collected by him in the performance of his official duties; Provided that if in any year the total of said fees, including every emolument of his office, is less than fifteen hundred (\$1500.00) dollars he shall receive from the County a sum in addition to said fees which shall make the income of his said office fifteen hundred (\$1500.00) dollars; provided that the said Clerk of Court shall receive a salary of six hundred and fifty (\$650.00) dollars per annum for his services, which shall be considered a portion of his fees as herein provided. Fees in connection with naturalization proceedings are excepted from the operation hereof. That there shall be allowed the Clerk of the Court not to exceed two hundred (\$200.00) dollars per annum for clerk hire in said office, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, to be determined by resolution of the County Board.

Sec. 4. Salaries to be paid monthly.—The salary of such officers and the clerk hire in each office shall be paid in monthly installments in the same manner as the salary and clerk hire of the other county officers are paid to the persons actually render-

ing the service of such officers and employees.

Sec. 5. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved January 29, 1925.

CHAPTER 6.—H. F. No. 28

An act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of certain corporations whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporations made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.

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

Section 1. Corporate existence of certain corporations renewed.—That in any case where a corporation created by and under the laws of this State shall have duly adopted a resolution extending its corporate existence, by a vote of more than three-fourths of the stock of such corporation, for a period of not to exceed thirty years from its expiration, and without opposition from any stockholder thereof, and such resolution was duly adopted within the period of its corporate existence and within six months prior to the termination of such corporation, and where a certified copy thereof has not been filed, recorded and published, as provided by law, within the period of its corporate existence, or since, and that such corporation has continued to transact its business, that such corporation shall have six months from and after the passage of this act to cause a certified copy

of such resolution to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County where such corporation is located, and in the office of the Secretary of State, and to have the same duly published as provided by law, and upon doing so, and upon paying to the State Treasurer the same incorporation fees as now provided by law for the renewal of corporate existence of such corporation where such renewal is made before the end of its period of duration, the extension of the existence of said corporation shall be, and hereby is declared to be, in all respects, legal and valid, and shall have the same force and effect as if renewed prior to the expiration of its term of existence.

Sec. 2. Acts and contracts validated.—When such steps are taken within such period, such proceedings shall relate back to the date of the date of the expiration of said original corporate period, and when said period is extended as provided by this act, any and all corporate acts and contracts done, performed, made and entered into after the expiration of said original period shall be and each is hereby declared to be legal and valid.

Sec. 3. Not to apply in certain cases.—This act shall not apply to any corporation the charter of which has been declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction in this state, nor to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts in this state.

Approved February 3, 1925.

CHAPTER 7.—S. F. No. 20

(Sec. 656, Note, G. S. 1923.)

An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 52, Laws of Minnesota, 1923, session, being an act fixing the salaries of County Commissioners in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Salaries of county boards in certain counties. That Section 1 of Chapter 52 Laws 1923 be and the same is here-

by amended to read as follows:

"Salaries of County Boards in certain Counties. That in all Counties having not less than eighty-one (81) nor more than eighty-four (84) full and fractional Congressional Townships, and having an assessed valuation of not less than six million (\$6,000,000) dollars, nor more than twelve million (\$12,000,000) dollars, the several members of the County Board shall receive a salary of six hundred (\$600.00) dollars per year, to be paid in twelve equal monthly installments, which shall be in full for all services of the County Board and the Committees thereof."