of said district, their several oaths to support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of the state of Minnesota; and that they will discharge their duties as members of the board of education for said district, to the best of their ability. Provided, that the board of education elected in one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven (1877), shall, within seven (7) days after their election, meet and divide themselves into three (3) classes in the following manner: There shall be two (2) ballots numbered one (1), two (2) ballots numbered two (2), two (2) ballots numbered three (3) placed in a proper receptacle from which each director shall drawoone (1) ballot, and those directors who shall draw ballots numbered one (1) shall remain in office one (1) year, and those directors who shall draw ballots numbered two (2) shall remain in office two (2) years, and those directors who shall draw ballots numbered three (3) shall remain in office three (3) years, and at each succeeding election there shall be elected one (1) member of the board of education from each ward, by the legal voters of each ward respectively, of said city of Lake city. SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after

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Approved January 25, 1883.

CHAPTER 228.

AN ACT TO ATTACH CERTAIN TERRITORY TO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN (27), IN THE CITY OF AUSTIN, COUNTY OF MOWER.

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

SECTION 1. That sections five (5) and six (6), in township one hundred and two (102), north of range eighteen (18) west, county of Mower, are hereby attached to and made a part of independent school district number twenty-seven (27), city of Austin, county of Mower.

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

Approved February 9, 1883.