

and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after December 31, 1929.

Approved February 4, 1929.

CHAPTER 8—H. F. No. 154

An act to appropriate money to defray the cost of the publication of the proposed amendments to the Constitution during the month of October, 1928.

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

Section 1. **Appropriation for publication of constitutional amendments.**—The sum of \$17,300.00 is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the payment of the publication of the proposed amendments to the Constitution in various newspapers of the state during the month of October, 1928.

Approved February 4, 1929.

CHAPTER 9—H. F. No. 150

An act to organize any county having less than seven organized school districts as a county school district and provide for the election and duties of the school board, and to repeal Chapter 82, General Laws 1927, and all other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

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

Section 1. **School districts may be consolidated.**—Any county having less than seven organized school districts may consolidate such districts into one county district which shall be designated as the County District ofCounty, in the following manner.

The board of county commissioners of such county may by resolution, and shall upon petition to such board signed by not less than ten per cent of the qualified voters of the county according to the votes of the then last preceding general election, submit to the qualified electors of the county at the next general election to be held in such county not less than thirty days thereafter, the proposition of consolidating said districts into a county district. The ballots submitting the same shall read as follows:

For Consolidation

Against Consolidation

Such ballots shall be voted, canvassed and the result declared and returned in the same manner as ballots for elective county officers. If a majority of the votes cast on the proposition be for consolida-