

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

Section 1. **Certain counties may appropriate money to aid county agricultural societies.**—That the county board of any county now or hereafter having a population of not less than 220,000 inhabitants nor more than 330,000 inhabitants which now owns or shall hereafter own the grounds, together with the buildings thereon, on which a county agricultural society, which is a member of the State Agricultural Society, holds an annual fair or exhibition may appropriate not to exceed \$7,000.00 for the purposes of remodeling and making additions to present buildings on said grounds and for paying off any indebtedness which shall now exist.

Sec. 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Approved April 25, 1929.

CHAPTER 374—S. F. No. 996

An act providing for the payment of road labor in counties now or hereafter having a valuation of more than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits, and having an area of more than 5,000 square miles.

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

Section 1. **Payment for road labor.**—In any county in this state now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than \$250,000,000, exclusive of money and credits, and having an area of more than 5,000 square miles, the county board may provide that all claims for labor, whether skilled or unskilled, employed by such county in any capacity in connection with the construction or maintenance of roads therein, and the claims of all persons who have furnished tractors, trucks, teams, wagons, plows or scrapers, may be paid in the following manner.

The foreman in charge of each crew shall transmit daily to the district highway engineer or county commissioner's accountant of any such county a verified report showing the name of each person working under his supervision, the number of hours and character or kind of work performed by each person together with the rate

of pay of each. From these reports the district highway engineer or county commissioner's accountant for the district shall make up a semi-monthly payroll in such form as may be approved by the state public examiner. These payrolls shall then be presented to the county board for allowance or disallowance. On the allowance of a payroll by the county board the county auditor shall forthwith issue to the several claimants whose names appear therein, or their duly authorized assignees, his warrants in payment of their respective claims.

Sec. 2. **Payment when employee quits.**—That in the event that any claimant referred to in Section One herein, shall leave the employ of the said county at any time after the first day and before the middle of any month or after the middle of any month and before the end of such month the county commissioner for the commissioner's district in which said employee was employed on such county road work may in his discretion certify to the county auditor by a verified certificate the name of any such employee, the kind of work on which he was employed, the days on which he was employed, the rate of compensation per hour or per day, total sum due him, the account from which the same shall be paid, and on the filing of such verified certificate with said county auditor he shall issue to the workman named therein, or his assignee, a county auditor's warrant for the sum certified to be due, with the same effect as if the same had been allowed by the county board in the regular semi-monthly payroll for said work.

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

Sec. 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved April 25, 1929.

CHAPTER 375—S. F. No. 1002

An act authorizing the University of Minnesota to convey to the Great Northern Railway Company, certain parcels of land in the County of Polk, State of Minnesota.

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

Section 1. **University may convey certain lands.**—The University of Minnesota is hereby authorized and empowered to grant,