

CHAPTER 408—S. F. No. 105

An act to amend Sections 725 and 726, General Statutes 1923, relating to aid to poor persons afflicted with tuberculosis.

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

Section 1. **Tuberculosis—preventing spread thereof.**—That Section 725, General Statutes 1923, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"725. In case any town, district or county anti-tuberculosis society or association *or county sanatorium commission* 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 or to care for, support, or maintain poor persons afflicted with tuberculosis, such society shall report such fact to *the county sanatorium commission, if there be one in the county, otherwise to the county board*, and shall in such report recommend the course of action advisable to be adopted by *the county sanatorium commission or county board* in relation thereto and in accordance with the provisions of this act, and such *commission or county board* shall at the next meeting of such *commission or board* consider such report and recommendation and act on the same, and such *commission or 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."

Sec. 2. **Same—appropriation.**—That Section 726, General Statutes 1923, be amended to read as follows:

"726. The county boards of the several counties of this state may appropriate money out of the general revenue fund of the county *or the county sanatorium commissions may appropriate money out of their funds* for the purpose of paying for the services of visiting nurses or other medical attention or advice in preventing the spread of tuberculosis in such county, or for the care, support, and maintenance of poor persons afflicted with tuberculosis, whether the county has the town, county *or commission* system of caring for the poor, or for the purpose of disinfecting any building, room, residence, hotel or other place in such county infected with tuberculosis."

Approved April 23, 1927.

CHAPTER 409—S. F. No. 126

An act to appoint and empower the secretary of the State of Minnesota to act as agent or attorney in fact for any non-resident,

or his agent, using or operating a motor vehicle upon or over the highways of the State of Minnesota, for the service of legal process in an action or proceeding against any such non-resident growing out of such use or operation resulting in damages or loss to person or property.

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

Section 1. **Secretary of State to be agent for service on certain persons.**—The use and operation by a non-resident or his agent of a motor vehicle upon and over the highways of the State of Minnesota, shall be deemed an appointment by such non-resident of the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota, to be his true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served in all legal processes in any action or proceedings against him, growing out of such use or operation of a motor vehicle over the highways of this State, resulting in damages or loss to person or property, and said use or operation shall be a signification of his agreement that any such process in any action against him which is so served, shall be of the same legal force and validity as if served upon him personally. Service of such process shall be made by serving a copy thereof upon the Secretary of State or by filing such copy in his office, together with payment of a fee of \$2.00, and such service shall be sufficient service upon the said non-resident; provided, that notice of such service and a copy of the process are within ten days thereafter sent by mail by the plaintiff to the defendant at his last known address and that the plaintiff's affidavit of compliance with the provisions of this act are attached to the summons. The court in which the action is pending may order such continuances as may be necessary to afford the defendant reasonable opportunity to defend any such action, not exceeding ninety days from the date of the filing of the action in such court. The fee of two dollars paid by the plaintiff to the Secretary of State at the time of service of such proceeding shall be taxed in his costs if he prevails in the suit. The said Secretary of State shall keep a record of all such processes so served which shall show the day and hour of such service.

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

Approved April 23, 1927.

CHAPTER 410—S. F. No. 488

An act to amend Sections 9 and 13 of Chapter 34 of Special Laws of 1889 entitled "An act to consolidate and amend several