

Supt. to certify.—Sec. 2. No money shall be paid under the provisions of this act until the state superintendent, after due examination, shall certify that the conditions of the act have been fully complied with.

Limitations.—Sec. 3. The aid provided by this act shall be granted to not more than one school district in any one county.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 22, 1907.

CHAPTER 305—H. F. No. 976.

An Act to amend section 1966 of the Revised Laws of 1905, relating to hearings before the railroad and warehouse commission.

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

Hearing and report.—Section 1. Section 1966 of the Revised Laws of 1905 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1966. Hearing—If the matter be not adjusted to the satisfaction of the commission, it shall set a time and place of hearing, and give at least ten days' notice thereof to each party. The parties may appear either in person or by attorney. The commission shall hear evidence and otherwise investigate the matter, and shall make findings of fact upon all matters involved, and such order or recommendation in the premises as may be just. A copy of such findings and order or recommendation shall forthwith be served upon each party. No proceeding shall be dismissed on account of want of pecuniary interest in the complaint. In all proceedings excepting where the reasonableness of rates are under consideration, hearings may be had before one commissioner, who shall decide the matter in controversy and make a report of his decision to the commission. Upon the approval of such report, it shall become the decision of the commission.

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

Approved April 22, 1907.

CHAPTER 306—H. F. No. 1148.

An Act to legalize the action of any village in this state which has heretofore issued its orders or other evidences of indebtedness to defray the cost of purchasing an electric light plant or of the construction of a waterworks plant.

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

Order and evidence validated.—Section 1. That in all cases where after authorization given by the voters thereof, as provided by law, any village in this state has purchased an electric light plant or constructed a waterworks plant, and has paid therefor in whole or in part by issuing its orders or other evidences of indebtedness to defray the cost thereof, all such orders and other evidences of indebtedness are hereby validated and legalized.

Sec. 2. This act shall not affect any action or proceeding now pending.

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

Approved April 22, 1907.

CHAPTER 307—H. F. No. 1183.

An Act forbidding the introduction or use of any malt or spirituous liquors at polling places on any election day.

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

Penalty.—Section 1. Any person or persons introducing in any way upon any election day into a place where an election is being held any malt or spirituous liquors, and any judge or clerk of election, constable or challenger drinking any such liquors in such place, or being intoxicated therein, upon any election day, shall be deemed guilty of a misde-