suant to the laws of this state or of the United States, or of any home rule charter adopted pursuant to Article 4, Section 36, of the constitution of this state, stated annual salaries as follows, to-wit: county attorney, \$10,250; county auditor, \$7,500, and in addition thereto the county auditor may receive any sum not more than \$500 which may be otherwise provided for services as a member of a municipal building commission; county superintendent of schools, \$6,300; county surveyor, \$6,600; county treasurer, \$8,000; clerk of district court, \$8,000; coroner, \$6,300, and the coroner and deputy coroners shall be reimbursed for the use of their own automobiles in the performance of their official duties, on a mileage basis at the rate fixed by law; court commissioner, \$7,000, and in addition thereto the court commissioner may retain fees received for performing marriage ceremonies without accounting for the same or turning them in to the county treasury; register of deeds and registrar of titles, where the two offices are held by one person, \$8,000; sheriff, \$8,000; and each member of the board of county commissioners, \$5,500 and such traveling expenses as are now allowed by law.

- Sec. 2. Provisions retroactive. The provisions of this act shall be retroactive to January 1, 1951, and the salaries herein fixed shall be paid on county auditor's warrants in equal semi-monthly installments.
- Sec. 3. Limitation as to time. The salaries provided for in Section 1 of this act shall remain in force and effect until May 1, 1953; thereafter the officers covered by this act shall receive the salaries provided for by Laws 1945, Chapter 608, Section 1, except the county surveyor, who shall then receive the salary of \$6,600 annually, payable in equal semi-monthly installments.
 - Sec. 4. Laws 1949, Chapter 710, is hereby repealed.

Approved April 23, 1951.

CHAPTER 703—S. F. No. 1318 [Not Coded]

An act authorizing the commissioner of conservation to acquire lands for state park purposes and appropriating money therefor.

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

Section 1. Acquiring land in Carlton County. The commissioner of conservation is authorized to acquire by purchase the following described lands in the county of Carlton, state of Minnesota:

The North Half of the North Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15, Township 48, Range 16; the Southwest Quarter less the North Half of the North Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15, Township 48, Range 16; the Northeast Quarter of Section 16, Township 48, Range 16; the South Half of the Northwest Quarter, the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and the East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 16, Township 48, Range 16,

for not exceeding the sum of \$1,000, of which the sum of \$750 is to be paid for said land and \$250 for the construction of a suitable memorial gate in Jay Cooke State Park. These lands when acquired shall be a part of Jay Cooke State Park under the supervision and control of the commissioner of conservation as provided for in other state parks.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated to the commissioner of conservation out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of \$1,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes of this act.

Approved April 23, 1951.

CHAPTER 704—S. F. No. 1484

[Not Coded]

An act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the state's natural resources; for maintenance and improvement of state soldiers' home; for maintenance Minnesota Historical Society; for county and district agricultural societies; for various stockbreeders', dairymen's,