

7 shall have been served upon such society, at its home office, nor un-  
 8 til such society shall have been afforded a reasonable opportunity to  
 9 answer such financial statement, investigation, report or finding, and  
 10 to make such showing in connection therewith, as it may desire.

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### CHAPTER 233.

W. D. ATCHISON.

S. F. 320.

AN ACT appropriating the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

WHEREAS: On the thirtieth (30) day of September 1914, W. D. Atchison, while working at the east pumping station of the state institution for inebriates, fractured his left wrist. NOW THEREFORE:

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. **Appropriation.** That there is hereby appropriated  
 2 out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated  
 3 the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00), to indemnify W. D. Atchison  
 4 in full for the damages sustained by him on account of the injuries  
 5 received as hereinbefore stated, said money to be paid to R. K. Davis  
 6 cashier of the Farmers National Bank, Oskaloosa, Iowa for the use  
 7 of W. D. Atchison.

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### CHAPTER 234.

COUNTY HIGH SCHOOLS.

H. F. 587.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa, and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three 1-a (2733-1-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. **Support tax.** That section twenty-seven hundred  
 2 thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby  
 3 amended by striking the word "two" from the thirteenth line thereof  
 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one".

**SEC. 2. Attendance at schools outside home district—tuition.**

1 That section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three 1-a (2733-1-a), sup-  
 2 plement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by  
 3 striking the word "two" from the last line of said section and insert-  
 4 ing in lieu thereof the words "three and one-half", provided that,  
 5 in counties having a county high school where a child resides at  
 6 home and attends a high school outside the district of his residence  
 7 other than the county high school, and the school corporation where  
 8 the child resides pays the tuition for such child, and at the end of the  
 9 school year it is found that less pupils have attended the county high  
 10 school from the district where such child resides than was entitled to  
 11 attend under the county high school apportionment, then and in that  
 12 case the school corporation where such child resides shall be entitled  
 13 to be reimbursed from the county high school funds for the tuition so  
 14 paid, not exceeding in the aggregate an amount equal to the taxes  
 15 contributed by such district to said county high school funds for the  
 16 tax year preceding, fair and equitable credit being given to the county  
 17 high school fund for pupils actually attending said county high school  
 18 during said school year from the district where said child resides.  
 19 The county superintendent shall, on being applied to for such purpose,  
 20 determine in writing the amount due such corporation from the county  
 21 high school fund, and furnish such corporation with a copy of such  
 22 finding. Within twenty days thereafter such corporation may appeal  
 23 to the district court from such finding by serving written notice on the  
 24 county superintendent of the taking of such appeal. On the service  
 25 of said notice the county superintendent shall file a copy of his finding  
 26 in the office of the clerk of the district court and the clerk shall docket  
 27 the cause without fee. The matter shall be tried on appeal as in  
 28 equity and without formal pleading. The decision of the district court  
 29 shall be final. The treasurer shall, upon the filing with him of any  
 30 final decision, immediately transfer from the county high school funds  
 31 to the credit of the corporation entitled to the same the amount directed  
 32 to be transferred.

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**CHAPTER 235.**
**INTERSTATE DRAINAGE.**

H. F. 576.

AN ACT to provide for joint action between the duly constituted authorities of this state having jurisdiction of drainage proceedings and like authorities of adjoining states, with a view to joint and equitable drainage of lands of both states, and to provide for the procedure in such cases.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 **SECTION 1. Interstate drainage.** Whenever proceedings for the  
 2 drainage of lands within this state and bordering upon the state line  
 3 are had and the total cost, including all damage, of constructing the