

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

Section 1. **Law amended—clerk—bond—deputy.**—Mason's Statutes of 1927, Section 1177 is hereby amended to read as follows:

The clerk shall give bond to the village, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his official duties, in such sum as the council shall approve. With the consent and approved by resolution of the council, he may appoint a deputy, for whose acts he shall be responsible, and whom he may remove at pleasure. Such deputy may discharge any and all of the duties of the clerk, except that he shall not be a member of the council. *The village council shall fix the salary of such deputy clerk and he shall be paid by the village. Such appointment of deputy shall be permissible in all villages of this state, however organized.*

Approved February 25, 1943.

CHAPTER 72—H. F. No. 365

An act relating to the corporate existence of insurance companies.

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

Section 1. **Insurance companies may provide for perpetual corporate existence.**—The corporate existence of any insurance company heretofore or hereafter organized under the laws of this state may be made perpetual by so providing in its articles of incorporation or by amendment thereof.

Approved February 25, 1943.

CHAPTER 73—H. F. No. 369

(AMENDING SECTION 60.63 MINNESOTA STATUTES 1941.)

An act relating to the taxation of insurance companies; and amending Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 3347.

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

Section 1. **Law amended.**—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 3347, is amended to read as follows:

3347. **Taxation of Insurance Companies.**—Every domestic and foreign company, except town and farmers' mutual insur-