

as certified by the public examiner, shall be audited and allowed by the board and paid into the state treasury and credited to the public examiner's contingent fund.

Approved April 25, 1919.

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CHAPTER 472—H. F. No. 280.

*An act relating to the organization and equipment of an additional battalion of infantry for the Minnesota National Guard.*

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

Section 1. Separate battalion of infantry.—In addition to the units of the national guard now authorized by law, there may be organized, armed and equipped within four months after the passage of this act, in the same manner in which the existing units have been organized, armed and equipped, a separate battalion of infantry, or any other branch of the military service as occasion may arise, to be composed of the present 16th battalion M. H. G. and such other persons as are required, possessing the qualifications of members of the state militia. The armory boards of each city wherein one or more companies of said battalion shall be located shall provide quarters, and suitable floor space for drills and ceremonies, for such companies.

Sec. 2. Inconsistent acts repealed.—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are herewith repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 473—H. F. No. 353.

*An act to amend Section 1011, General Statutes 1913, relating to certain school expenses and the payment of the same by the county board.*

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

Section 1. Expenses to be allowed by county board.—That section 1011 of the General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1011. The county board of each county shall pay itemized and verified bills for postage used in official correspondence and in forwarding official documents, express, telegraph and telephone charges in official business, necessary bills for printing notices, circulars, lists, of questions, annual reports required in the proper grading of schools, and necessary and proper expenditures in connection