

8. An order allowing an account of an executor, administrator or guardian, or refusing to allow the same when the amount allowed or disallowed exceeds twenty (20) dollars.

9. An order vacating or refusing to vacate a previous order, judgment or decree made and rendered, alleged to have been procured by fraud, misrepresentation, or through surprise or excusable inadvertence or neglect.

10. An order or decree directing or refusing a conveyance of real estate.

11. A final judgment or decree assigning the residue of the estate of a decedent.

12. An order denying an application for the restoration to capacity of any person under guardianship.

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

Approved April 6, 1901.

CHAPTER 148.

S. F. No. 366.

An act to amend sections one and three of chapter 352 of the General Laws of 1899, entitled "An act to encourage and better the condition of the public schools."

Amendment.
Public
schools.

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

SECTION 1. That section 1 of chapter 352 of the General Laws of 1899 be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The superintendent of public instruction, the president of the University of Minnesota, ex officio, and a superintendent or principal of any high school in the State of Minnesota, to be appointed by the governor, subject to confirmation by the senate, are hereby constituted a board of commissioners on graded and preparatory schools for the encouragement of higher education in this state. Said board shall be called the "state high school board," and shall perform the duties and exercise the powers hereinafter mentioned.

State high
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board.

The members of said board shall serve without compensation, but shall be entitled to their actual and necessary expenses.

SEC. 2. That section 3 of said chapter 352 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. The state high school board shall have power to establish any necessary and suitable rules and regulations relating to examinations, reports, acceptances of schools, courses of study and other proceedings in con-

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nection with high and graded schools claiming state aid; *provided*, that in all graded and state high schools an optional English or business course of study shall be offered and maintained in addition to the course or courses of study required to be taken for admission to the state university. *Provided, further*, that the board of education of any graded or state high school may add to or cut out any study or studies in the English or business course, as established by said state board.

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

Approved April 6, 1901.

S. F. No. 372.

CHAPTER 149.

Providing
for destroy-
ing personal
property
lists.

An act providing for the destruction of list or statements of personal property by county auditors.

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

SECTION 1. Each county auditor is hereby authorized to destroy all lists or statements of personal property which have been made by any owner or owners of personal property, for the purpose of taxation, and which have been delivered to any such county auditor by any assessor or assessors, or owner or owners of personal property for the purpose of filing in the office of such county auditor for the purpose of taxation, at any time after six years from the date when the taxes which have been levied upon the personal property which is listed in any such list or statement has been paid or become delinquent. *Provided, however*, that no such list or statement shall be destroyed if any citation or execution has been issued, or any legal proceedings are pending in any court to enforce the payment of any taxes which have been levied on any personal property listed in any such list or statement, until one year from the date when such proceedings have been dismissed or abandoned.

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

Approved April 6, 1901.