foot and mouth disease among domestic animals in the state in co-operation with the United States Bureau of Animal Industry and to appraise and destroy animals affected with or which have been exposed to this disease, or to destroy property in order to remove the infection and complete the cleaning and disinfection of the premises or to do any act or incur any other expense reasonably necessary in suppressing this disease, the board may accept, on behalf of the state, the rules and regulations adopted by the United States Bureau of Animal Industry under authority of an act of Congress, or such portion thereof deemed necessary, suitable or applicable, and co-operate with the United States Bureau of Animal Industry in the enforcement of such rules and regulations so accepted; or it may follow such procedure only as to quarantine or inspection or condemnation or appraisal or, destruction or burial of animals, disinfection and other acts deemed by it reasonably necessary in the suppression of this disease as may be agreed upon and adopted by the board and representatives or authorized agents of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, the total expense to be shared equally between the state and federal government.

The appraisals of animals affected with or exposed to foot and mouth disease, or contact animals shall be made by an appraisal board consisting of a representative of the board, a representative of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry and the owner of the animals or his representative, such appraisals, in writing, and signed by the appraisers, to be made at the true market value of all animals.

Upon destruction and burial of such animals and the completion of the cleaning and disinfection of the premises, the state livestock sanitary board shall certify the appraisal to the auditor of the state, who shall draw a warrant on the state treasurer for one-half the amount thereof payable to the owner, and the remaining one-half of such appraisal to be paid by the federal government under such co-operative arrangement.

Approved March 15, 1941.

CHAPTER 68—S. F. No. 36

An act to authorize the Industrial Commission of Minnesota to cooperate with the United States Department of Labor in the enforcement of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938.

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

Section 1. Industrial Commission to co-operate with U. S. Government.—The Industrial Commission of Minnesota, so far as is not inconsistent with its duties under the laws of this state, may assist and cooperate with the Wage and Hour Division, The Children's Bureau, and any other authorized agency of the United States Department of Labor in the administration within this state of the act of congress known as the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, approved June 25, 1938, and amendments thereof. No additional expense shall be incurred by the commission in rendering such assistance and cooperation except upon condition that the state be reimbursed therefor in accordance with federal laws and regulations and subject to the applicable laws of this state.

Sec. 2. Appropriation of federal allotments.—All moneys heretofore or hereafter received from the federal government for such reimbursement are hereby appropriated to the Industrial Commission to pay the cost of such assistance and cooperation.

Approved March 15, 1941.

CHAPTER 69-S. F. No. 530

An act authorizing the conveyance of certain real estate owned by the State in the City of Stillwater, Washington County, Minnesota, to Washington County Historical Society.

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

Section 1. Governor and State Auditor authorized to convey property in certain cases.—The Governor and the State Auditor are hereby authorized and fully empowered to execute and deliver to Washington County Historical Society a proper deed in the name and behalf of the state conveying the premises known as the warden's residence at the old prison in the City of Stillwater, County of Washington, State of Minnesota, consisting of all that part of Block One (1) of the Original Town, now City, of Stillwater, according to the survey and plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the register of deeds of said county, lying south of the south wall of the old state prison and west of Main Street; the same to be used by said society as a public historical museum and for other purposes incident to the activities of said society.

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