

Sec. 3. Persons qualified. *Any person, male or female, who entered the armed forces of the United States on or after September 10, 1940, and who died prior to the effective date of this act, is qualified for any of the benefits provided in Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 197.21.*

Approved April 18, 1945.

CHAPTER 378—S. F. No. 319

An act relating to mileage to be paid sheriffs and deputy sheriffs as reimbursement for the use of their own automobiles.

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

Section 1. Compensation for use of private automobiles. As reimbursement for the use of his own private automobile by a sheriff or his deputy, in the performance of his official duties, he may be paid by the county the sum of ten cents per mile for every mile so traveled.

Sec. 2. Effective until January 1, 1947. This act shall be and remain in force until January 1, 1947.

Approved April 18, 1945.

CHAPTER 379—S. F. No. 409

An act to extend the time for closing the affairs and disposing of the property of certain corporations whose existence has been terminated by forfeiture or otherwise, not including, however, corporations having the power of eminent domain.

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

Section 1. Extension of time within which to liquidate. When any corporation, other than a corporation having the power of eminent domain, whose existence was terminated on or before July 1, 1941, by forfeiture or by expiration of its period of duration as fixed by its charter or otherwise, did not

or shall not fully close its affairs and convey all of its property within the period of three years succeeding the date of such termination, and when such corporation has or claims or appears to have or claim any interest in or to any property, the time limit for so closing its affairs and disposing of its property is hereby extended for two years after the passage of this act for the purpose of permitting the corporation to close its affairs and dispose of its property, and the extension hereby made shall also apply for the purpose of authorizing and permitting service of process in actions at law or in equity in order that the corporation may prosecute and defend actions and be served with process therein.

Sec. 2. Transfers to trustee. The corporation during such two year period when authorized by a majority vote of its board of directors or the written consent of the holders of a majority of the shares of stock of the company, issued and outstanding, having voting power, may transfer and convey all or any part of its property to a trustee or trustees with power of sale in trust for the benefit of all of the stockholders of the corporation.

Sec. 3. Transfers legalized. Any and all transfers and conveyances of property by the corporation and the service of process by or against the corporation, made or done after the date of termination of its corporate existence and on or before two years after the passage of this act, are hereby legalized and made of the same force and effect as if the same had been made or done within three years after the date of termination of its corporate existence.

Sec. 4. Pending proceedings. This act shall not affect any action or proceeding now pending.

Approved April 18, 1945.

CHAPTER 380—S. F. No. 461

An act relating to the practice of architecture, professional engineering and land surveying; amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Sections 326.02, 326.03, 326.10, 326.11, 326.12, 326.14, 326.15, 326.16 and 326.53.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 326.02, is hereby amended to read as follows: