

CHAPTER 141—H. F. No. 1097.

An Act to amend Section 40, Chapter 290, General Laws 1903, relating to appropriating money to aid in building bridges.

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

Bridge over river or creek in Mehurin.—Section 1. That section 40 of chapter 290, General Laws 1903, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 40. That the sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars is hereby appropriated out of said fund to aid in the construction of a bridge over the river or creek in the town of Mehurin, in said county. That the further sum of two hundred (\$200) is hereby appropriated out of said fund to aid in constructing a wagon bridge over the main branch of the Lac qui Parle river at a point on the present highway, where the same crosses said river on the section line between sections three (3) and ten (10), township one hundred seventeen (117), range forty-three (43), in said county.

That said amount shall be expended under the supervision of the board of county commissioners of said county.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 3, 1909.

CHAPTER 142—S. F. No. 538.

An Act to define gift enterprises and to provide a penalty for carrying on the same.

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

Gift enterprises declared unlawful.—Section 1. All gift enterprises, as hereinafter defined, and all trade practices carried on in connection therewith are hereby prohibited and declared to be unlawful.

Gift enterprises defined.—Sec. 2. Whenever two or more persons enter into any contract, arrangement or scheme, whereby for the purpose of inducing the public to purchase merchandise or other property of one of the parties to said scheme, any other party thereto, for a valuable consideration and as a part of such scheme, advertises and induces or attempts to induce the public to believe that he will give gifts, premiums or prizes to persons purchasing such merchandise or other property of such other party to said scheme, and that stamps or tickets will be given