

years" where they occur in said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "five years."

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

Approved February 24, 1876.

CHAPTER CCXIX.

AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHOOL CENSUS REPORT OF THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL, IN THE COUNTY OF RAMSEY, AND STATE OF MINNESOTA.

WHEREAS, The board of education of the city of Saint Paul, reported 14,982 persons of school age resident in said city, on the 30th day of September, 1875; and,

WHEREAS, The census report of the city assessor of Said Paul, more recently made, shows only 12,251 persons of school age resident therein, or 2,731 less than the number reported by the board of education; and,

WHEREAS, The number reported by the city assessor is believed to be more nearly the correct number than that reported by the said board of education; therefore,

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

That the superintendent of public instruction, be and he is hereby instructed, to accept the number 12,251 as reported by the city assessor, and apportion the public school fund to the city of Saint Paul, for the year 1876, upon that basis.

Approved March 6, 1876.

CHAPTER CCXX.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF ADELE GUERIN OF THE CITY OF ST. PAUL.

WHEREAS, Vetal Guerin during his life-time donated to the county of Ramsey the block of lots known as the court house square, for public use; and

WHEREAS, Adele Guerin, widow of the said Vetal Guerin, claims to have an equitable right of dower in said block aforesaid; now, therefore

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

SECTION 1. That the county commissioners of Ramsey county are hereby authorized to pay Adele Guerin annually during her life-time, in monthly payments, the interest on five thousand dollars, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, said payment to commence whenever and as soon as the said Adele Guerin shall execute and deliver to the county of Ramsey a quit-claim deed of the property known as the court house square, viz; block twenty of the original town of St. Paul.

SEC. 2. This act to be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 25, 1876.

CHAPTER CCXXI.

AN ACT TO DEFINE AND IDENTIFY THE OFFICIAL PLAT OF BANNING AND OLIVER'S ADDITION TO WEST ST. PAUL, NOW IN THE COUNTY OF RAMSEY, AND STATE OF MINNESOTA, AND TO LEGALIZE CONVEYANCES THEREIN.

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

SECTION 1. All real estate conveyed by deeds or mortgages, or affected by other legal instruments, situated in blocks numbered one (1) to fourteen (14) both inclusive; in blocks numbered sixteen (16) to twenty-two (22) both inclusive, and in or comprising lots marked "C" and "D" which may have heretofore been designated in such conveyances or instruments and recorded as in Banning and Oliver's Addition to West St. Paul according to the plat thereof recorded in the office of the register of deeds in Ramsey county, in book "N" of town plats, on page 13, shall be construed as of and deemed to be in Oliver's Addition to West St. Paul, which said addition is laid out upon and covers part of lots two (2) and three (3) of section seven (7) in township twenty-eight (28), range twenty-two (22) west, but which is erroneously designated and recorded as laid out upon a portion of lots six (6) and seven (7) of said section seven in the town and range aforesaid. And all such conveyance of and instruments affecting said real estate are hereby legalized, and shall have the same force and effect as if they had designated such real estate as situated in said "Oliver's Addition to West St. Paul."

SEC. 2. All real estate heretofore conveyed or affected, or which shall hereafter be conveyed or affected by deeds, mortgages or other