

pay the same into the county Treasury, and the same shall be credited to the Teachers' Fund.

Salary. SEC. 12. The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall receive annually the sum of thirteen hundred dollars as compensation for the duties required of him by law.

Rec'v'e books, papers, &c. SEC. 13. The Superintendent of Public Instruction, elected by the General Assembly under the provisions of this Act, shall within ten days after his election and qualification, take possession of all books, papers, and effects heretofore belonging or in any wise appertaining to the office of the Secretary of the Board of Education, whose office is hereby abolished.

Secretary's office abolished. Repealed. SEC. 14. An Act to provide for the election and to define the duties of the Secretary of the Board of Education, passed by the Board of Education, December 24th, 1858, also Chapter 66, Laws of the Eighth General Assembly, passed March 28th, 1860, and all other Acts and parts of Acts, inconsistent with this Act, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 15. This Act shall take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, the Iowa Homestead, and the Iowa Instructor and School Journal, or any two of them.

Approved March 19th, 1864.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa State Register and Iowa Homestead on the 23d day of March, A. D. 1864.

JAMES WRIGHT, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 53.

### FOREIGN BANK NOTES.

AN ACT to prohibit the circulation of foreign bank notes in this State.

Circulation of foreign notes prohibited. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That whoever shall within this State, after the fourth day of July next, pay out, or offer to pay, or in any manner put in circulation or offer to put in circulation, any bank note, bill or other instrument intended to circulate as money, issued or purporting to be issued by any bank, individual or corporation

in any other State, district or Territory within the United States or in any foreign country, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon conviction before any court having jurisdiction, be fined <sup>Penalty.</sup> the sum of five dollars for each note, bill or other instrument as aforesaid, so paid out or offered to be paid out, put in circulation or offered to be put in circulation.

SEC. 2. The provisions of this Act shall not be construed to interfere with the circulation of Treasury Notes, notes of any bank organized under the law of the United States, any other description of currency issued by the authority of Congress, or notes of the branches of the State Bank of Iowa. <sup>Construction.</sup>

SEC. 3. Any person acting as agent, servant, teller, <sup>Who is liable.</sup> cashier, or in any other capacity for any other person, banker, broker or corporation, shall be equally liable under this Act as he would be if acting for himself.

SEC. 4. In prosecutions under this Act, it shall not be necessary to state in the indictment or information <sup>Information and proof.</sup> the name of the bank issuing the notes, nor to prove the existence of the bank or other person purporting to issue the notes; but it shall be sufficient to allege in general terms the fact of paying out or attempting to pay out, as the case may be, of bank notes issued out of this State, and the proof may be made as if the particulars were alleged.

SEC. 5. Any number of offenses under this Act <sup>Prosecutions.</sup> may be included in the same prosecution, provided that where the total fines alleged shall not exceed one hundred dollars, the offense shall be cognizable and may be tried before a justice of the peace, and other co-ordinate <sup>Jurisdiction.</sup> jurisdictions, and when the total fines alleged exceed one hundred dollars, it shall be within the jurisdiction of the District Court.

Approved March 19th, 1864.

## CHAPTER 54.

### BLIND AND DEAF AND DUMB.

AN ACT to provide for the education and support of the Blind and Deaf and Dumb, and to repeal Chapter 152 of the Acts of the Ninth General Assembly.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly*