

city taxes, and shall be equally binding upon persons and property.

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

Approved February 28, 1866.

CHAPTER XLIII.

February 28, 1866 *An act to amend an act entitled "An act to organize a Board of Education for the City of Owatonna," approved February 23d, 1865.*

SECTION 1. Amends the organization act of the Board of Education for the City of Owatonna by giving power to levy special tax, subject to decision of legal voters at annual or special meeting, for school purposes.

2. When act to take effect.

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

Tax to be levied. SECTION 1. That section eight of an act entitled "An act to organize a board of education for the city of Owatonna," approved February 23d, 1865, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. For the purpose of building a school house or school houses, and for the purpose of continuing school for a longer term than six months, the legal voters of said district, at the annual meeting, or at a special meeting called for that purpose, may by a majority, vote an amount to be raised by tax, on the taxable property of such district, sufficient for the purpose so specified, not exceeding one thousand dollars in any one year, such tax to be levied and collected as other taxes are levied and collected in said county. The notice for such meeting shall state the

amount to be raised at that time, and there shall be but one tax voted by the people in any one year.

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

Approved February 28, 1866.

CHAPTER XLIV.

An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act relative to the free schools in the city of Saint Paul." February 12, 1866

SECTION 1. Amends act in reference to free schools in St. Paul by leaving the amount of tax to be levied discretionary with Common Council.

2. When act to take effect.

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

SEC. 1. The proviso of section eleven of an act entitled "an act relative to the free schools in the city of St. Paul," approved on the twenty-sixth day of February, A. D. 1857, and as amended on the fifteenth day of February, 1862, which is in the following words: "Provided, That the levy of such tax shall in no one year exceed one mill on the dollar of the property on said assessment roll," is hereby repealed, and the rate of tax for the purpose contemplated in said section eleven is to be in the discretion of the common council of said city, any provision in the charter of the city of Saint Paul, to the contrary notwithstanding. Limits taxation.

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

Approved February 12, 1866.