

man or vice chairman and attested by the secretary of the commission, and the state auditor shall then approve and the state treasurer shall pay such warrants as and when presented, but not exceeding in the aggregate the amount herein appropriated. *A general summary or statement of the expenses so incurred and paid shall be included in the above mentioned report of the commission to the legislature.

Approved April 26, 1941.

CHAPTER 482—H. F. No. 1166

An act relating to the manner of taking deer and affixing of coupon tags and seals; providing penalties for violations; amending Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 5539.

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

Section 1. **Law amended.**—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 5539, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"5539. **How deer may be taken.**—(1) No artificial light, including automobile and motorcycle headlights and spot lights, snare, trap, set gun, swivel gun, salt lick or other device to entrap or entice deer shall be used, made or set, nor shall deer be taken by aid or use thereof. No snare for wolves or other wild quadrupeds shall be set in any runway used by deer. No such snare shall be set with a loop of greater maximum diameter than 12 inches, nor with the top of the loop higher than 24 inches above the ground. No spring pole shall be set or used with any such snare. Deer shall not be shot from any artificial scaffold, platform, or other construction higher than *six* feet above the ground. Deer shall not be hunted or pursued or killed with dogs or horses. Violation of any provision of this Subdivision relating to set guns or swivel guns shall be a gross misdemeanor. Violation of any provision of this Subdivision relating to artificial lights shall be a misdemeanor, and shall be punishable by a fine of not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$100.00, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 30 days nor more than 90 days. Violation of any other provision of this Subdivision shall be a misdemeanor.

(2) The licensee shall, after killing a deer, immediately affix to the carcass thereof, coupon tag "B" of his license. Immediately after a deer has been killed there shall be affixed

to each carcass of deer before the same is transported or offered for transportation, a metal locking seal bearing the license number of the owner thereof and the year issued in figures, said seal to be furnished by the director of game and fish through the county auditors when licenses are sold and for which a fee of 25 cents shall be paid.

Approved April 28, 1941.

CHAPTER 483—H. F. No. 1354

An act providing clerk hire for the county attorney in any county having a population of less than 150,000 inhabitants and wherein clerk hire is not provided for by any other law.

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

Section 1. Clerk hire for county attorneys in certain counties.—The county board may annually appropriate a sum not to exceed \$720.00 to be used for providing clerk hire for the county attorney. The amount to be allowed for such purpose shall be determined by the county board but shall not exceed the sum of \$60.00 per month. All disbursements from such funds shall be made in the manner provided by law. This act shall not apply in any county now or hereafter having a population of 150,000 or more inhabitants or in any county wherein clerk hire for the county attorney is provided for by any other law.

Approved April 28, 1941.

CHAPTER 484—H. F. No. 1614

An act to provide a levy of taxes for state purposes for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1942, and June 30, 1943.

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

Section 1. Tax levy for current expenses for 1942.—For the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942, there is hereby levied on all taxable property of the state a tax of such a number of