

act shall not apply to counties having a population of more than *two hundred twenty-five thousand. (225,000).*

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 20, 1921.

CHAPTER 410—S. F. No. 939.

An act to authorize in certain cases county boards and county Tuberculosis Sanatorium Commissions to cease the operation and maintenance of County Tuberculosis Sanatoriums and to provide for the sale of the property connected with the same.

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

Section 1 **County boards may discontinue operation of tuberculosis sanatorium in certain cases.**—Whenever in the judgment of all of the members of the county board of any county now having a population of not less than forty-five thousand inhabitants and not more than sixty-five thousand inhabitants, it is necessary and expedient to cease the operation and maintenance of a tuberculosis sanatorium theretofore established in said county and said judgment shall be concurred in by a majority of the members of the county sanatorium commission of said county, the county board and sanatorium commission are hereby authorized to cease the operation and maintenance of said sanatorium, and said county board is hereby authorized to sell the real and personal property belonging to said county and connected with said sanatorium and to make good and valid conveyances thereof. The proceeds derived from such sale shall be divided equally between said county and the state of Minnesota. The county's portion of such proceeds shall be set aside as a fund to be used under the direction of the Board of County Commissioners, either (1) to establish and maintain a tuberculosis sanatorium jointly with two or more counties, or (2) to otherwise assist in the treatment and care of tuberculosis patients of such county. The state's portion of such proceeds shall be deposited with the state treasurer and be credited to the state advisory commission for the construction and maintenance of county sanatoriums.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 20, 1921.

CHAPTER 411—S. F. No. 897.

An act creating the Minnesota General Hospital, relating to the acceptance and treatment of county and state patients and other