

amended so as to read as follows: Sixth circuit. In Clark. the county of Clark, on the first Monday in March, and the first Monday in September. In the county of Jackson. Jackson, on the third Monday in March, and the third Monday in September. In the county of La La Crosse. Crosse, on the second Monday in May, and the second Monday in November. In the county of Monroe, on Monroe. the first Monday in April, and the first Monday in October. In the county of Trempealeau, on the second Trempealeau. Monday in June, and the second Monday in December. In the county of Vernon, on the fourth Monday in Vernon. April and the third Monday in October. Every general term in the counties of La Crosse, Monroe, Jackson and Trempealeau, shall also be a special term for the whole judicial circuit. At any special term of said Special terms. court herein provided for, any and all business may be done arising in any county of the circuit; which might be done at any general term except the trial of issues of fact by a jury in cases other than those arising in actions of quo warranto and mandamus; and excepting also the trial of issues of fact in actions made local by law and arising in some county other than the one in which such special term shall be held.

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

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CHAPTER 36.

AN ACT to amend the union school law of the city of Watertown.

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

SECTION 1. Section eight of chapter one hundred and seventy-one of the private and local laws of 1878, is hereby amended by striking out the following words where they occur in said chapter: "who shall be ex-officio clerk of the board." Clerk of board of education.

SECTION 2. Section thirteen of said chapter one hundred and seventy-one, is hereby amended by striking out the first five words and substituting as follows: "At the same time and in the same manner as provided for electing a superintendent of schools, in section eight of this act, there shall be elected a clerk of the board, who," and by adding to said section: "The Election.

amount of his compensation shall be determined by the board of education, and the manner of payment.”

Examination of teachers.

SECTION 3. Section twenty five is hereby so amended as to read as follows: “The superintendent shall examine all teachers making application for schools (examination to be public and in the presence of the board); shall grant certificates to said persons so examined, as shall be deemed by him and a majority of the board, suitably qualified, and shall carry into effect the rules and regulations of the board in reference to the common schools, and to prepare any reports required by this act or the general laws, and to transmit them to such authorities as the law requires. In addition to the foregoing duties, he shall visit the common schools of the city at least twice in each term, and report their condition to the board. He shall also perform such other duties with respect of such schools as the board may assign to him. The amount of his compensation shall be determined by the board of education and paid in the same manner as teachers’ wages are paid.”

Duty of executive officers.

SECTION 4. Section twenty-six of said chapter, is so amended as to read as follows: “The clerk shall be the executive officer of the board of education, and shall carry into effect the ordinances of the common council in reference to the public schools; he shall be charged with the care and custody of the several school houses of the city, and, under the direction of the board, shall superintend the building, enlarging, improving, furnishing and repairing of all the school houses ordered to be erected by them, and the making of all repairs and improvements on and around the same. He shall have under his custody all the books owned by the board of education, and shall perform all the duties as are laid down for him in the rules and regulations adopted by the committee on free textbooks. It shall also be his duty to prepare all the reports required by this act or the general school laws, in the manner and at the time specified by said laws, and to transmit them to such authorities as the law requires. Furthermore, it shall be the duty of the clerk to file at the office of the city clerk, every month, a correct list of the school orders issued during the past month.”

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved February 26, 1881.