

CHAPTER 308—H. F. No. 332.

An Act authorizing the payment of interest on certain school orders.

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

Certain school orders to bear interest at rate of 6 per cent.—Section 1. That each and all school orders for the payment of money issued by any school district of the state of Minnesota, between the first day of March, 1906, and the 25th day of April, 1907, for a legally incurred debt, and which were duly presented to the treasurer of such school district for payment, and payment thereon refused for lack of funds, shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from and after the date of such presentation and refusal, and such interest is hereby declared to be valid and subsisting indebtedness of each such school district issuing the same.

The officers of each such district are hereby authorized to pay such interest, upon the presentation of such orders.

Provided, that the terms of this act shall not apply to any pending litigation.

Approved April 21, 1909.

CHAPTER 309—H. F. No. 394.

An Act to amend chapter seventy-six (76) of the General Laws for 1907, relating to county boards of education for unorganized territory within the state, and to define their scope and powers.

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

Board may authorize clerk to county superintendent at \$60 per month.—Section 1. That section three (3) of chapter seventy-six (76) of the General Laws for 1907, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. The chairman of the county board of commissioners shall be the chairman of the county board of education; the county treasurer shall be the treasurer of said board; the county superintendent of schools shall be the clerk of said board of education. The county board of education may also employ a competent person to act as clerk to the county superintendent of schools, who shall perform such other services as the board may direct. Such person shall not enter upon his duties as such clerk until his appointment has been ratified by the county board, who shall fix his salary, which shall not exceed sixty dollars (\$60) per month.

Chairman of board of education to receive \$3 per day.—Sec. 2. That an additional section to be known as section ten (10) of said act be added thereto, which said section ten shall read as follows:

Section 10.—The chairman of said board of education shall be paid by the county three dollars (\$3) per day for the time actually employed in attending meetings of such board. The clerk of said board shall be paid by the county the sum of ten cents per mile for the distance actually traveled by him in locating or inspecting new school buildings in such unorganized territory. *Provided*, that if the county board pays the necessary traveling expenses to such clerk as county superintendent of schools, no such mileage shall be allowed him.

Approved April 21, 1909.

CHAPTER 310—H. F. No. 467.

An Act to determine the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of county auditors, in counties of this state containing fifty (50) and not over eighty (80) congressional townships of land and having an assessed valuation of more than \$4,000,000.

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

Clerk hire of county auditor in certain counties.—Section 1. In each county of this state containing fifty (50) and not over eighty (80) congressional townships of land, and having an assessed valuation of more than four million dollars (\$4,000,000), the county auditor thereof shall be allowed for clerk hire for the year 1909, and for each year thereafter, one-fourth of one mill on each dollar of assessed valuation, not exceeding six million dollars (\$6,000,000); one-sixth of one mill on each dollar on all sums in excess of six million dollars (\$6,000,000) and not exceeding twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000); and on all sums in excess of twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000), one-twentieth of one mill on each dollar, to be paid in the manner provided by the laws of this state relating to the payment of clerk hire allowed county auditors.

Act not to apply to certain counties.—Sec. 2. This act shall not apply to any such county having a population of more than forty thousand (40,000), nor to any county where salaries of county officials is now fixed by special law.

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

Approved April 21, 1909.