five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled by them on official business out of the town, but not exceeding the sum of \$30.00 for such mileage for any one town officer, in any year; but no supervisor shall receive more than \$90.00 as compensation in any one year except that in counties having a population of 290,000 or more the assessor shall receive five dollars per day; and supervisors and clerks three dollars per day when the service is rendered within the town, but no supervisor shall receive more than \$90.00 as compensation in any one year. For the following services the clerk shall receive fees, and not a per diem, viz: For certifying each notice of election, 25 cents; posting notices, each 25 cents and ten cents for each mile necessarily traveled; filing each paper, ten cents; recording orders and other instruments, ten cents per folio; copying and certifying any record or instrument recorded or filed in his office, ten cents per folio, to be paid by the person applying therefor. The voters at any town meeting, after reading and disposing of the annual report, may by resolution fix the scale of wages and the hours of employment of the road overseer and of any other person, or persons, employed by any town on any town road. Provided, further, that the electors at any such annual meeting may by resolution increase or decrease the compensation of town officers not to exceed 50 per cent."

Approved April 6, 1937.

## CHAPTER 159-H. F. No. 422

An act authorizing county boards of certain counties to issue bonds for the purpose of making repairs and improvements to courthouses.

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

Section 1. County boards to issue bonds for repairs and improvements to court houses.—Any county in this State now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of not less than \$400,000,000, inclusive of money and credits, and having a bonded indebtedness of not more than \$4,000,000, exclusive of bonds issued for road and highway purposes, for which such county is entitled to be reimbursed out of trunk highway funds by the State of Minnesota, is hereby authorized to issue and sell negotiable bonds of such county in such amount as it shall deem necessary, not to exceed, however, \$50,000 par value, to provide funds for making repairs and improvements to its courthouse.