

Sec. 21. The clerk of the district shall furnish to the county auditor on or before the fifteenth (15th) of September, in each year, an attested copy of his record, stating the amount of money voted to be raised by the district for school purposes at any annual or special meeting; also a list of the names of all persons and corporations liable to pay a school tax in his district.

Clerk to furnish county auditor attested copy of his record—when.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

When act to take effect.

Approved March 2, 1868.

## CHAPTER XI.

*An Act to amend Section Five, Title One, of Chapter Thirty-Six of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota, Relating to Common Schools.*

March 6, 1868.

SECTION 1. Amendment to Section 5, Title 1, Chapter 36. County Commissioners may create new school districts when petitioned by a majority of legal voters—when boundary may be changed upon the petition of any legal voter—any five persons feeling aggrieved by the alteration may apply for a re-hearing—how to proceed when district consists of territory in two or more counties.

2. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That section five, title one, of chapter thirty-six of the general statutes of the state of Minnesota, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 5. The county commissioners of the several counties of the state may create new school districts, change the boundaries of districts, or unite two or more districts, whenever a petition signed by a majority of the legal voters of the territory to be affected thereby is presented

New school districts may be created—when.

to them requesting such organization or change. But in creating school districts the county commissioners shall confine each district to its own town as far as practicable; *Provided*; That upon a petition of any legal voter to said commissioners stating that it is the desire of the petitioner to be set off from the district in which he then is to some district adjoining the same, which petition shall show that the petitioner is a resident of and a freeholder in the district from which he desires to be set off, and also the reason for the same, which petition shall be verified by the oath of the petitioner to the effect that the statements therein contained are true to the best knowledge and belief of the party making the same; then said commissioners may change the boundaries of the district in which said petitioner then resides, so as to set him off in some other district adjoining the same whenever it shall seem just and proper to do so; *Provided, also*, That any five or more voters residing in the district who may feel aggrieved by the alteration, change, or organization of their district, may apply to the county commissioners for a rehearing at the succeeding session thereafter by posting a notice of such application in three conspicuous places in the district, at least ten days before said session, on due proof of which said commissioners shall then consider the complaint and make such order in the premises as justice requires; *Provided further*, That when the district so to be formed or altered consists of territory in two or more counties the aforesaid petition shall be presented to the commissioners of said counties, who shall cause the order for the formation or alteration of such district to be filed in the office of the county auditors of their respective counties, and said auditors shall deliver a copy of such order to the clerk of the district. When a tax is voted by such district the clerk shall transmit to the county auditor of each of the counties a statement of the amount so voted. The said auditors shall thereupon transmit each to the other an abstract of the assessment in that part of the district in their respective counties, and shall levy the amount required in proportion to the amount of property in that part of the district situated in their respective counties. The money arising from such assessment shall be drawn by the district treasurer from the county treasurer of each county in which the district is situated. The number of scholars in each fraction of the district shall be returned to the auditor of the county in which said por-

Boundary may be changed upon petition of any legal voter.

Parties aggrieved how to proceed.

When district consists of territory in two or more counties how to proceed.

tion of the district is situated, and all moneys apportioned shall be drawn by the district in the same manner as when the district is in one county.

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

When act to take effect.;

Approved March 6, 1868.

## CHAPTER XII.

*An Act to amend Section Twenty, of Chapter Thirty-Six, of the General Statutes, Relating to Common Schools, as amended by an act of the Legislature, Approved March Second, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-Eight.*

March 6, 1868.

- SECTION 1. Amendment to Section 20, Chapter 36. [Strike out " And one-half mill."  
2. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That section twenty, of chapter thirty-six, of the general statutes, relating to common schools, as amended by an act of the legislature, approved March second, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, be amended by striking out the following words in the last line of said section, to wit: " And one-half mill."

Strike out " and one-half mill."

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

When act to take effect.

Approved March 6, 1868.