No irregularity or informality in the letting of any contract paid for out of the proceeds of these certificates or in the making of any special assessment in anticipation of which such certificates were issued shall affect the liability of the city to redeem the same, but the faith and credit of the city issuing the same is irrevocably pledged for the redemption of the certificates so issued.

The city treasurer shall, immediately after any certificate shall be redeemed by the board, cancel the certificate by a writing upon the face thereof showing the date of redemption and the amount and to whom paid and shall affix his signature thereto; and shall, within 24 hours thereafter transmit the certificate so cancelled to the secretary of the board and take his receipt therefor, who shall immediately make an entry of the redemption and cancellation in his certificates register, and enter such payment in fund account.

Approved April 10, 1957.

CHAPTER 379-S. F. No. 1298

An act relating to inspection of potatoes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 30.16.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 30.16, is amended to read:

30.16 Potatoes shall be inspected. All potatoes shipped by any person, in lots of 3,000 pounds or more from the state shall be inspected by an authorized federal-state inspector to determine the grade, quality, and condition of such shipments. All fees shall be assessed against the firm or individual that bills the shipment. Sections 30.16 to 30.20 shall not apply to Minnesota-grown potatoes between July 1 and October 1 of each year.

Approved April 10, 1957.

CHAPTER 380—H. F. No. 1303

An act extending from 30 to 99 years the term of lease which municipal airport owners are authorized to grant to private parties, or governmental agencies desiring to lease

space, area, improvements, or equipment on such airports for aeronautical purposes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 360.038, Subdivision 4.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 360.038, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. Leased property. To lease for a term not exceeding 30 years such airports or other air navigation facilities, or real property acquired or set apart for airport purposes, to private parties, any municipal or state government or the national government, or any department of either thereof, for operation; to lease or assign for a term not exceeding 99 years to private parties, any municipal or state government, or the national government, or any department of either thereof, for operation or use consistent with the purposes of Laws 1945, Chapter 303, space, area, improvements, or equipment on such airports; notwithstanding any other provisions in this subdivision, to lease ground area for a term not exceeding 99 years to private persons for the construction of structures which in its opinion are essential and necessary to serve aircraft, persons and things engaged in or incidental to aeronautics, including but not limited to shops, hangars, offices, restaurants, hotels, motels, factories, storage space, and any and all other structures necessary or essential to and consistent with the purposes of Laws 1945, Chapter 303, to sell any part of such airports, other air navigation facilities, or real property to any municipal or state government, or to the United States or any department or instrumentality thereof, for aeronautical purposes incidental thereto, and to confer the privileges of concessions of supplying upon its airports goods, commodities, things, services, and facilities, provided that in each case in so doing the public is not deprived of its rightful, equal, and uniform use thereof.

Approved April 10, 1957.

CHAPTER 381-S. F. No. 1449

An act relating to law libraries in counties having a population of more than 350,000 and less than 500,000 inhabitants; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Sections 140.19 and 140.21.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 140.19, is amended to read: