

following the first general election for county judges thereafter. No person shall be eligible to the office of county judge who shall not, at the time of his election or appointment thereto, be an attorney of a court of record; provided, that the foregoing provision as to qualifications shall not apply to any county having a population of less than twenty-five thousand inhabitants according to the last official census preceding such election and further that it shall not disqualify any person who held such office in this state on or before the first day of July, 1907.

3. Every county judge may be removed from office by address in the manner provided in the constitution for the removal of justices of the supreme court or judges of the circuit courts.

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

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CHAPTER 98.

AN ACT to amend sections 411—7 and 411—8 of the statutes, relating to joint county training schools for teachers.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Sections 411—7 and 411—8 of the statutes are amended to read: Section 411—7. 1. The county boards of two or more adjoining counties may unite in establishing and maintaining a training school for teachers for the purposes and on the same general plan as provided for in * * * sections 411—1 to 411—6, inclusive, of the statutes, and may appropriate money for its maintenance, and whenever two or more counties unite in establishing such a school, the county superintendents of the counties so uniting and two members in addition chosen from each such county, no member of any county board being eligible thereto, shall constitute the joint county training school board, of which the superintendent of the county in which the school house is * * * located shall be ex-officio secretary * * *.

2. If, at the time of establishing such school, the counties so uniting shall neglect to procure a site, or to erect a school building therefor, such joint county training school board shall have power, subject to the approval of the state superintendent, to procure such site and to erect a suitable school building thereon. The joint county training school board shall have power, subject

to the approval of the state superintendent, to borrow money for the purposes of this act from the trust funds of the state only, payable in not to exceed ten years with the annual interest at the rate of not to exceed three and one-half per centum, but the total amount of such loans shall not at any time exceed twelve thousand dollars. Loans for site and building purposes shall be made payable in equal annual installments, and provisions for the payment of each such installment, and accrued interest, shall be made in the tax levy and apportionment mentioned in section 411—8 of the statutes.

Section 411—8. Whenever two or more counties unite in establishing and maintaining such school, the county school board provided for in such cases shall determine the amount of money necessary for the maintenance and equipment of the school for the next succeeding year, and annually thereafter. They shall apportion the amount to be raised by taxation among the counties in proportion to the assessed valuation of the real and personal property in each county as last fixed by the state board of assessment, and shall report to the county clerk of each county on or before the first Monday of November in each year, the amount of the apportionment so fixed, and such amount shall be levied in the county tax of each county for the ensuing year for the support of the school. *Each county treasurer shall, immediately upon the collection thereof, pay over all moneys levied and collected pursuant to the provisions of this act to the treasurer of the joint county training school board and file the latter's receipt therefor as a voucher.*

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

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CHAPTER 99.

AN ACT to amend subsection 2 of section 1931 of the statutes, relating to the risks of town mutual insurance corporations.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subsection 2 of section 1931 of the statutes, is amended to read: 2. No such corporation shall insure any property other than detached dwellings and their contents, farm buildings and their contents, live stock in possession, use or running at large, farm products on premises and farming tools, implements and machinery: * * * providing that it may.