

CHAPTER 235.

[S. F. No. 397.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AND DIRECT THE TREASURER OF THE VILLAGE OF JANESVILLE, WASECA COUNTY, TO PAY ONE-HALF ($\frac{1}{2}$) OF ALL MONEYS DERIVED FROM LICENSES GRANTED FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS IN SAID VILLAGE TO THE TREASURER OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE VILLAGE OF JANESVILLE, WASECA COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of all moneys derived from license for the sale of intoxicating liquors in the village of Janesville, Waseca county, shall be paid by the treasurer of said village to the treasurer of the school district in the village of Janesville, Waseca county, for the sole use and benefit of the public school of the village of Janesville, from which said money is derived, to be used for the support of the schools in said district.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first (1st) day of January, eighteen hundred and ninety-two (1892).

Approved April 21, 1891.

CHAPTER 236.

[H. F. No. 890.]

AN ACT TO DIVIDE THE NORTHFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT, IN RICE COUNTY, INTO WARDS AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTION OF A BOARD OF EDUCATION IN SAID DISTRICT.

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

SECTION 1. That the Northfield school district, in the county of Rice, be and the same hereby is divided into three (3) wards. That the first (1st) ward shall comprise all that portion of the said district which lies on the east side of the Cannon river, and north of a line commencing at Cannon river in the middle of Fifth (5th) street, according to the original plat of the town of Northfield recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said county, and running thence east to the eastern boundary of said school district.

That the second (2d) ward shall comprise all that portion of said district lying east of Cannon river and south of the first (1st) ward.

And that the third (3d) ward shall comprise all that portion of said district which lies west of Cannon river.

SEC. 2. That the several wards of said school district shall constitute separate elective districts, and elections shall be held annually therein as the same place in each ward as is or may be provided for the election of aldermen of the city of Northfield, and on the same day as the annual city election of the said city of Northfield, and the polls shall be kept open from nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon until five (5) o'clock in the afternoon.

SEC. 3. That the school district elections shall be conducted by the school directors of the wards respectively, who shall be the judges of election and shall take the oath or affirmation prescribed by the general laws of the state to be taken by judges of election, and shall have power to appoint clerks of election and to administer the usual elector's oath; *Provided*, that as to the first (1st) election the aldermen respectively of the city wards shall be the judges; *And provided*, that no candidate for office at any election shall act as judge or clerk of such election.

SEC. 4. When a school district election shall be closed and the number of votes for each person voted for counted and ascertained, the judges of election shall make return thereof with all convenient dispatch to the clerk of said school district, who shall forthwith record the result.

SEC. 5. At the time of the annual city election of the city of Northfield in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two (1892), there shall be elected in each ward of said school district, by the legal voters of such ward, two (2) school directors, one (1) to serve for one (1) year and one (1) to serve for two (2) years, to be indicated on the ballots, and thereafter at each annual election of said school district one (1) director shall be elected in each ward by the legal voters thereof, whose term of office shall be two (2) years. And there shall be a registration of the voters, in conformity, as near as may be practicable, to the general laws for the registration of voters.

SEC. 6. At the said election in eighteen hundred and ninety-two (1892) there shall be elected by the legal voters of said school district, one (1) director at large, who shall hold his office for two (2) years; and thereafter at every alternate election in said school district there shall be elected one (1) director at large, whose term of office shall be two (2) years. The directors shall be notified of their election by the district clerk.

SEC. 7. The said directors shall be styled "The Board of Education of the Northfield School District," and shall possess all the powers and perform all the duties now exercised and performed by law by the present board of education of said district.

SEC. 8. The board of education shall elect of their number a clerk and a treasurer of the school district, whose terms of office shall be two (2) years. Said clerk and treasurer shall have the same powers and perform the same duties as now appertain to those offices.

SEC. 9. All the ward directors shall be residents and qualified voters in the wards in which they are elected respectively.

SEC. 10. The said elector at large shall be the president of the said board of education, and five (5) members of the board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

SEC. 11. In case of a vacancy in the board of education, the remaining members shall have the power to fill the same.

SEC. 12. There shall be held, annually, on the evening of the last Saturday in October, a public meeting of the electors of said school district for the transaction of such business (except the election of a board of education) as is now provided for in the act of the legislature creating said district; and special district meetings may be called by the board of education, and two (2) weeks' notice of all district meetings shall be given by publication in one (1) or more newspapers of the city of Northfield and posting copies in two (2) conspicuous places in each ward, in which notice the objects of the meeting shall be specified.

SEC. 13. From and after the said election in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two (1892), the board of education of the said district as at present constituted shall be discontinued.

SEC. 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 6, 1891.

CHAPTER 237.

[H. F. No. 501.]

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION ONE (1) OF CHAPTER TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOUR (234) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE (1883), RELATING TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY.

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

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of Chapter two hundred and thirty-four (234) of the Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (1883) be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "west half" (w ½) in the eleventh (11th) line of said section one (1), and inserting therefor the words "all of."

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

Approved March 20, 1891.

CHAPTER 238.

[H. F. No. 1017.]

AN ACT RELATING TO THE TERMS OF OFFICE AND ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF THE STILLWATER CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT.

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

SECTION 1. The terms of office of the present board of directors of the Stillwater city school district are hereby extended for the period of one (1) year, so that the term of office of those directors whose office