CHAPTER 22-H. F. No. 688

An act providing for the exemption of building and loan associations, credit unions, and licensed pawnbrokers from the provisions of Laws 1939, Chapter 12.

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

Section 1. Limitations of act.—The provisions of Laws 1939, Chapter 12, shall not apply to any person, as defined by said chapter, doing business under and as permitted by any law of this state or of the United States relating to building and loan associations, credit unions, or licensed pawnbrokers.

Approved February 18, 1939.

CHAPTER 23—H. F. No. 62

An act relating to size, weight, and load upon highways; and to amend the 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 2720-269, Subdivision (b), and Section 2720-270.

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

Section 1. Application of act.—The 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 2720-269, Subdivision (b), is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"2720-269.

- (b) The provisions of this article governing size, weight, and load shall not apply to fire apparatus, or to implements of husbandry temporarily moved upon a highway, or to loads of loose hay or corn stalks if transported by a horse-drawn vehicle or drawn by a farm tractor, or to a vehicle operated under the terms of a special permit issued as herein provided."
- Sec. 2. Width of loads—forest products.—The 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 2720-270, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:
 - "2720-270. (a) The total outside width of any vehicle or

the load thereon shall not exceed eight feet except as otherwise provided in this section.

- (b) The total outside width of a farm tractor, trackless trolley car or passenger motor bus, operated exclusively in any city or village or contiguous cities or villages, in this state shall not exceed nine feet.
- (c) The total outside width of loads of forest products when loaded crossways shall not exceed 100 inches, provided the load is securely bound with a chain attached to front and rear of the loading platform of the vehicle and the sides of each load are covered with woven wire securely fastened at front and rear so as to prevent pieces slipping out on either side and so as to hold the load securely in place."

Approved February 18, 1939.

CHAPTER 24-H. F. No. 54

An act relating to clerk hire in the office of County Treasurer in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Salary of county treasurer in certain counties—In all counties of this state now or hereafter containing not less than 350, nor more than 400, square miles, and having a population of not less than 13,500, nor more than 15,000, inhabitants, and having an assessed valuation, exclusive of moneys and credits, of not less than \$5,000,000, nor more than \$10,000,000, and having an area of not less than 225,000 acres, nor more than 230,000, acres, there may be allowed annually the sum of \$1,200 for clerk hire in the office of the county treasurer.

Approved February 18, 1939.

CHAPTER 25-H. F. No. 42

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1258, relating to the village park fund in certain villages and the levying of taxes therefor, by providing for the issuing of warrants for such fund.