sidered, and the one most favorable to the county accepted, but the county board shall reserve the right, in the interest of the county, to reject any or all proposals. Sales of personal property the value of which is estimated to exceed \$500 shall be made only after first advertising for bids or proposals as herein provided for real estate. Sales of personal property the value of which is estimated to be less than \$500 may be made either on competitive bids or in the open market, in the discretion of the county board. Provided, further, that in no case shall any such lands be disposed of without there being reserved to the county any and all iron ore and other valuable minerals in and upon the same, with right to explore for, mine and remove the same, nor shall such minerals and mineral rights be disposed of, either before or after disposition of the surface rights, otherwise than by mining lease, in similar general form to that provided by section 93.20 for mining leases affecting state lands. such lease to be for a term not exceeding 50 years, and to be issued on a royalty basis, royalty to be not less than 25 cents per ton of 2,240 pounds, and to fix a minimum amount of royalty payable during each year, whether mineral is removed or not; provided, further, prospecting options for such mining leases may be granted for periods not exceeding one year, such options to require, among other things, periodical showings to the county board of the results of exploration work done;

(4) To make all contracts and do all other acts in relation to the property and concerns of the county necessary to the exercise of its corporate powers.

Approved March 3, 1965.

CHAPTER 57—H. F. No. 677

An act appropriating money for the state compensation revolving fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 176.611, Subdivision 5, as amended.

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

- Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 176.611, Subdivision 5, as amended by Laws 1963, Chapter 551, Section 1, is amended to read:
- Subd. 5. Workmen's compensation; appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the general revenue fund in the state treas-

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ury to the state compensation revolving fund the sum of \$350,000 to be used in connection with the payment of workmen's compensation claims of employees of the state, which, with the sum of \$74,013.12 heretofore appropriated from the trunk highway fund of the department of highways in the state treasury to the state compensation revolving fund to be used in connection with the payment of workmen's compensation claims of employees of the department of highways together with \$575,986.88 \$925,986.88 heretofore appropriated totals \$1,000,000 \$1,350,000, the latter sum to constitute the state compensation revolving fund and to be used and maintained as herein provided.

Sec. 2. This act is in effect from and after its final enactment.

Approved March 3, 1965.

CHAPTER 58—H. F. No. 727

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An act relating to the operations of the state government and appropriating moneys therefor.

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

- Section 1. Operation of state government; deficiency appropriation. Subdivision 1. The sums of money hereinafter set forth are hereby appropriated out of the general revenue fund in the state treasury, or any other fund hereinafter designated, to the state departments or agencies herein named and for the purposes stated, to be expended during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965:
- Subd. 2. TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WELFARE
 - a. For Anoka State Hospital, for current expense\$21,000
 - b. For Moose Lake State Hospital for current expense24,000

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