

## CHAPTER 168.

[Published April 1, 1871.]

AN ACT to regulate the estimation of time in the settlement of school district boards with teachers.

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

SECTION 1. Hereafter in all settlements for wages between teachers and school boards or other employers of teachers in the public schools, on all contracts that may be entered into subsequent to the passage of this act, twenty-two days shall be understood as constituting a school month, unless it be otherwise specified in the contract: *provided*, that in all such settlements, on the basis of twenty-two days to a month, all legal holidays occurring on regular school days shall be counted and included, although no school be taught; *and provided, further*, that teaching on Saturdays shall not be counted or included.

Number of days to constitute month.

SECTION 2. In the apportionment of school moneys in the year 1871, and annually thereafter, one hundred and ten days shall be understood to constitute the five months required by section fifty-nine of the general school law for all cities, towns and school districts in which the schools have been taught on the basis of twenty-two days for a month, as provided in the first section of this act.

How apportionment made.

SECTION 3. Hereafter, in the preparation of blanks for school reports, the state superintendent shall make such changes as are rendered necessary by the provisions of this act.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 24, 1871.