An act relating to minimum salaries of county attorneys.

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

Section 1. County attorneys; compensation schedule. The County Attorneys in all counties of this State with a population of less than 50,000 inhabitants, shall receive as compensation for services rendered by them for their respective counties annual salaries to be fixed by the county board. Provided, however, that the minimum annual salary of the County Attorney in all counties of this State with a population of less than 50,000 inhabitants shall be based on the populations according to the then last preceding state or federal census as follows:

(a) In counties with a population of less than 6,000 inhabitants $1,300;
(b) In counties with a population of 6,000 but less than 12,000 inhabitants $1,500;
(c) In counties with a population of 12,000 but less than 16,000 inhabitants $1,800;
(d) In counties with a population of 16,000 but less than 22,000 inhabitants $2,200;
(e) In counties with a population of 22,000 but less than 30,000 inhabitants $2,500;
(f) In counties with a population of 30,000 but less than 50,000 inhabitants $2,700;
(g) The annual salary of the county attorney shall be paid in 12 equal monthly installments upon the warrant of the county auditor drawn on the county revenue fund.

Sec. 2. Additional compensation. No County Attorney shall hereafter be entitled to additional compensation under the provisions of Laws of 1943, Chapter 597.

Sec. 3. Implied repeals. All acts or parts of acts, which relate to salaries of County Attorneys, are hereby repealed insofar as they are inconsistent with this act.

Sec. 4. Validated. The salary heretofore paid any County Attorney under the provisions of any existing law which may be found to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, by a court of competent jurisdiction, is hereby legalized and made valid.
Sec. 5. Severable. If any part, section or provision of this act shall be found to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not invalidate the remainder of the act.

Sec. 6. Effective date. The provisions of this act shall take effect as of May 1, 1945.

Approved April 23, 1945.

CHAPTER 526—S. F. No. 709

An act relating to salaries of county commissioners in certain counties.

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

Section 1. County commissioners in certain counties; salary schedule. The county commissioners, in all counties of the state with a population of less than 50,000 inhabitants and in all counties having a population of 60,000 and less than 100,000, shall receive as compensation for services rendered by them for their respective counties, annual salaries, based on the population according to the then last preceding state or federal census, the taxable valuation of real and personal property, exclusive of money and credits, as reported in the abstract of tax lists for the preceding year, and the number of full or fractional townships, as follows:

(a) In counties with a population of less than 6,500 inhabitants $300 and $50 for each $1,000,000 taxable valuation or major fraction thereof, and $5.00 for each full or fractional congressional township, with the aggregate not to exceed $500;

(b) In counties with a population of 6,500 but less than 12,000 inhabitants $250 and $50 for each $1,000,000 taxable valuation or major fraction thereof, and $5.00 for each full or fractional congressional township, with the aggregate not to exceed $550;

(c) In counties with a population of 12,000 but less than 16,000 inhabitants $200 and $50 for each $1,000,000 taxable valuation or major fraction thereof, and $5.00 for each full or fractional congressional township, with the aggregate not to exceed $700;