## CHAPTER 97-S. F. No. 371.

An act authorizing the county board of any county in this state now or hercafter having an assessed valuation of all its taxable property exclusive of money and credits of more than \$300,000,000, and an area of over 5,000 square miles, and owning a county fair ground with buildings and other improvements thereon, to expend all or any portion of any sum paid to said county as damages to said county, by reason of the extension of mining operations that destroy streets and highways leading to said fair grounds, for the purpose of rebuilding and otherwise improving a new fair ground.

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

Section 1. Certain counties to spend money for Fair Grounds and Building.—That the county board of any county in this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of all its taxable property of more than \$300,000,000, and an area of over 5,000 square miles, and owning a fair ground with buildings and other improvements thereon, is hereby authorized to expend in the erection of buildings and other improvements of a county fair ground, all or any part of any sums heretofore or hereafter paid to said county as damages caused by the extension of mining operations that result in the vacation of platted portions of any village near said fair ground, the destruction of roads and bridges leading thereto, and rendering the location and use of said fair ground no longer suitable for county fair purposes, as determined by the county board of said county.

Sec. 2. Funds to be carried in special account.—That on the collection of any such damages said funds shall be credited to a fund to be designated as "county fair ground fund" in the records of the county auditor of such county, and together with another fund that may be credited to such county fair ground fund, from whatever source received, may be expended in the manner provided by law for the improvement of which fair ground such funds were received.

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

Approved March 25, 1925.

CHAPTER 98-S. F. No. 479.

An act to authorize any school district of this state to pay dues in the Minnesota School Board Association and the expense of delegate attending the annual meeting of such association.