

county shall not exceed the sum of twelve thousand dollars for all purposes whatsoever, excepting the one mill local school tax and the one mill general school tax, and village taxes; *provided*, should it be found that a sufficient fund is not secured for the purpose of holding a five months' school in each year in any district in such counties from the tax provided for in this act for this purpose, then an additional tax of not to exceed two mills may be levied and collected in such district, but no more; *provided, further*, that any such county may issue county warrants for necessary current expenses, but at no time during the said period of ten years subsequent to the time of the organization of such county shall the outstanding warrants so issued exceed the sum of six thousand dollars, and any warrants issued in excess of such sum shall be void.

Limit of
school dis-
tricts.

SEC. 6. No school district shall be organized in any of said counties with more than twelve sections, which district shall not extend more than four miles in its greatest length or diameter, or having less than twenty children of school age, nor shall any township be organized in any of said counties until it shall be proven to have fifty legal voters.

SEC. 7. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 6, 1897.

H. F. No. 1016

CHAPTER 100.

Funds pay-
able by Co.
treasurer.

An act to amend section fifteen hundred and seventy-seven of the general statutes of 1894, relating to payment of funds by county treasurers.

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

SECTION 1. That section fifteen hundred and seventy-seven of the general statutes of 1894 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Feb., May
and Oct. set-
tlements, how
paid.

Sec. 1577. The county treasurer shall immediately after each settlement in February, May and October, pay over to the treasurer of state or of any municipal corporation or organized township or other body politic, on the order of the county auditor, all moneys received by him arising from taxes levied and collected belonging to the state or to such municipal corporation,

organized township or school district, and deliver up all orders or other evidence of indebtedness of such municipal corporation or other body politic, taking triplicate receipts therefor, one of which shall be filed in the office of the county auditor, and for all moneys at any time paid over to any town, city or school district treasurer, one of which receipts he shall transmit by mail on the day received by him to the clerk or recorder of the town, city or school district to which treasurer the money is paid, which receipt shall be filed and safely kept by such clerk or recorder in his office.

SEC. 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 6, 1897.

CHAPTER 101.

H. F. No. 646.

An act to appropriate money to reimburse Mathias Lellman and George L. Dingman for expenses incurred in contests for a seat in the house of representatives.

Appropriations for legislative contests.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of three hundred and twenty-five (325) dollars be and hereby is appropriated out of the general revenue fund of the state of Minnesota to reimburse Mathias Lellman for expenses incurred by him in a contest for a seat in the house of representatives during the thirtieth (30th) session of the legislature of said state for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

\$325 to Mathias Lellman.

SEC. 2. That the sum of three hundred and twenty-five (325) dollars be and hereby is appropriated out of the general revenue fund of the state of Minnesota to reimburse George L. Dingman for expenses incurred by him in a contest for a seat in the house of representatives during the thirtieth (30th) session of the legislature of said state during the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

\$325 to G. L. Dingman.

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

Approved April 6, 1897.