or upon the adjoining half of any highway, street or alley upon which the same abuts.

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

Approved April 13, 1921.

CHAPTER 230-H. F. No. 220.

An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 238, General Laws of 1915 relating to consolidating of school districts.

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

Section 1. Certain districts to receive aid as consolidated districts.—That Section 2, Chapter 238, General Laws of 1915 be,

and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. To receive state aid as a consolidated school of Class A or Class B, as defined in this act, the consolidated districts must contain not less than twelve sections: Any existing school district having the area and meeting the requirements specified in this act may be granted the rights and privileges of a consolidated school district upon formal application to the commissioner of education pursuant to resolutions adopted by a vote of not less than two-thirds of the full school board, accompanied by a plat prepared by the county superintendent of schools of the county in which the school is located. Provided that this act shall not affect the rights or status of any consolidated school district now organized."

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

after its passage.

Approved April 13, 1921.

CHAPTER 231—H. F. No. 264.

An act to amend Chapter 28, Laws 1919, relating to investments and deposits of insurance companies, and repealing inconsistent acts.

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

Section 1. Insurance funds may be invested in farm loan bonds or loaned on real estate.—That section 1, of Chapter 28,

Laws 1919, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. The funds of any insurance company or fraternal beneficiary association organized under the laws of the state of Minnesota or licensed to do business therein, in addition to the investments already authorizeed by law, may be invested in Federal farm loan bonds, or, if approved by the commissioner of insurance in loans upon leasehold estates in improved real property for a