SECTION 1. The board of education of school district No. eight of Olmsted county, the same being the school district included in the limits of the city of Rochester, are hereby authorized to sell and convey any real estate not used for school purposes, belonging to said school district, or in which said school district has any interest; all conveyances for the same shall be executed by the president and clerk of said board on behalf of said school district.

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

Approved February 17, 1873.

CHAPTER LVI.

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT APPROVED FEBRUARY 29, 1872, ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE VILLAGE OF BROWNSVILLE.

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

SECTION 1. Section thirteen of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Said board of education shall keep said school in operation not less than sixteen nor more than fortyfour weeks in each year; shall levy the annual tax to be raised for the purpose aforesaid, including all the necessary expenses of said schools, and on or before the tenth day of October in each year, shall make known the amount of such tax to the auditor of the county of Houston, which tax shall be assessed in said district, collected and paid over to the treasurer of said district; said board shall keep an accurate account of their proceedings, of their receipts and disbursements for school purposes, and at the annual meeting for choosing members of the board for said district, shall make a written report and post the same on the building where said election is held of such receipts, and the source from which the same were derived, and of said disbursements and the objects to which the same were applied.

SEC. 2. Section fourteen of said act be amended to read as follows: Whenever said board of education shall deem it necessary to select, purchase or build a school house or school houses for said district, or to select or purchase sites for the same, they shall call a meeting of the legal voters of the district by giving ten days' notice of the time and place, and the object of the meeting, in some newspaper printed in said district, and if there is no such newspaper, then by posting up written notices in three public places in said district, and by a majority vote of said meeting may determine uponthe erection of a school house or school houses, and the selection or purchase of a site therefor, and the amount of bonds to be issued, and the time said bonds shall be paid, and the amount of interest said bonds shall draw. And when said bonds are issued it shall be the duty of the board of education, through its chairman and clerk, to transmit to the auditor of the county of Houston, on or before the 10th day of October in each year, the amount of tax to be raised to meet the interest and bond or bonds that may mature in each year.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. Approved February 3, 1873.

CHAPTER LVII.

AN ACT TO CREATE A NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THE TOWNS OF DERRYNANE AND TYRONE, IN LE SUEUR COUNTY, MINN.

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

SECTION 1. That the east half of section thirteen (13), the whole of section twenty-four (24), the north-east quarter of section twentythree (23), the east half of the north-west quarter of section tweneast quarter of section twenty-five (25), in township one hundred and twelve (112), range twenty-five (25), and the whole of sections nineteen (19), twenty (20) and seventeen (17), and the west half of section sixteen (16), the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-one (21), the whole of sections eighteen (18) and seven (7), in township one hundred and twelve (112), [range twenty-four (24),] be and the same is hereby constituted a school district for all common school purposes whatsoever, and to be known hereafter as school district number eighty-eight (88).

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 10, 1873.