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SEC. 39. Motor vehicle fund — department — additional for use of. The department may use in addition to the portion of the motor vehicle fund set apart as a maintenance fund, such further part of the motor vehicle fund as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act. The provisions of this section shall go into effect July 4, 1919.

SEC. 40. Act — date of taking effect — provisions — transfer of This act shall take effect December first, nineteen hun-1 department. 2 dred nineteen, except that application for registration may be had 3 and number plates and licenses issued at any time within thirty (30) 4 Provided further. days prior to said date, to be effective thereafter. 5 that those parts of this act relating to the filing of price lists and weights of motor vehicles and capacity of trucks and trailers by the 6 7 manufacturers of motor vehicles, fixing a valuation upon the different 8 kinds, makes and models of motor vehicles by the executive council as 9 a basis for fixing a license fee, the preparation of blanks, books, 10 indexes, the letting of contracts for number plates, containers, chauffeur's badges, providing for necessary clerks, the transferring of the 11 department to the secretary of state, and all preparations for putting 12 into effect this act not inconsistent with the existing law shall become 13 14 effective July 1, 1919.

Approved April 21, A. D. 1919.

## CHAPTER 276.

#### ELECTION EXPENSES AT MILITARY CAMPS IN 1918, ETC.

#### S. F. 137.

AN ACT to appropriate money to pay the salaries of certain persons who acted as judges and clerks of election in the year 1918 at the various military camps throughout the United States in taking the vote of persons in the military service, and to meet extraordinary expenses of the various commissioners who were appointed to take such vote, including a per diem for certain commissioners who made a survey at certain camps preliminary to the election.

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

SECTION 1. Military camps — election in 1918 — judges and 1 clerks — salaries. There is hereby appropriated out of any money 2 in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of twelve 3 hundred dollars (\$1200.00) to pay the salaries of persons who acted 4 as judges and clerks of election in the year 1918 at the various mili-5 tary camps throughout the United States in taking the vote of citi-6 zens of Iowa who were in the military service.

1 SEC. 2. Commissioners — expenses. There is hereby appropri-2 ated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated 3 the sum of thirteen hundred ninety-eight dollars (1398.00) to pay 4 necessary traveling expenses to each of certain commissioners who 5 were directed by the governor of the state to make a preliminary 6 investigation with reference to taking the soldier vote at certain mili-

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tary camps and to pay expenses incurred by the various commissioners
in attending a meeting of such commissioners at Des Moines, Iowa,
for the purpose of receiving instructions preliminary to taking the
vote, and extraordinary expenses including telephone, telegraph, postage, express, and carriage hire incurred while acting as commissioners.

1 SEC. 3. Appropriation — itemized claims. All money appropri-2 ated by this act shall be paid out upon itemized claims filed the same 3 as other claims against the state after being approved by the gov-4 ernor and audited by the board of audit.

1 SEC. 4. Publication clause. This act being deemed of immediate 2 importance shall be in full force and effect after its passage and pub-3 lication in the Des Moines Register and the Des Moines Capital, news-4 papers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 22, A. D. 1919.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register and Des Moines Capital April 23, 1919.

W. S. ALLEN, Secretary of State.

### CHAPTER 277.

#### CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICTS, ETC.

#### S. F. 530.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in Senate File two hundred and ninety-six (296), as enacted by the thirty-eighth (38) general assembly and approved April 5th 1919, relating to consolidated school districts, and to legalize the formation and organization of certain consolidated independent school districts.

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

SECTION 1. Consolidated school districts — formation and organization legalized. That the law as it appears in senate file number two hundred and ninety-six (296), as enacted by the thirty-eighth (38) general assembly and approved April 5th 1919, be and the same is hereby amended by adding to section one (1) thereof the following:

6 "In all cases in which, at the time of the taking effect of this act, 7 proceedings for the formation of a consolidated independent school dis-8 trict had been commenced but not completed, the formation of such 9 districts may be completed under the provisions of the law in force 10 prior to the passage of this act, except, that all elections hereafter 11 held in such cases shall be held under the provisions of this act".

12 And in all cases in which proceedings have been instituted to organ-13 ize a consolidated independent school district under the provisions of 14 section twenty seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplemental 15 supplement to the code, 1915, as amended by chapter four hundred 16 and thirty-two (432) of the acts of the thirty-seventh (37) general 17 assembly, and an election has been held at which there has been sub-