

SEC. 3. All applications for aid shall be made to the board of supervisors of each town or the village council of each village as the case may be, and upon a proper case being made out for aid to care for the poor persons or paupers, the supervisors or village council or a majority of them, shall order such sum of money or other things as they may deem best, to be paid to such poor person or pauper at such time and manner as may be deemed necessary.

SEC. 4. The general laws of the state as to the residence of poor persons in order to obtain aid from counties shall apply to townships and villages in Pope county, and the rule as to residence in the county shall apply to residence of poor in towns and villages.

SEC. 5. The township board of supervisors and the village council of any incorporated village in said Pope county shall be superintendents of the poor in their respective townships and villages, and take charge of such paupers to the exclusion of the county commissioners of said county of Pope.

SEC. 6. After the next settlement between the auditor and treasurer of said Pope county, and after each settlement thereafter, so long as may be necessary, said auditor shall draw his warrants on said treasurer for the amount hereafter collected from the taxable property in said towns and villages, and in each of said towns and villages heretofore levied by the commissioners of said county for the support of the poor. Said warrants shall be payable to the order of the town or village treasurer entitled thereto, and the amounts of money paid thereon shall constitute a poor fund for said town or village.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved January 18, 1887.

CHAPTER 253.

[H. F. No. 101.]

AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT AUTHORIZING AND EMPOWERING THE TOWN OF LONG PRAIRIE, IN TODD COUNTY, MINNESOTA, TO LEVY A SPECIAL TAX TO PAY ITS FLOATING INDEBTEDNESS."

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

SECTION 1. That the town of Long Prairie, in Todd county, Minnesota, is hereby authorized and empowered, at any regular or special town meeting held in said town, to levy a special tax of four (4) mills upon each dollar of the taxable property of said town, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887), for the purpose of raising funds to pay the floating indebtedness of said town. *Provided,*

no such tax levy shall be made unless a majority of the electors of said town, who are present and voting at said meeting, shall vote in favor of making the same.

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

Approved January 29th, 1887.

CHAPTER 254.

[H. F. No. 429]

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF POPE COUNTY TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO THE POPE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

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

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of Pope county is hereby authorized to appropriate such sum or sums of money out of the revenue fund of said county to the Pope County Agricultural Society, as they may deem proper, to aid said society in the purchase of fair grounds, paying of premiums and other necessary expenses. *Provided*, that no part of such money so appropriated shall be used in the payment of compensation to any of the officers of said society, nor the payment of premiums for horse-racing.

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

Approved March 3d, 1887.

CHAPTER 255.

[H. F. No. 260].

AN ACT AUTHORIZING AND REQUIRING EACH TOWNSHIP IN WADENA COUNTY TO SUPPORT ITS OWN POOR.

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

SECTION 1. That each township in the county of Wadena, shall support all the poor persons in the town, and the board of supervisors of each town in said county shall have entire and exclusive superintendence of the poor of their respective towns.

SEC. 2. The electors of each town in said county shall at their annual town meetings in each year, vote to raise such sum of money for the support of the poor as they may deem expedient, which facts