county shall provide and keep as one of the records of his office a suitable book or books in which he shall enter the several tracts and parcels of land so assessed, with a statement of the amounts assessed thereon respectively, and all payments made on account of such assessments, together with such other facts in relation thereto as he may deem advisable, and the board of park commissioners may compensate said auditor for such services in any sum not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars. If the owner of any tract or parcel of land assessed as aforesaid shall at any time make payment of such sum as being but simple interest at seven (7) per cent per annum would amount to the sum of the several installments of such entire assessment at the time they would respectively become due under the provisions of this section, the said lands shall thenceforth be free from the lien of the assessments so paid and discharged.

SEC. 5. That this act be in force and take effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 24, 1885.

CHAPTER 97.

AN ACT TO AMEND "AN ACT RELATING TO THE GOVERNMENT OF FREE SCHOOLS IN THE CITY OF MINNEAPOLIS" APPROVED MARCH SEVENTH (7TH), A. D. ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878), AND THE SEVERAL ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

SECTION 1. Section five (5) of an act entitled "An act relating to the government of free schools in the city of Minneapolis," approved March seventh (7th), one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), as amended by subsequent acts, is hereby amended by adding to the end of said section five (5) the following: "Nothing in this act shall be construed as prohibiting said board from paying its teachers, janitors and other employes upon pay rolls, or otherwise, in accordance with such regulations as said board may establish."

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

Approved March 5, 1885.