CHAPTER 116-H. F. No. 887.

An Act permitting counties to appropriate money to prevent the spread of tuberculosis in this State.

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

County board to authorize expenditures for controlling the spread of tuberculosis.—Section 1. In case any town, district or county anti-tuberculosis society or association or other society or association organized and existing for the purpose of controlling the spread of tuberculosis in this state considers it necessary to secure the services of visiting nurse or nurses or to disinfect any building, room, residence, hotel or other place in such county infected with tuberculosis, such society shall report such fact to the county board and shall in such report recommend the course of action advisable to be adopted by the county board in relation thereto and in accordance with the provisions of this act, and such county board shall at the next meeting of such board consider such report and recommendation and act on the same, and such county board is authorized and empowered to audit and allow bills for services rendered in carrying into effect the action of such board in relation thereto.

Money to be appropriated out of general revenue fund.—Sec. 2. The county boards of the several counties of this state may appropriate money out of the general revenue fund of the county for the purpose of paying for the services of visiting nurses or other necessary medical attention or advice in preventing the spread of tuberculosis in such county or for the purpose of disinfecting any building, room, residence, hotel or other place in such county infected with tuberculosis.

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CHAPTER 117-S. F. No. 629.

An Act to authorize cities in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of more than 50,000 inhabitants not being a city organized and existing pursuant to Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution to issue and sell bonds in aid of the construction of public high school buildings and for acquiring suitable sites and grounds therefor.

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

\$800,000 school bonds authorized.—Section 1. Any city of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants, and the city council or common coun-

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cil thereof, are hereby authorized and empowered, by ordinance or resolution duly passed by an affirmative vote of not less than three-fifths of all members elect of such city council or common council, to issue and sell not exceeding eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000.00) par value in and of the bonds of such city, the proceeds thereof to be used to aid in defraying the cost and expense of constructing public high school buildings in such city, and for acquiring suitable sites and grounds therefor.

Regardless of other limitations.—Sec. 2. The bonds authorized by section one of this act, or any portion thereof, may be issued and sold by any such city, notwithstanding any limitation contained in the charter of said city or in any law of this state, prescribing or fixing any limit upon the bonded indebtedness of such city, but the full faith and credit of any such city shall at all times be pledged for the payment of any bonds issued under this act and for the current interest thereon, and the city council or common council of such city shall each year include in the tax levy for such city a sufficient amount to provide for the payment of such interest and for the accumulation of a sinking fund for the redemption of such bonds at their maturity.

To run 30 years at 4 per cent—how issued.—Sec. 3. No bonds shall be issued by any such city for the purpose hereinabove mentioned to run for a longer period than thirty years or bearing a higher rate of interest than four per cent per annum, but the place of payment of the principal and interest thereof and the denominations in which the same shall be issued shall be such as may be determined upon by the city council or common council, and may be in the form of coupon bonds or registered certificates, so-called.

All such bonds shall be signed by the mayor, attested by the city clerk and countersigned by the city comptroller, and shall be sealed with the seal of such city except that the signatures to the coupons attached to such bonds, if any, may be lithographed thereon, and such bonds may be sold at not less than ninety-five per cent of their par value and accrued interest, and then only to the highest responsible bidder therefor.

Application.—Sec. 4. This act shall not apply to any city created and existing pursuant to section 36 of article 4 of the state constitution.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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