

upon which such policy or certificate is issued, or that such beneficiary has caused or procured a disability of the person upon whose life such policy or certificate is issued.

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

Approved April 19, 1917.

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CHAPTER 354—S. F. No. 41.

*An act to amend Section 10, Chapter 239, General Laws 1915, pertaining to the termination of the association of any school district with a central school.*

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

Section 1. **How relationship between associated school districts and central school may be terminated.**—That section 10, chapter 239 of the General Laws of 1915 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 10. The relationship between any associated school district and the central school shall be permanent except as it may be terminated, *at the end of any school year, by a two-thirds vote of the school board of the central district or by a majority vote of the voters of the associated district, if such vote be taken at a special election called and held for that purpose prior to March 15th next preceding the close of the current school year and written notice of the action of each district be given to the other within ten days.*

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

Approved April 20, 1917.

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CHAPTER 355—S. F. No. 64.

*An act amending Section 1202 of the General Statutes, 1913, relating to elections in and indebtedness of villages organized under any general law and existing at the time of the taking effect of the Revised Laws of 1905.*

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

Section 1. **Provisions of General Statutes 1913, and amendatory acts to govern elections in certain villages and boroughs.**—That section 1202 of the General Statutes of 1913 be and hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1202. Until reorganized as provided in section 1203 the several villages and boroughs existing as such at the time of the taking effect of the Revised Laws under special legislative charter or under any general law, shall continue thereunder

and in all things continue to be governed by such general or special laws; *except that the provisions of the General Statutes 1913 and any acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto relating to elections in villages, and of chapter 10 of such General Statutes 1913 and any acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto relating to indebtedness of villages, shall apply to and govern all such villages organized under any general law:* Provided, that any village or borough of either class, having the requisite population, may reorganize as a city in the mode hereinafter prescribed.

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

Approved April 20, 1917.

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CHAPTER 356—S. F. No. 68.

*An act to provide for evening schools, where necessary, for adult persons.*

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

Section 1. **Public evening schools for adults.**—The school board of any common or consolidated school district or the school board of for unorganized territory may establish and maintain public evening schools as a branch of the public schools, and such evening schools when so maintained shall be available to all persons over sixteen years of age who, from any cause, are unable to attend the public school of such district; and the branches taught at such evening schools and the general conduct thereof shall be subject to the direction and control of the state superintendent of education.

Sec. 2. **Investigations by state superintendent.**—The state superintendent of education is hereby authorized and directed to make such investigations as may be necessary to advance the purposes of this act and to carry out the provisions thereof, and to that end he may appoint such additional assistants as may be necessary.

Sec. 3. **Payment of salaries.**—One-half the salary of all teachers who teach in evening schools in common, independent, or consolidated school districts shall be paid by the state, as appropriations are made by the legislature for that purpose which payment shall be made upon verified statements of account presented by the respective school districts and approved by the local superintendent of schools in all districts maintaining a state high school, or by the county superintendent of schools in the case of districts which do not maintain such state high schools.

Approved April 19, 1917.