Sec. 4. Forests shall be kept intact.—The state shall preserve intact the forest now growing in said park and shall cut no part thereof except weak, deceased or insect infested trees or dead and down timber. The net returns from the sales of timber of any description or from the sale of hay stumpage from said park shall be turned into the State Treasury.

Sec. 5. State and swamp lands to be transferred to park.—The state auditor shall take proper proceedings, under existing laws, relative to the appraisal and sale of state swamp and indemnity school lands, to cause the transfer of State swamp and indemnity school lands in said park, for park purposes, and at the sale thereof the same shall be bid in by the state for such park purposes.

Sec. 6. To secure other lands within boundaries of park.—It shall be the duty of the state auditor acting as state land commissioner to take all reasonable steps to procure for the state from landed property holders, railroad companies, corporations or individuals owning lands within the limits of said park, concessions to the state for park purposes by contract or deed, subject to the approval of the governor.

Sec. 7. Cutting or mutilating trees a misdemeanor.—Any person who shall wilfully cut, destroy or mutilate any tree of any kind in said park shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof by any court of competent jurisdiction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars and not more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail of Itasca County Minnesota, for not less than five days or more than ninety days for each and every offense.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 18, 1921.

CHAPTER 346-S. F. No. 511.

An act to amend Section 3240 General Statutes 1913 and Section 1 Chapter 336 Laws of Minnesota for 1919, entitled "an act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 386 Laws 1911 relating to the compensation of certain officers of the department of insurance; creating the office of rate supervisor and of the assistant actuary and repealing subdivision 7 of Section 1 of Chapter 400, Laws 1913."

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

Section 1. Department of Insurance—Commissioner—Bond—Term,—That Section 3240 General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913 be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

There is hereby established and continued a department of insurance in the State of Minnesota. Its chief officer shall be

styled the commissioner of insurance, and shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, for the term of two years, beginning on the First Tuesday after the second Monday of January of each odd numbered calendar year, and who shall hold office until his duly appointed successor shall have qualified. He shall give bond, with sureties to be approved by the state treasurer, in the sum of twentyfive thousand (\$25,000.00) for the faithful discharge of his duties and shall receive in full compensation for all his services as commissioner of insurance the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00) per annum.

Sec. 2. Deputy—Assistants and employes—Salaries.—That Section 1 Chapter 336 Laws 1919 be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: Section 1. That Section 3 of Chapter 386 Laws 1911 be and the same is hereby amended to

read as follows:

Section 3. The commissioner of insurance may appoint a reputy commissioner of insurance to assist him in his duties. who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-eight hundred dollars (\$2,800.00); an actuary who shall receive an annual salary of forty-two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00); a chief examiner who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-eight hundred dollars dollars (\$2,800.00); four assistant examiners who shall receive an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2,400,00) each; a rate supervisor who shall receive an annual salary of three thousand three hundred dollars (\$3,300.00); an assistant actuary who shall receive an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars a special assistant rate supervisor who shall receive an annual salary of two thousand four hundred dollars (\$2,400.00); a statistician who shall receive an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00); a license clerk who shall receive an annual salary of fourteen hundred forty dollars (\$1,440.00); an assistant license clerk who shall receive an annual salary of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00); a chief clerk who shall receive an annual salary of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00); a bookkeeper or cashier who shall receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00); five stenographers who shall receive an annual salary of not more than six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) in the aggregate; and at any time between the first day of January and the last day of June in each year may also appoint two additional clerks at not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per month each. All salaries authorized by this act shall be payable in monthly installments and shall be in full compensation for all services rendered in discharge of their respective duties; provided, that the actual and necessary expenses incurred by the commissioner or any salaried employe of the department of insurance in connection with any examination of an insurance company shall be

repaid by the state treasurer upon proper vouchers on condition that the same shall have previously been charged to such insurance company so examined and by such company paid into the state treasury."

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and

after its passage.

Approved April 18, 1921.

CHAPTER 347—S. F. No. 406.

An act to amend Sections 28 and 29, of Chapter 400, Session Laws of Minnesota 1919, relating to fees for licenses to take game and fish.

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

Section 1. Fees.—That Section 28, of Chapter 400, Session Laws of Minnesota 1919, be and the same hereby is amended

so as to read as follows:

"Section 28. The applicant, if a resident of this state, shall pay to the county auditor issuing the license the sum of \$1.00 as a license fee for hunting game birds, and the sum of \$2.00 as a license fee for hunting quadrupeds, and the sum of \$1.00 as a license fee for taking fur-bearing animals, and, if a non-resident or an alien, shall pay to the commissioner the sum of \$50.00 for a license to hunt quadrupeds, and the sum of \$15,00 for a license to hunt game birds, and the sum of \$2.00 for a license to take fish by angling or spearing. The county auditor shall transmit to the county treasurer at the end of each week the total amount of money received by him as fees for licenses to take game and fish during such day, and the county treasurer shall make a record of the amount so transmitted and as soon as practicable thereafter shall deposit such amount in the name of the county in a bank or trust company duly designated as a county depository, together with other public funds."

Sec. 2. Disposition of fees.—That section 29, of chapter 400, Session Laws of Minnesota 1919, be and the same hereby is

amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 29. On the first working day of each calendar month the county treasurer shall pay on the auditor's warrant therefor ten per cent of all moneys received from the county auditor as fees for licenses to take game and fish, to such auditor to be retained by him as his compensation, and at such time the county treasurer shall on the auditor's warrant therefor pay the balance to the state game and fish commissioner. All moneys collected by the commissioner for licenses issued by him, or upon bonds or contracts or received from other sources shall be remitted by him to the state treasurer. All moneys collected by game wardens for licenses or