Sec. 2. [Subd. 2.] The service allowance provided by this act shall be paid from and after July 1, 1957, to all former members qualifying, together with the equivalent of four percent of the amount due hereunder. In the event of death, for the period prior thereto, payment shall be made to the designated beneficiary, or, if there be none, to the representative of the estate of the former member.

Sec. 3. [Subd. 3.] The moneys necessary for the payment provided for in this act are hereby appropriated from the state employees retirement fund; and the state employees retirement board shall administer this act, ascertain the person qualifying for the benefits provided herein, and make payments as authorized.

Approved March 25, 1959.

CHAPTER 125-S. F. No. 46

An act relating to the use of portions of county sanatoriums for care and treatment of non-tuberculous patients; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 376.423.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 376.423 is amended to read:

376.423 Non-tuberculous patients. When any building, or unit, or other part of any sanatorium established under Minnesota Statutes, Sections 376.28 to 376.42, is not needed for the care of persons infected with tubercle bacillus, the county sanatorium commission may, with the consent and approval of the commissioner of public welfare, state board of health and the county board of the county or counties maintaining the sanatorium, use such building, unit, or other part of such sanatorium for the care of persons afflicted with a malady, deformity, or ailment other than tuberculosis, whether chronically ill or otherwise, and of a nature which can probably be remedied by hospital care, service and treatment.

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