tion 1, be, and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. Sanatorium commission to fix amount of charges. —The county sanatorium commission shall fix the amount to be charged for the care, treatment and maintenance of each patient.

"When a patient is unable to pay said charges and has no kindred legally liable therefor from whom payment can be secured, said patient may be admitted without charge or a patient by whom or for whom continued payments cannot be made may become a free patient. Any individual, resident of the state, residing outside of a county or counties maintaining a tuberculosis sanatorium, may apply for treatment in any sanatorium established under this act, or any city, village, town or county may so apply on behalf of any of its charges, and such patient may be cared for therein upon payment of a weekly sum to be fixed by the county sanatorium commission, provided that the state board of control shall approve of the admission of such patient and the sum so fixed.

"Whenever any such non-resident patient is admitted to a county sanatorium upon the application of any county the state shall pay out of moneys available for the maintenance of county sanatoriums the sum of \$5.00 per week per patient. Provided further, that in case any such non-resident patient is admitted solely for the purpose of chest surgery or other surgery to effect treatment of tuberculosis, the full charge fixed by the county sanatorium commission shall be paid, onehalf thereof by the state and one-half by the county of the patient's legal residence."

Approved April 9, 1941.

## CHAPTER 164-H. F. No. 804

An act relating to foreign corporations; amending Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 7495-3.

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 7495-3 is hereby amended to read as follows:

7495-3. Foreign corporations not to do banking business —may obtain authority to make real estate loans.—No foreign corporation shall transact in this state the business which only a bank, trust company or building and loan association may transact in this state; provided, however, that any such for-

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eign corporation may apply for, in the manner hereinafter set forth, and obtain a certificate of authority to transact in this state the business of making real estate loans." Approved April 9, 1941.

## CHAPTER 165-S. F. No. 230

An act to amend Chapter 391, Section 35, Laws 1939, relating to savings, building and loan associations.

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Laws 1939, Chapter 391, Section 35, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Not to deal in real estate.-No such associa-"Section 35. tion shall engage in the business of buying and selling or dealing in real estate, but it may secure obligations due to it and the payment of its loans by taking real estate mortgages. It may purchase at any sheriff's, judicial or other sale, public or private, any real estate upon which it has a mortgage, judgment or other lien, or in which it has any interest. It may acquire title to any real estate on which it holds any lien, in full or part satisfaction thereof, and may sell, convey, hold, lease or mortgage the same. Also in transactions involving the purchase by a shareholder of improved real estate for home purposes, or for the construction of a home, a savings, building and loan association, organized under the laws of this state, or of the United States of America, may when authorized by its by-laws acquire the title thereof, and it may give to such shareholder a contract to convey the same as upon a sale thereof and upon default in the conditions of such contract, the association may terminate the interest of such shareholder pursuant to law."

Approved April 10, 1941.

## CHAPTER 166-S. F. No. 506

An act providing for the completion of proceedings for the renewal of the period of corporate existence of co-operative corporations and legalizing and validating certain corporate acts and contracts done, performed and entered into by such corporations.

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

Section 1. Renewal of corporate existence of certain cooperative corporations.—In any case where the original period