

department of civil defense or any other person, whether or not that prson is a state employee, to any school, training or indoctrination program, or place for training or indoctrination in matter legitimately connected with civil defense, or where he deems it necessary to send any person, whether or not a state employee, to any place in this or another state for any purpose connected with civil defense, he may authorize the payment of travel expenses and reasonable subsistence for the period of time during which he is required to remain at the place to which he has been sent. These payments shall be made from money appropriated to the department. Upon the certification by the governor or his duly authorized representative of the purpose and amount of any such payment, the state auditor shall draw his warrant upon the state treasurer, and the latter shall pay the amount so certified. The stipulations in this section are subject to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1949, Chapter 16.

The governor may devise and formulate a procedure for processing and certification of travel and subsistence expenses which allows the person to submit monthly statements of expenses incurred during the preceding month.

Approved April 24, 1953.

CHAPTER 746—H. F. No. 1937

[Not Coded]

An act relating to claims against the State of Minnesota; providing for the payment of certain claims, authorizing the settlement of certain claims, consenting to suits against the State of Minnesota on certain claims, authorizing and directing certain state officers to perform certain acts necessary to carry out the foregoing, and appropriating moneys for the purposes of this act.

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

Section 1. Claims against state, appropriations. The sums hereinafter named, or so much thereof as may be necessary are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purposes specified in the following sections of this act to be available for the year ending June 30, 1953, unless otherwise specified:

Sec. 2. To reimburse U. S. Cyr of Balaton, Minnesota, for license fees erroneously paid the state of Minnesota\$ 25.00

Sec. 3. To reimburse the County of Roseau, Minnesota, in full, for drainage assessments against state lands pursuant to M. S. 1949, Section 106.381 and Section 106.471, Subdivision 5\$16,156.58
 Of the above amount, the sum of \$2,341.10 shall be paid out of the Consolidated Conservation Areas Fund, \$5,373.75 out of the Beltrami Island Federal Lease Account of the Federal Conservation Leases Fund and \$8,441.73 out of the General Revenue Fund.

Sec. 4. To reimburse the County of Marshall, Minnesota, in full, for drainage assessments against state lands pursuant to M. S. 1949, Section 106.381 and Section 106.471, Subdivision 5\$10,820.53
 Of the above amount, the sum of \$9,412.62 shall be paid out of the Consolidated Conservation Areas Fund and \$1,407.91 out of the General Revenue Fund.

Sec. 5. To reimburse the following counties for special aid pursuant to Laws 1949, Chapter 648, as amended by Laws 1951, Chapter 586, the so-called "non-taxed lands" appropriation to the State school districts in the following amounts:

District	County	Amount
Ind. No. 12	Aitkin	\$2,350.21
Ind. No. 18	Aitkin	445.51
Ind. No. 38	Aitkin	245.35
Ind. No. 53	Aitkin	425.03
Ind. No. 57	Aitkin	277.63
Ind. No. 71	Aitkin	415.99
Ind. No. 82	Aitkin	78.40
Ind. No. 88	Aitkin	81.17
Ind. No. 94	Aitkin	210.30
Joint No. 88	Beltrami	2,106.64
Joint No. 98	Beltrami	405.64
Joint No. 119	Beltrami	6,090.16

Sec. 6. (1) To C. A. Mjosness in payment of judgment for escheated bank deposits to be paid upon delivery to the Attorney General of the satisfaction of judgment approved by him\$ 333.19

(2) To Walter U. Hauser, Special Administrator of the Estate of Lawrence J. Corcoran, Deceased, in payment of judgment for escheated bank deposits to be paid upon delivery to the Attorney General of the satisfaction of judgment approved by him\$ 1,113.34

(3) To Rupert Walters, in payment of judgment for escheated bank deposits to be paid upon delivery to the Attorney General of the satisfaction of judgment approved by him\$ 1,094.05

Sec. 7. To reimburse the Village of Aitkin, Minnesota, for street improvements in front of the forestry building of said village\$ 283.95

Sec. 8. To compensate William Brisbane for injuries sustained while an inmate of the State Prison, \$1500 of which is to be paid at the rate of \$15 a week for 100 weeks and an amount not exceeding the remainder of \$2,000 is to reimburse such medical institutions or doctors as may hereafter furnish medical attention as arranged for by the director of public institutions\$ 3,500

Sec. 9. For payment to Ray W. Bruess, as attorney for Sophia Whiteside, et al, upon delivery of satisfaction of judgment in Supreme Court in State of Minnesota vs. Sophia Whiteside, et al, to Attorney General\$ 267.12

Sec. 10. To compensate Harold Alseth of Duluth, Minnesota, for loss of garage and personal property by fire, caused by faulty wiring in a truck owned by the State of Minnesota\$ 1,821.23

Sec. 11. To reimburse Howard Anderson, an employee of the Department of Agriculture, Dairy and Food of the State of Minnesota, for the amount of damages personally paid by him as the result of an accident to a state owned automobile he was driving in the performance of his duties\$ 100.00

Sec. 12. To reimburse Tom Beaty for damages to his automobile caused by the negligence of a state employee\$ 53.80

Sec. 13. To reimburse Signor Bedahl for damages to his automobile caused by the negligence of a state employee\$ 640.88

Sec. 14. To reimburse the following for unsold hunting, fishing and trapping licenses for the years

1947, 1948, 1949, 1950 and 1951 ; payment to be made out of the Game and Fish Fund:

Walter H. Borgen	\$172.95
C. A. Strom	25.20
Frank Ramler	36.40
Robert F. Fitzsimmons	52.10
George W. Peterson	10.80
Oscar W. Anderson	8.10
L. C. Peterson	3.60
G. J. Lyne	15.20
August Machula, Jr.	9.00
Wilbur Koelmel	12.15
L. G. Lindquist	7.20
Leo J. Billstein	27.00
N. C. Yantz	45.45
Ira R. Rogers	8.10
Albert Sundburg	8.10
P. L. Hintzen	72.45
Art Brisbane	18.90
Clem McCarthy	36.00
Nick Truog	4.50
S. B. Johnson	28.65
Eugene A. Monick	315.00
August Kallsen	18.00
M. P. Zeien	60.72
Norman Flagstad	11.04
Robert A. Bachman	18.40
John B. Kurtz	12.88
Marvin S. Peterson	13.88
A. A. Swanberg	4.14
John Robinson & Sons	23.46

John N. Farrell	1.38
Chas. F. Karsten	11.04
Log Cabin	11.04
John Gilbertson	1.75
Sec. 15. To compensate Drs. Boyer and Boyer, Duluth, Minnesota, for professional services rendered Corporal Gerald J. Spearman, Minnesota National Guard, while in line of duty	\$ 32.00
Sec. 16. To reimburse Roy Cady for services rendered the State of Minnesota	\$ 60.00
Sec. 17. To reimburse the following persons for time lost from regular occupation, due to injuries received by them, while on duty with the Minnesota National Guard at summer camp:	
Donald W. Classen	\$270.00
John Cavanaugh	270.00
Sec. 18. To compensate Lawrence Conrad for personal injuries and property damage sustained when attacked by inmates of the Minnesota State Reformatory for Men on July 1, 1950	\$ 40.35
Sec. 19. To reimburse the following persons in payment of a Minnesota Soldiers' Bonus, World War I:	
Edward F. Connolly	\$ 400.00
Lars Ruud	90.00
Walter Graff	400.00
Ben McIntosh	90.00
Sec. 20. To reimburse Mrs. Delanie Date for damages to her car through the negligence of a state employee	\$ 7.00
Sec. 21. To reimburse Bernard M. Dickey for loss of a heifer, which died following a Bang's disease test conducted by a state employee	\$ 120.00
Sec. 22. The Director of Employment and Security is hereby directed and authorized to pay out of the benefit account of Unemployment Compensation fund to reimburse D. Danlinovich for the loss of benefit check No. 157-0457 issued to him June 6, 1947, and not cashed by him, in the sum of	\$ 30.00

Sec. 23. To reimburse Richard Dehler, in payment for goods sold and delivered to an employee of the Minnesota State Reformatory for Men	\$ 62.50
Sec. 24. To reimburse Dakota Monument Company of Fargo, N. D., for license fee erroneously paid the State of Minnesota, payment to be made from the Trunk Highway Fund	\$ 70.83
Sec. 25. To reimburse James J. Fisette for filing fees erroneously paid the State of Minnesota....	\$ 80.00
Sec. 26. To compensate Siebelt W. Goldenstein for loss of an eye due to an accident while engaged at work in a state penal institution	\$ 2,000.00
Sec. 27. To reimburse Great Northern Railway Company for damage to railroad right-of-way near Russell, Minnesota, for property damage, caused by water seepage from an artificial lake known as Brawner Lake, constructed by the State Conservation Department	\$ 5,850.00
The above payment is to be made out of the Game and Fish fund of the Department of Conservation.	
Sec. 28. To reimburse Louis H. Gladitsch for damage to his property caused by the negligence of a state employee	\$ 76.94
Sec. 29. To reimburse Hallock Independent School District No. 1 for refundment of gas tax on gas which was destroyed, payable from the gas tax refunds account	25.00
Sec. 30. To reimburse William Habben in refundment of gas tax, payable from the gas tax refunds account	12.25
Sec. 31. To reimburse Godfrey Huseby for injury to a cow through the negligence of an employee of the Livestock Sanitary Board in testing for Bang's Disease	19.66
Sec. 32. To compensate Marcella Healy for disability from tuberculosis contracted while training for a nurse in a state tubercular sanatorium	\$ 2,749.50
Sec. 33. To reimburse Mrs. Clara A. Hinez of Mankato, widow of Randall W. Hinez, in payment of World War I bonus	315.00
Sec. 34. To reimburse Mrs. J. L. Hoepfner for materials used in repairing of a truck	\$ 208.50

Sec. 35. To reimburse Wallace W. and Harry Hawkins for gasoline tax paid on gasoline that was later lost because of a leaky tank\$ 214.70

The above amount is to be paid out of the gas tax refunds account.

Sec. 36. To reimburse Harold Isaakson for damage to his automobile caused by the negligence of a state employee\$ 62.83

Sec. 37. To reimburse the County of Jackson for money expended for public health nursing state aid law as administered by the State Board of Health, which agency disallowed a quarterly payment because of late filing of claim therefor\$ 375.00

Sec. 38. To reimburse Clara Johnsrud for loss of indemnity for a cow tested for Bang's disease\$ 50.00

Sec. 39. To reimburse Alfred Jarvis, Buffalo Lake, Minnesota, for damages to his automobile as the result of negligence of a state employe\$ 65.50

Sec. 40. To reimburse Carl Jacobson for damages to his automobile as the result of negligence of a state employe\$ 50.00

Sec. 41. To reimburse Charles Joseph Johnson, for filing fee erroneously paid the Secretary of State\$ 40.00

Sec. 42. To reimburse the following persons, in the following amounts, for loss of indemnities for cattle tested for Bang's Disease:

J. P. Zimmerman	\$ 125.00
James Wodahl	\$ 200.00
Earl Tice	\$ 100.00
Gust Peterson	\$ 475.00
Emil Olson	\$ 50.00
Richard Tischman	\$ 100.00
Elmer Kristensen	\$ 75.00
Otto Koennicke	\$ 225.00
Glenn C. Loudy	\$ 125.00
Frank Peyton	\$ 150.00

Sec. 43. To compensate Mrs. James C. Mitchell for filing fee paid by her late husband who filed as a candidate for attorney general prior to his death	\$ 40.00
Sec. 44. To reimburse Arnold A. Madow for damage to his automobile due to the negligence of a state employee	\$ 31.50
Sec. 45. To reimburse William Kriefels for expenses to his automobile due to the negligence of a state employee	\$ 50.00
Sec. 46. To compensate K. W. Klaus, D.V.M., for services rendered the Livestock Sanitary Board..	\$ 250.00
Sec. 47. To reimburse John and Emma Miller for damage to property caused by a ward of the state	211.25
Sec. 48. To reimburse the McKenzie Implement Company for damages as the result of negligence of a state employee	544.98
Sec. 49. To reimburse Myron C. Moore for damages to his automobile through the negligence of a state employee	162.74
Sec. 50. To reimburse William C. Miller for damages to his automobile caused by the negligence of a state employee	\$ 65.00
Sec. 51. To reimburse Nick P. Maras for damages to his automobile caused by the negligence of a state employee	175.00
Sec. 52. To reimburse the Minnesota Motor Company for damages to their property caused by the negligence of a state employee	57.00
Sec. 53. To reimburse Mrs. James McDonald for loss of property at the St. Cloud Reformatory ..	\$ 25.00
Sec. 54. To reimburse the City of Owatonna for special improvements made on property owned by the State of Minnesota	4,735.57
Sec. 55. To compensate Elwood J. Rogers for injuries received while in line of duty with the National Guard at summer camp, and to reimburse him for time lost from his regular occupation	448.00
Sec. 56. To reimburse Glenn Rehnke is payment of adjusted service compensation	400.00
Sec. 57. To reimburse the County of Sherburne for expenses incurred and paid by said	

county in the matter of the investigation at the St. Cloud State Reformatory for Men in the year 1951..	4,107.38
Sec. 58. To reimburse Elmer C. Saari for a deposit on the lease of state owned lands	12.00
Sec. 59. To reimburse C. M. Speer, Slayton, Minnesota, for loss of cattle ordered sold by the Livestock Sanitary Board	\$ 1,280.00
Sec. 60. To reimburse St. Luke's Hospital, Duluth, Minnesota, for services rendered Corporal Gerald J. Spearman, Minnesota National Guard, who contracted illness while in line of duty	\$ 261.20
Sec. 61. To reimburse Roger Stein for damages to his automobile as the result of negligence of a state employee	\$ 423.92
Sec. 62. To reimburse the County of Steele for money expended in the installation of public drain tile which benefited lands owned by the state, and which amount would be assessed against said state tax exempt lands had they been privately owned	\$ 645.76
Sec. 63. To reimburse Helge Sandelin for money paid for medical services for his son, James Sandelin, as the result of negligence of a state agency	\$ 167.50
Sec. 64. To reimburse the City of St. James for improving property owned by the State of Minnesota	\$ 51.25
Sec. 65. To reimburse H. Y. Torrey for filing fee erroneously paid the State of Minnesota	\$ 80.00
Sec. 66. To reimburse Ted Thielen for filing fee erroneously paid the State of Minnesota	\$ 80.00
Sec. 67. To reimburse Gustav A. Waagen for damages to his property as the result of negligence of a state employee	\$ 260.50
Sec. 68. To compensate Alvin Wright for injuries sustained while an inmate of the State Reformatory for Men, such compensation to be paid as follows: \$20 per week for 104 weeks, such weekly compensation to be paid said Alvin Wright on the first day of each month on the basis of \$20 per week. The Director of the Division of Public Institutions is hereby charged with the duty of delivering the warrants for payment	\$ 2,080.00

Sec. 69. To reimburse Quentin F. Wessman, for damages to his automobile as the result of negligence of a state employee\$ 40.50

Sec. 70. To reimburse Donald F. Zeh for damages to his automobile as the result of negligence of a state employee\$ 62.45

Sec. 71. To compensate Neil M. Manley, a former member of the National Guard unit at Virginia, Minnesota, for a disabling illness contracted during his attendance at field training camp in the summer of 1949, to be paid to Neil M. Manley as follows: \$4,000 in cash for medical expenses incurred, and \$100 per month for 24 months\$ 6,400.00

The Adjutant General is charged with the duty of delivering the warrants for payment.

Sec. 72. To compensate Louis Boucher for disability suffered by reason of his contracting tuberculosis while employed at the Feeble Minded School at Faribault, to be paid in the following manner: \$90.00 per month for two years, beginning May 1, 1953, such monthly compensation to be paid said Louis Boucher on the first day of each month thereafter. The director of the Division of Public Institutions is hereby charged with the duty of delivering the warrants for payment\$ 2,160.00

Sec. 73. To compensate Robert John Fitzgerald for injuries received while an inmate of the State Prison at Stillwater 960.00

Provided the above sum of \$960 is to be paid to the Director of Public Institutions to be paid by said Director of Public Institutions used for the benefit of said Robert John Fitzgerald.

Sec. 74. To compensate Carl T. Welin and Lillian Welin for the death of their son Arthur C. Welin, on November 14, 1949 while in line of duty as a member of the Minnesota Air National Guard, to be paid to them on the first day of each month on the basis of \$27.00 for 278 weeks for total dependency, or the appropriate percentage thereof determined as hereinafter provided, or as much thereof as may be necessary, but not to exceed \$7,500.

Provided, however, that the attorney general may agree with Carl T. Welin and Lillian Welin on the percentage of their dependency on Arthur C. Welin in the event of their failure to agree thereon with

the attorney general, the state waives immunity from suit solely for the purpose of determining the percentage, if any of the dependency of Carl T. Welin and Lillian Welin on their son, Arthur C. Welin, if such suit is brought within six months from the effective date of this act by service of a summons and complaint upon the attorney general and hereby confers jurisdiction on the district courts to hear and try said suit upon compliance with the conditions set forth above, and that said Carl T. Welin and Lillian Welin agree to reimburse the state for all payments made to them if the United States of America shall compensate them for the death of Arthur C. Welin and that the state payments shall cease when the federal payment is granted as provided for. The Adjutant General is charged with the duty of delivering the warrants for payment.

Sec. 74 $\frac{1}{2}$. To reimburse Elizabeth Anderson for damages to her clothing sustained on the capitol grounds\$ 45.00

Sec. 75. To compensate Robert Mayberry for disability resulting from arthritis incurred from exposure as an employee of the Division of Forestry, the sum of \$500 forthwith and \$100 each month, payable on the first day of each month, starting May 1, 1953, while such disability continues. Provided, however, (1) that said sum shall not be paid while he is paid a salary as a state employee; an amount sufficient to make the payments hereinbefore provided for is hereby appropriated.

Sec. 75 $\frac{1}{2}$. To reimburse Clearwater County for attorney fees paid in retaining counsel to assist in the prosecution of Oscar Miller for first degree murder. This was necessary due to the fact that the county attorney was disqualified because of his being a witness and also, that the attorney general was unable to furnish assistance\$ 2,000.00

Sec. 76. Subdivision 1. The attorney general and the commissioner of highways are directed and empowered to settle all of the claims hereinafter set forth in an amount not exceeding the sum hereinafter specified, and to procure releases to be approved by the attorney general as to form and execution so as to secure to the state of Minnesota complete release from all claims resulting directly or indirectly from the maintenance and operation of the Lac qui Parle Flood control project resulting in flooding of or damage to public roads

situated within the Lac qui Parle flood control reservoir and lying below the 945 contour line project datum. The claimants, nature, and the maximum amount of the several claims are:

Lake Shore Township, Lac qui Parle County, the sum of	\$ 24,000
Lake Shore and Agassiz Townships, Lac qui Parle County, the sum of	6,000
Ackron Township, Big Stone County, the sum of	54,000
The County of Lac qui Parle for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the Lac qui Parle river known as the Hagen Bridge and constituting a part of State Aid Parkway No. 10, the sum of	80,000
Kragero Township, Chippewa County, the sum of	60,000

Subd. 2. The several amounts of money necessary to pay each of the above claims in the amount for which the respective claims may be compromised and settled as provided above are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Lac qui Parle and Big Stone Lake Water Control Projects Fund, or any moneys hereafter accruing to said fund not otherwise appropriated; provided, that in the event that contributions are made from any other source to aid in the construction, reconstruction or improvement of the roads or bridge of the above claimants for which this appropriation is made, the amount of each of the above claims as finally compromised and settled shall be reduced in the amount of such contribution.

Subd. 3. On recommendation of the commissioner of conservation, with the approval of the governor, after consultation with the legislative advisory committee, there shall be transferred to said Lac qui Parle and Big Stone Lake Water Control Projects Fund out of any moneys in the game and fish fund in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for specific purposes a sufficient sum to replenish said projects fund to the extent of the amounts paid therefrom as hereinbefore provided, which sum so transferred shall be available for the purposes set forth in Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 84.154, only to the extent of improvement of conditions for game and fish, and the moneys necessary for such transfer and the purposes aforesaid are hereby appropriated.

Sec. 77. Each claim hereinafter set forth is hereby referred to the claims commission, if one is created by an act enacted by the current session of the legislature which, unless the claim is barred by some other provision of this act, shall have jurisdiction over it:

Claim of Gerald Lunz for damages resulting from a collision with a car driven by a person being pursued by a state highway patrolman	\$25,000.00
Claim of Mrs. Esther Wongstrom for damages resulting from raising a highway culvert by the state highway department	3,103.50
Claim of Peter and Edward Romanik for damages resulting from raising a highway culvert by the state highway department	3,896.00
Claim of George N. Sycks for damages resulting from construction on Trunk Highway No. 87	1,000.00
Claim of Henry J. Morlock for damages for rebuilding a retaining wall resulting from changing course of creek by construction of a state highway	2,490.46
Claim of Peter J. Schmitt for damages for rebuilding a retaining wall resulting from changing course of creek by construction of a state highway	8,000.00
Claim of Frank Ruppert and Herman Patterson for damages for rebuilding a retaining wall resulting from changing course of creek by construction of a state highway	3,506.56
Claim of Anthony F. Wagner, husband, and Terrence Wagner and Michael E. Coss, children of Caroline L. Wagner for damages for her death resulting from faulty construction and maintenance of state highway	17,500.00
Claim of Anthony F. Wagner for damages resulting from personal injuries due to faulty construction and maintenance of highway department	10,000.00
Claims of the persons hereinafter named in the amounts set opposite their respective names for damages sustained to real and personal property owned by claimants, including crops and pasture land damaged on July 6, 1947, by flood waters due to the breaking of Flandreau Park Dam through negligence of state employees:	
Leonard Pries	\$ 1,536.00
Robert D. Johnson	4,168.00
Fred W. Arneman and George W. Arneman	13,372.90
Willard Goodell	5,610.50

A. F. Bode	6,840.00
Walter W. Braun	4,964.00
Fred D. Wilking and Edward Wilking	6,954.00
Lawrence Reinhart	1,520.00
Ruben Kratzke	3,038.00
Alma Johnson	2,502.80
Bennie E. Gilbertson	2,029.00
Mathew C. Smith	2,831.60
Floyd Davis and Gernard S. Davis	7,128.80
Sylvester Smith	1,816.40
Gustaf A. Peterson	2,240.00
George H. Smith	2,286.50
Robert Smith	1,036.00
Ovald J. Smith	3,628.80
Henry H. Ulmen	5,798.80
Arno Geisthardt	3,260.50
William Geisthardt	15,536.00
Floyd Edwards	704.20
William Zehnder	2,568.20
Lloyd Pettersen	2,060.00
Clarence Deopere	1,745.00
Andrew Hippert	978.50
Dan W. Harris	5,576.76
Fred D. Mueller	\$ 3,497.90
Harold Campbell	7,004.00
Chester Anderson	12,658.00
Alfred B. Seppman	16,259.60
Claim of Phillip D. Sonnek, for damage to his land caused by flood waters from a water course	2,400.00
Claim of Joseph Sonnek, for damage to his land caused by flood waters from a water course	750.00

Claim of David D. Sonnek, for damage to his land caused by flood waters from a water course	1,250.00
Claim of the Township of Lura, in Faribault County, for repairing a road due to flood damage	299.80
Claim of the Township of Minnesota Lake, in Faribault County, for repairing a road due to flood damage	294.00
Armin Current	5,526.56
Claim of Clarice June Beck, a minor, for damages for the loss of her left leg by reason of an injury sustained while a patient at Gillette State Hospital as a result of negligence of State employees	10,000.00
Claim of L. K. Erickson, St. Paul, for payment of salary that claimant would have been able to earn from October, 1925 to February, 1929 and from October 1943, to the present time had not the claimant's health been impaired because of poor working conditions while employed by the State of Minnesota	16,627.50
Claim of Etta G. Morisse for damages resulting from injuries suffered while on property owned by the state	5,000.00
Claim of Olive Tollefson Lee, formerly Olive Tollefson, for damages resulting from the arrest and detention and expense incurred through obtaining her release from custody after establishing an error on the part of the chemist employed by the Minnesota State Bureau of Criminal Apprehension	26,000.00
Claim of Frances B. Seward of Minneapolis, for damages for personal injuries arising out of alleged tort of an officer or employee of the State of Minnesota	10,000.00
Claim of Hjalmar Skoglund to compensate him for the death of his son, Lloyd Skoglund, which engaged in work assigned him, as an employee of the trunk highway department	7,500.00
\$1,000 to reimburse Verne Kragness for expenses incurred in his appeal to the pardon board from a conviction based on perjured testimony.	
Claim of Arthur Tomlinson, a state game warden, to compensate him for lost salary and expenses sustained during a period of unwarranted suspension from service	\$ 736.00

Claim of Harold C. Combs of the Town of Minnetonka, in Hennepin County, to compensate him for injuries received while confined in the State Reformatory at St. Cloud	5,000.00
Claim of Victor Bartl for damages due to the breaking of the dam in Flandreau State Park	\$70,000.00
Claim of William Personious for damages sustained by reason of harmful publicity given him by Division of Hotel and Resort Inspection	\$ 1,000.00
Claim of Minnesota Power and Light Company for electric service furnished Ah-Gwah-Ching	\$ 4,496.16
Claim of Robert Howard Clemetson or his guardian for the loss of a leg through negligence of state employees	\$ 6,000.00
Claim of Leonard Hankins to compensate him for damages and expenses incurred resulting from arrest, conviction, confinement in State Prison	
Claim of the City of Detroit Lakes for monies expended in defending the city against losses for alleged pollution by the city of public water of the state	\$31,072.16
Sec. 78. To reimburse the City of Bemidji for expenses incurred in improving state property	\$ 2,054.80
Sec. 79. To reimburse the State Teacher's College at St. Cloud for expenses incurred in improving state property	\$ 638.05
Sec. 80. To Francis Soderholm to reimburse him for the death of 23 pigs caused by feeding decayed fish furnished by the Department of Game and Fish. His claim to be paid out of Game and Fish funds.	\$ 706.99
Sec. 81. To reimburse the various counties for wolf, lynx or bobcat, and fox bounties for animals killed between April 22, 1951, and June 30, 1953, inclusive, on the basis provided by Laws 1953, Chapter 334, except that if the following appropriation is insufficient for payment on said basis, then reimbursement is to be made on a pro rata basis, all as determined by the State Auditor, two-thirds out of the Game and Fish Fund and one-third out of the General Revenue Fund, which payments shall be payment in full	\$40,000.00

Provided, that this appropriation shall be in addition to the appropriations made by Laws 1951, Chapter 704, Section 7, Item 10, for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1952, and June 30, 1953, the full amount of which, including any unexpended balances, shall be available as therein provided.

Sec. 82. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 24, 1953.

CHAPTER 747—H. F. No. 1938

An act relating to the classification of real estate used for the purposes of a homestead, amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 273.13, Subdivisions 6 and 7, as amended by Laws 1953, Chapter 358.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 273.13, Subdivision 6, as amended by Laws 1953, Chapter 358, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. Class 3b. All real estate which is rural in character and devoted or adaptable to rural but not necessarily agricultural use, except as provided by class one hereof, and which is used for the purposes of a homestead, shall constitute class three "b" and shall be valued and assessed at 20 per cent of the full and true value thereof. If the full and true value is in excess of the sum of \$4,000, the amount in excess of that sum shall be valued and assessed as provided for by class 3. *The first \$4,000 full and true value of each tract of real estate which is rural in character and devoted or adaptable to rural but not necessarily agricultural use, used for the purpose of a homestead shall be exempt from taxation for state purposes; except that the first \$4,000 full and true value shall remain subject to and be taxed (1) for the purpose of raising funds for the discharge of any and all state indebtedness incurred prior to and existing at the time of the passage of this section, and (2) for the purpose of raising funds for the discharge of any and all state indebtedness incurred prior to and existing at the time of passage of this act under a law which subjects such real estate to taxation notwithstanding the provisions of this subdivision.*

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 273.13, Subdivision 7, is amended to read: