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October 22d, 1857. n51-t2

The New School Law.

An Act Providing for the Better Regulation of Schools in Nebraska.

ANNUAL ESTIMATE TO BE CERTIFIED BY THE BOARD.

Sec. 21. It shall be the duty of the board of education in any organized township in the Territory annally to determine by estimate, as nearly as practicable, the entire amount of money necessary to be expended in the Township for school purposes other than for the payment of teachers, and also such additional amount as the board may think necessary, not exceeding two mills on the dollar valuation of the taxable property of the township for the exclusive purpose of sustaining teachers in the central or high shools, or for the purpose of prolonging, after the territorial funds have been exhausted, the terms of the several sub-district or primary schools in the township, or for both purposes, as the board may adjudge best, which several amounts of money so estimated the board shall make known by certificates in writing on or before the first Monday in June in each year, including any tax which may have been voted by a special meeting of electors, as provided in the preceding section, to the county clerk, of the proper county, who shall thereupon assess the entire amount of such estimates on all the taxable property of the township not included in any city or incorporated town or territory annexed thereto forming any special district, to be entered by said county clerk on the tax duplicate of the county, and collected by the county treasurer at the same time and in the same manner as territorial and county taxes are collected, and when collected, shall be paid over to the treasurer of the proper township on the order of the county clerk; and said county treasurer shall be entitled to receive for collection one per cent on all moneys by him collected for school purposes, and no more.

Sec 22. The township board of education shall have power, when in their opinion justice and equity require it, to estimate separately the cost of purchasing a school house site and erecting or repairing a school house thereon, in any particular sub-district of the township wherein the inhabitants have not heretofore born a reasonable share of the burden of taxation for such purpose in comparison with other sub-districts in the township, and certify such portion as they may just and equitable, of the amount of such estimate to the county clerk of the proper county, together with a map of the lands and names of the tax payers in such sub-district, which amount so certified shall be assessed by the county clerk on the property therein subject to taxation, and placed on the the county duplicate, especially to be collected and paid over in the same manner as other school taxes and be applied for the special purpose of providing a school house in the sub-district.

Sec. 23. All school funds which may come into the hands of the township treasurer, from whatever source, shall be paid out only on the order of the clerk of the Township board of education under the direction of the board; except in paying teachers for their services, and the said clerk may, on such teachers presenting their certificate of qualification, and depositing with the clerk true copies thereof, draw the requisite order on the treasurer, for any amount as may have been certified to be due by any two of the directors of the proper sub-district in which the teacher was employed; and so much of the school moneys coming into the hands of the treasurer, as may be derived from the territorial tax, or from any township tax levied for the continuation of schools after the territorial fund has been exhausted, shall be applicable only to the payment of teachers in the proper township, and shall be drawn for no other person whatever, and all school funds made applicable to the payment of teachers only, shall be distributed to the several sub-districts and fractional parts thereof, in the township, in proportion to the enumeration of scholars, with the exception of so much of the township tax as may have been levied and reserved by the board for sustaining teachers in the central or high schools; and such school funds as arise from the sale or rent of sections sixteen and thirty-six or other lands in lieu thereof, shall be distributed to the localities to which such funds belong. All other school funds of the township not raised for the central or high schools, nor made applicable to the payment of teachers, as aforesaid, shall be applied, under the directions of the board, in repairing, building or furnishing school houses, in procuring school house sites and in making such other provisions for schools in sub-districts of the proper township, as may in the opinion of the board be necessary, and each township board shall make the necessary provisions for continuing the schools in operation in their respective townships for at least seven months in each year.

DIVISION OF DUTIES AND LIABILITIES OF CLERK.

Sec. 24 The clerk of the board of education, or any one of the board designated for that purpose, or the acting manager of schools of the township, may do and perform all such duties and services connected with the interest of schools as the board may direct, and report the same to the board for their action and approval; and it shall be the duty of the clerk of the board to keep a full record thereof, in connection with the record of the other official proceedings of the board, and in case of failure to keep such record or other records required by this act, the clerk of the board shall be liable in a civil action for all loss or damages that may ensue to any person or persons, of to the school district in the name of such person or persons, or board of school directors, as the case may be, and shall moreover be liable, on complaint filed in the name of the territory of Nebraska, before any justice of the peace or other court having jurisdiction, to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, which, when collected shall be paid over to the treasurer of the proper township for the benefit of schools.

Sec. 25. It shall be the duty of the board of education to make settlements with the township treasurer at their regular session in April, annually; but if for want of time or other reason, a settlement cannot be made at the said session, then it shell be the duty of the board to appoint a committee composed of one or more of their own members, to make such settlement, as soon as practicable; and report the result to the clerk of the board, who shall record an abstract thereof in the records of the board.

TREASURER AND HIS DUTIES.

Sec. 26. The township treasurer in each shall be the treasurer of all school funds for school purposes belonging to the township, arising from whatever sources, and on his election, and before entering upon the duties of his office, he shall give bond with sufficient security in double the probable amount of money that shall come into his hands payable to the Territory of Nebraska, to be approved by the trustees of the township, conditioned for the faithful disbursement according to law, of alll such funds as shall from time to time come into his hands, and on the forfeiture of such bond, it shall be the duty of the township clerk to prosecute and collect the same for the use of the schools in the Township, if such township clerk shall neglect or refuse so to prosecute, then any freeholder may cause such prosecution to be instituted.

Sec. 27. Before the county clerk shall issue to the township treasurer any order on the township treasurer for payment of any school fund belonging to the township, such township treasurer shall furnish the county clerk with certificate from the township clerk, that such treasurer has executed and filed with him a bond, as provided for in the foregoing sections and also stating the amount of said bond, and the county clerk shall in no case permit the township treasurer to leave in his hands at any one time an amount of school funds over one half the amount of the penalty in such bond; and the township board shall allow the township treasurer a compensation equal to one per cent, on all school funds disbursed by him to be paid on the order of the clerk out of the township treasury.

Sec. 28. The township treasurer shall annually between the first and twentieth of February, settle with the county treasurer, and account to him for all moneys received, from whom, and on what account, and the amount paid out for school purposes in his township. The county treasurer shall examine the vouchers for such payments, and if satisfied with the correctness thereof, shall certify the same, which certificate shall be prima facia a discharge of such treasurer, and at the expiration of his term of service said treasurer shall deliver over to his successor in office, all books and papers, with all moneys or other property in his hands belonging to said township or the schools therein, and also all orders he may have redeemed since his last annual settlement with the county treasurer, and take the receipt of his successor therefor, which he shall deposit with the township clerk within ten days thereafter, and for making such annual settlement he shall be entitled to receive the sum of one dollar to be paid out of the county treasury on the order of the county clerk.

Sec. 29. In case the township treasurer shall fail to make such annual settlement within the time as prescribed in the preceding section, he shall be liable to pay a fine of fifty dollars to be recovered in a civil action in the name of the territory of Nebraska, and when collected to be applied to the use of common schools in the proper township; and it is hereby made the duty of the county treasurer to proceed forthwith in case of such failure by suit against such treasurer, before any justice of the peace of his county to recover the penalty aforesaid; but when it shall appear on trial to the satisfaction of said justice that said treasurer was prevented from making such annual settlement, within the time prescibed, by sickness or unavoidable absence from home, and that such settlement has since been actually made, it shall be lawful for the justice to discharge such treasurer on payment of costs.

OF CITIES AND VILLAGES.

Sec. 30. Each city or incorporated village, including the territory annexed to the same for school purposes not otherwise specially regulated by charter, and which with the territory annexed, contains not less than three hundred inhabitants, shall be and is hereby created a separate school district, and the qualified voter of such city or village with the territory annexed shall at the same time, and in the same manner that local directors of sub-districts of the township are elected by the provisions of this act, shall proceed to elect three persons who shall constitute a board of education for such city or village with the territory so annexed, and such board shall have the same powers, perform the same duties, and be subject to the same penalties as the township board of education; Provided, that by agreement between the board of education of the township in which the city or the village with the territory annexed may be situated, and the board of education of such city or village with the territory annexed, transfers of territory not within the limits of such incorporation may be made to or from the districts provided for in this section.

Sec. 31. That said board of education in any city or incorporated village, shall be authorized when they think it advisable, to divide such city or village into sub-districts, and they may establish schools of different grades, and ordain such rules and regulations for the government and discipline of such schools as they may think condusive to the public good, and it shall be lawful for the township board of education in any township in which such city or incorporated village is situated, by and with the consent of the board of education of any such city or incorporated village to transfer thereto for educational purposes, the scholars of such parts of their respective townships that lie adjacent thereto, and all such transfers shall be controlled and all such schools supported in the same manner, and on the same principles as in case of like transfer for the convenience of schools where two or more townships join, as provided for in this act.

Sec. 32. In all such cities or incorporated villages, the clerk or recorder of such incorporated body, shall be the clerk of the board of education, and he shall do and perform all the duties required of the clerk of a township board of education, and such other duties as the board of education may from time to time prescribe; and all orders of the board of education for the payment of money shall be countersigned by the clerk or recorder of such incorporation, and it shall be the duty of the treasurer of any such city or incorporated village, to receive and disburse the school funds of such city or village, in the same manner as is required of the township treasurers in their respective townships, and for his services shall be entitled to the same compensation; Provided, that the board of education shall require the treasurer to enter into a bond as required of the township treasurers, and that the said treasurer shall furnish the county clerk a certificate from the clerk or recorder of such city or incorporated village, and that such treasurer has executed and deposited such bond, stating also the amount as is required of township treasurers in similar cases.

Sec. 33. The board of education of any city or incorporated village, shall have and may exercise all the powers which are by this act conferred upon township boards of education and shall do and perform all the like duties in all respects, so far as applicable, and the school fund shall de divided among the sub-districts, so as to make the distribution as nearly equitable as possible. All taxes for building, purchasing repairing or furnishing school houses and lots shall be equally assessed on all the property subject to such taxation in such city or incorporated village, and the board of education in expending the same shall make the necessary provisions for the sub-districts.

APPORTIONMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS.

Sec. 34. The territorial taeasurer shall annually apportion the common school funds among the different counties, upon the enumeration and returns made to him by the territorial commissioner of common schools, and certify the amount so apportioned to the county treasurer of each county, stating from what sources the same is derived, which said sum the several county treasurers shall retain in their respective treasuries from the Teritorial fund; and the county clerks shall annually apportion the school fund in their respective counties according to the enumeration and returns in their respective offices, and no township or other district, city or village which shall have failed to make and return such enumeration shall be entitled to receive any portion of the common school fund. And in making such distribution, each county clerk shall apportion all moneys collected on the tax duplicate of any township for the use of schools, to such township; all moneys received from the territorial treasurer, on account of interest on, or the money accruing from the sale of sections sixteen and thirty-six or other lands in lieu thereof, to the civil townships and parts of civil townships in the original surveyed township or fractional township to which lands belong; and all other moneys for the use of common schools in the county, and not otherwise appropriated by law, to the proper township; and he shall, immediately after making such apportionment enter the same in to a book, kept for that purpose, and shall furnish the township treasures and township clerks, treasurers and recorders of incorporated cities or villages as the case may be, each with a copy of said apportionments, and give an order on the county treasurer to each township treasurer, or to such treasurer as may be entitled to receive the same, for the account of money belonging to his respective township, city or village and take a receipt from such treasurer for the amount thus received; and the said county treasurer shall collect, or cause to be collected, the fines, and all other moneys for school purposes in his county, and he shall inspect all accounts of interest for section sixteen and thirty-six, or other school lands, whether the interest is paid by the territory or by the debtors, and take all proper measures to secure to each township its full amount of school funds.

Sec. 35. When any original surveyed township, in which section sixteen and thirty-six have been sold, shall lie in two or more counties, the clerks of the respective counties shall certify to the clerk of the county in which that portion of the said township lies, containing said sections sixteen and thirty-six, the enumeration of the scholars in that part of said township embraced within their respective counties; and the clerk of said county in which said sections, sixteen or thirty-six are situated, shall apportion the funds derived from said section or sections to the different portions of said township situated in their respective counties, and draw an order in favor of the treasurers of the other counties on the treasurer of his own county for the amount going to each; and the clerk of the respective counties shall apportion the same in their respective counties to such portions or parts thereof as may be entitled thereto.

Sec. 36. The interest on the purchase of any such sections sixteen and thirty-six belonging to any such originally surveyed township sold as aforesaid lying in two or more counties, shall be paid over on the order of the clerk of that county in which section sixteen or thirty-six are embraced, to the treasurer of the same county, to be apportioned as is pointed out in the preceding section.

RETURN OF ABSTRACT TO TERRITORIAL COMMISSIONER.

Sec. 37. The county clerk of each and every county shall on or before the twentieth day of December, annually make out and transmit to the commissioner of common schools an abstract of all the returns of school statistics made to him from the several townships in his county, according to the form that may be prescribed by the territorial commissioner; and he shall cause to be distributed all such circulars, blanks and other papers, including school laws and documents, in the several townships in the county, as said commissioner shall lawfully require. In case the county clerk shall fail, from any cause to make return of the abstract as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the county commissioners to deduct, from every such failure, from the annual salary or allowance made to the county clerk for his services fifty dollars.

Sec. 38. The county commissioner of each county in this territory shall make the same allowance to the county clerks out of their respective county treasuries, for services performed and expenses incurred under this act as is allowed for services performed and expences incurred under this act as is allowed for other service of like nature.

Sec. 39. The township clerks shall be responsible for all losses sustained by any township or county, by reason of any failure on their respective parts to make and make return the enumeration and abstracts thereof as herein provided, and shall be liable for the same, in a civil action, at the suit of the territory of Nebraska, and the amount so recovered shall be apportioned in the same manner as the school fund would have been to the respective counties or townships as the case may be.

SCHOOL HOUSE EXEMPT FROM SALE OR EXECUTION.

Sec. 40. Each and every lot or parcel of land, which heretofore has been or hereafter shall be appropriated for the use of common schools in this Territory, on which there has been or shall be a school house erected, and which has been or shall be occupied for the purpose of accommodating a common school of whatever grade in the usual manner, from time to time, howsoever or by whomsoever the legal title to the same may be held and vested, shall be and the same is hereby exempted from sale on any execution, or other writ or order in the nature of an execution.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The subjoined caused us incontinently to 'snicker:'

A tall, green sort of a well dressed fellow walked into a Broadway saloon the other day, where they were talking politics on a high key, and stretching himself up to his full height, exclaimed, in a loud voice:

'Where are the Democrats? Show me a Democrat, gentlemen, and I'll show you a liar!'

In an instant, a man stood before the noisy inquirer and exclaimed:

'I am a Democrat, sir!'

'*You* are?'

'Yes sir, I *am*.'

'Well, just you step round the corner with me and I'll show you a fellow who said I couldn't find a Democrat in this ward! Ain't he a liar, I should like to know?'

Egg Omelet.

Take one quart of good rich milk, six table-spoonsful of flour, six eggs well beaten, one teaspoonful of salt, one salt-spoonful of pepper; add parsley, or summer savory, if you like; mix the flour and milk smooth; then add the eggs; melt a large table-spoonful of butter, in a large bread pan, and bake from twenty to forty minutes.

Good Gingerbread is made by taking 6 cups of flour, 3 cups of molasses, 1 cup of cream, 1 cup of butter, 1 spoonful of ginger, and 1 of soda.

Do justly though the heavens fall.