

CHAPTER 523—H. F. No. 457.

An Act to establish a state teachers' employment bureau and appropriate money therefor.

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

Section 1. State teacher's employment bureau.—There is hereby established a bureau for the purpose of securing employment for teachers in the public schools in this state, to be known as the State Teachers' Employment Bureau, and to be maintained in connection with the department of public instruction, under the direction of the superintendent of public instruction, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. Who shall be entitled to enrollment.—Any person having a certificate to teach in this state, or who has completed a course of study as required for the issuance of a certificate, or who may be found entitled to receive such certificate, and who is deemed to be a fit and capable person for teaching, shall be entitled to enroll with said State Teachers' Employment Bureau upon complying with the regulations hereinafter referred to; and upon the payment of an annual fee of three (3) dollars, which fee shall entitle the person so enrolled, to the privileges and services of said bureau for the term of one year from the date of filing of enrollment and receipt of fee.

Sec. 3. What information is to be furnished.—It shall be the purpose of the State Teachers' Employment Bureau to furnish information to boards, superintendents, principals, or other proper authorities of public schools, upon request, regarding teachers, and to furnish teachers enrolled with the bureau, information relative to vacancies in positions in public schools; but no person connected with the State Teachers' Employment Bureau shall be held responsible for nor be understood to vouch for the fitness or success of any teacher who may secure a position in a public school through the said bureau, nor shall the acceptance of the enrollment and payment of the annual fee be construed as a guaranty for securing through the bureau employment to teach.

Sec. 4. Superintendent to appoint director of bureau.—The superintendent of public instruction shall appoint a person who shall be known as the director of the State Teachers' Employment Bureau, who shall perform his duties under the general supervision of said superintendent, and serve during his pleasure, and who shall be furnished necessary office rooms in the state capitol. The superintendent of public instruction may appoint such clerical and other assistants as may be required to carry out the purposes of this act, but the expense therefor shall not exceed the moneys appropriated therefor. Said superintendent

shall be charged with the general management and control of said Teachers' Employment Bureau, and shall make the necessary rules and regulations for conducting its affairs and for the obtaining of information as to the experience, qualification and character of persons seeking employment. He shall collect and receipt for all fees provided for in this act, and report and pay said fees to the state treasurer once in each month. He shall furnish to the state a surety bond in a sum to be fixed by the governor and state auditor, the cost thereof to be paid for from the funds appropriated for the bureau.

Approved April 25, 1913.

CHAPTER 524—H. F. No. 768.

An Act requiring the state treasurer to make certain reports to the legislature in addition to those now required by law.

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

Section 1. Additional report to be made by state treasurer.

—That the state treasurer, at the time of making the annual report to the state legislature, as required by the constitution of this state, shall make an additional report in such form that the same may be conveniently published with the report required by the constitution of the several public funds and the total amounts received and disbursed by him each year for the period of fifteen (15) years preceding the time of making such report, and shall arrange such statement in such manner that an inspection thereof will enable a ready comparison to be made of the total receipts and expenditures relating to each fund, and to the total receipts and expenditures for the state of Minnesota upon any account whatsoever during each of the years covered by such report.

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

Approved April 25, 1913.

CHAPTER 525—H. F. No. 921.

An Act to amend Section 2750 and to repeal Sections 2760 and 2761 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905 relating to partition fences.

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

Section 1. Owners or occupants to keep up and maintain partition fences.—That Section 2750 of the Revised Laws, 1905 be amended so as to read as follows: "Section 2750. The respective