paid for the want of funds, the treasurer shall make a written statement over his signature, by endorsement on such order, with date showing such presentation and non-payment, and shall make and keep a record of such endorsement. Such order shall thereafter draw interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum until the treasurer shall notify the clerk in writing that he is prepared to pay such order.

SEC. 2. The state superintendent of public instruction shall prepare and distribute, through the county superintendents, proper school registers for teachers, and blanks to the clerks of districts for their reports to the county superintendents, and also blanks for the county superintendents and county auditors upon which to report to the state superintendent; and he is hereby authorized to procure such registers and blanks from the state printer: providing, the cost of such registers shall not exceed twenty cents each.

School registers to be furnished by state superintendent

Sec. 3. This act shall be in force from and after its approval.

Approved March 2, 1872.

## CHAPTER VIII.

An Act to provide for the revision and codification of existing laws in relation to Common and Normal Schools,

February 29, 1872.

Section 1. Superintendent of Public Instruction to prepare a revision and codification of school laws.

2. When act to take effect.

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

Section 1. It is hereby made the duty of the superintendent of public instruction to prepare or cause to be prepared, a revision and codification of existing laws in relation to common schools and normal schools, and submit the same to the legislature at the commencement of its next

Revision of existing laws relating to schools to be prepared. regular session, with suggestions of any amendments or additions necessary to their harmony or perspicuity; provided, that the same is done free of expense to the state.

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

and after its approval.

Approved February 29, 1872.

## CHAPTER IX.

February 28,

An Act to allow the County Superintendent of common schools a Deputy and to pay him out of his own salary.

Section 1. County superintendents authorized to appoint deputies, not to exceed sixty days.

2. When act to take effect.

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

Deputy superintendents may be appointed, when.

Salary to be paid by county

superintend-

ents.

Section 1. Any county superintendent of common schools in the state of Minnesota, in case of his disability by reason of sickness to attend to his duties, may appoint a deputy superintendent who shall have all the power and privileges with which the superintendent is now vested, provided that no such deputy or deputies shall serve in any county more than sixty days in one year.

Sec. 2. The salary of the deputy superintendent shall be paid by the county superintendent of schools, by whom he shall also be appointed subject to the approval of the county commissioners of the county in which said superintendent

is an officer.

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

Approved February 28th, 1872.