

general fund, not otherwise appropriated, for the Wisconsin state fire preventive association.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved June 6, 1913.

No. 467, S.]

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CHAPTER 447.

AN ACT to authorize the commissioners of public lands to sell certain lands in Oneida county, belonging to the state of Wisconsin.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The commissioners of public lands are hereby authorized, instructed and directed to convey to Martin Erickson of Oneida county, Wisconsin, the following described land situated in Oneida county, Wisconsin, to wit: the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirteen, township thirty-seven, north of range eight east.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 448.

AN ACT to amend section 425, subdivision (18) of section 430, subdivision (6) of section 461, sections 462, 464 and 465, and to repeal subdivisions (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) and (8) of section 463, and subdivisions (1a) and (2) of section 467 of the statutes, relating to the time of holding annual school district meetings and of making the reports to the state and county superintendent, and making an appropriation therefor.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subdivisions (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) and (8) of section 463, and subdivisions (1a) and (2) of section 467 of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 2. Section 425, subdivision (18) of section 430, subdivision (6) of section 461, sections 462, 464 and 465 are amended to read: Section 425. The annual district meeting *in all school districts not containing in whole or in part an incorporated city or village* shall be held on the first Monday of * * * June,

but in all school districts containing in whole or in part an incorporated city or village it shall be held on the first Monday of July unless that be a legal holiday, in which case it shall be held on the next day, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, unless another hour be fixed by a vote recorded at the last annual meeting, and any annual meeting heretofore or hereafter held shall be valid notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in any special or local law. It shall be the duty of the district board to meet on the Saturday immediately preceding the annual meeting, carefully examine the accounts of the treasurer, and make up a full and itemized report of all receipts and expenditures since the last annual meeting, of the amount in the hands of the treasurer or the amount of the deficit for which the district is liable, of the amount necessary to be raised by taxes for the support of the school for the ensuing year, and of the amount required to pay the interest or principal of any debt due or to become due during such year; which report shall be submitted in writing at the annual meeting and recorded by the clerk at length with the action thereon in the proceedings of the meeting.

(See c. 425.)

(Section 430) (18) At the annual meeting only, to vote a tax to compensate the * * * treasurer, and director, which in districts supporting graded and high schools shall be such sums as may be voted, and in other districts * * * *not more than ten nor less than five dollars to each of the above officers.*

(See c. 94.)

(Section 461) (6) To receive * * * reports of the district clerks required to be made by law and to transmit *abstracts* of the same to the state superintendent; * * * *and to report on or before the fifteenth day of September to each town, village or city clerk in the territory under his jurisdiction, the number of persons of school age reported to him by the district clerks as residing in the several districts or parts of districts of the several towns, villages or cities in his county or superintendent district, on the last day of June in each year; and in case there are any parts of joint districts lying in his county or district the schoolhouses of which are situated in other counties, he shall report to the county superintendent of the county in which the schoolhouses of said joint districts are located the names, sex and number of persons of school age residing in the parts of such joint districts as lie in his county or superintendent district, and from time to time such other facts relating to education in his district as the state superintendent shall require.*

Section 462. It shall be the duty of the district clerk, between the * * * *tenth and twenty-fifth days of July* in each year, to make and transmit to the * * * *county or city superintendent, a written report * * * bearing date as of the*

thirtieth day of June, of such year, signed by him and verified by his affidavit, showing:

First. The number, names and ages of children, male and female designated separately, over the age of four and under the age of twenty years residing in the district, and the names of their parents, guardians or other persons with whom such children resided, respectively, on the last day of June preceding. But no such children residing in, held or cared for at any charitable or penal institution of this state shall be included in such enumeration or report; and whenever the state superintendent shall receive information that any such children have been enumerated in the school census of any school district included in the reports made to him, on the basis of which apportionment of money from the school fund income is made, he may require from the district clerk or the secretary of the board of education of said district a verified statement of the whole number of children of school age residing in the district not excluded by the provisions of this section, in such form and manner as the said superintendent may prescribe. Unless the certificate herein provided for shall be made no money shall be apportioned for the benefit of said school district.

Second. The whole number of children, males and females designated separately, between the ages of four and twenty years taught in the district school during the year for which such report is made by teachers duly qualified.

Third. The number attending school during the year under the age of four and the number over the age of twenty years.

Fourth. The whole time, in days, any common school has been taught in the district, including holidays, and the whole number of days such school has been taught by teachers qualified according to law, including holidays, and the days the teachers may have attended an institute during the year while the school was in session for which no deduction in wages was made by the district board.

Fifth. The names of all teachers employed during the year, the number of days taught by each, including holidays, and the monthly wages paid to each, and the time allowed any teacher for attendance on any institute for which no wages were deducted.

Sixth. The amount of money received from the town treasurer during the year, designating separately the amount received from apportionment of the school fund income, the amount received from tax levied by county board of supervisors, the amount received from tax voted by the district, and the amount

received from all other sources during the year, and the manner in which the same has been expended, showing separately the expenditure of school money received from the state.

Seventh. Such other facts and statistics in relation to the schools, public or private, in such district as the state superintendent may from time to time require. * * * *The clerk of each joint district shall report to the county or city superintendent, as the case may be, the number of children residing in each part of the several towns, villages or cities embraced in such joint district. He shall also report the amount of the indebtedness of the district. Upon filing with the county superintendent within the time set by law, a complete and satisfactory annual report setting forth all the facts required by law to be reported to the county or city superintendent, and such other information as may be called for by either the county or state superintendent the school district clerk in a school district having a school census of two hundred persons or less shall be paid from any money in the school district treasury of which he is the clerk, the sum of ten dollars, and in all other districts not embracing in whole or in part an incorporated city, twenty-five dollars, and in school districts embracing in whole or in part a city, such sum as the body electing the school board of such school district may direct provided, such school clerk shall file with the district treasurer a certificate signed by the county or city superintendent of schools setting forth that the school census for the year was properly taken, and that all reports required by law to be made by school district clerks have been filed and approved.*

SECTION 464. 1. Each county superintendent shall, on or before the fifteenth day of * * * September in each year make and transmit to the state superintendent a report in writing, setting forth the whole number of * * * districts, the schoolhouses of which are in his county or superintendent district, distinguishing those from which the required reports have been made to him by the * * * district clerks, and containing an abstract of their reports, and also embracing an abstract of the annual report of the secretary of each free high school in such district, * * * and such other facts and statistics as may be required by the state superintendent.

2. Each county superintendent shall also, within the time above mentioned, make and deliver to the county clerk and to the county treasurer a written statement of the whole number of children in each town, village and city under his supervision over the age of four and under the age of twenty years returned from the districts which have maintained schools for * * * eight or more months during the past year as appears from the

reports of * * * district clerks. *It shall be the duty of the county superintendent, on or before the tenth day of June in each year, to send to each school district clerk in his district the necessary blanks upon which the school census and other facts, as may be required in section 462, may be reported. It shall be the duty of the state superintendent, on or before the first day of June in each year, to furnish each county and city superintendent with the necessary blanks upon which the reports called for in section 462 may be made by the several school district clerks in the several counties of the state.*

3. *It shall be the duty of the state superintendent, on receipt of a satisfactory annual report within the time specified by law, to issue to each county or district superintendent a certificate setting forth the fact that the annual report required in this section has been made, filed and approved within the time specified by law.*

4. *It shall be the duty of the county clerk, when presented with the certificate authorized in subsection 3, immediately, without action of the county board of supervisors, to draw an order on the county treasurer in favor of the county superintendent for twenty-five dollars in county or superintendent districts containing fifty or less school districts; fifty dollars in superintendent districts containing more than fifty and less than one hundred school districts; seventy-five dollars in superintendent districts containing more than one hundred and less than one hundred and fifty school districts, and one hundred dollars in superintendent districts containing more than one hundred and fifty school districts. It shall be the duty of the county treasurer to pay such amounts as may be certified by the county clerk from any money in the general fund of the county not otherwise appropriated.*

SECTION 465. * * * In all cities having a city superintendent of schools and which are not under the jurisdiction of a county superintendent, such superintendent of schools shall make the annual report required by * * * section 464 directly to the state superintendent. * * *

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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