

SEC. 26. No school inspector shall directly or indirectly be a party to, or interested or concerned in, any contract or job with the said board of education, or in any work, merchandise, or in the supplying of any books or supplies, done or furnished for the use of said board of education, or the public schools of the city of Saint Paul; and any contract or transaction prohibited aforesaid shall be void, and all moneys which may be paid thereon, by said board, may be recovered back, and the office of any such school inspector so offending shall become thereby vacant.

SEC. 27. The said board of education shall be the judge of the qualifications of its members, and shall have power by a vote of two-thirds ( $\frac{2}{3}$ ) of the members of the board elect to declare the seat of any school inspector vacant, for violation of any of the provisions of this act, or in case of non-residence of any school inspector in the district for which he was elected, or absence from three consecutive regular meetings, or for other good sufficient cause, on fifteen days' notice and hearing; all such vacancies shall be filled as hereinbefore provided. Said board shall have the authority to administer oaths, and power to send for persons and papers.

SEC. 28. All acts or parts of acts, so far as they relate to the board of education of the city of Saint Paul, inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed, and the general laws of the state, so far as the same require the election of district town school trustees, shall not apply to the said city of Saint Paul; but no such repeal shall supersede any inspector heretofore elected, or other officers of said board heretofore elected or appointed, or affect any contracts, bonds, actions, proceedings, made; issued or had by the said board.

SEC. 29. This act shall be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 26th, A. D. 1887.

## CHAPTER 89.

[S. F. No. 203.]

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER THIRTY-SIX (36) OF THE LAWS OF MINNESOTA, APPROVED MARCH (4TH), ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND FIFTY FOUR (1854), BEING AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE MINNESOTA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY, AND ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

SECTION 1. That section eight (8) of the act to incorporate the Minnesota Central University, passed by the legislative assembly of the Territory and approved March fourth (4th), eighteen hundred and fifty-four (1854), as said section is amended by section six (6) of chapter sixty-nine (69) of the special laws of the State of Min-

nesota for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight (1878), be and the same is hereby amended by striking from said section the following words, to-wit: "Vacancies by resignation or otherwise shall be filled by the board."

SEC. 2. That section ten (10) of said act of March fourth (4th), eighteen hundred and fifty-four (1854), be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 10. This institution shall forever be under the patronage of the Minnesota Baptist State Convention, which convention shall, at its annual meeting, fill all vacancies in the board of trustees caused by the expiration of the term of office of any of said board, or by death, resignation, removal from the state or otherwise, and shall have power to remove any trustee from said board. Said convention shall also, at said annual meeting, elect three (3) suitable persons who shall be known as a board of visitors to said academy, whose duty it shall be to attend the examination of students, look after the condition of the institution and report to the next annual meeting of the Minnesota Baptist State Convention.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

Approved February 5, 1887.

## CHAPTER 90.

(S. F. No. 468.)

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN (215) SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878), ENTITLED AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT MAKING PAUPERS A TOWN CHARGE IN THE COUNTY OF WRIGHT.

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

SECTION 1. That section five (5) of chapter two hundred and fifteen (215) of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878) be amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the following words: "And the village council of the several incorporated villages of said Wright county shall, by virtue of their office, have the care, custody and the superintendence of the poor in their respective villages.

SEC. 2. That all the provisions of said chapter and of each and every section thereof, shall apply with equal force and effect to the several incorporated villages of said county as to the towns thereof.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 25th, 1887.