

Schools and Text Books.  
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House File No. 423. ✓  
By MORTON. ✓

## A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section twenty-four (24), chapter one hundred (100), acts of the forty-third (43rd) general assembly, and sections forty-two hundred twenty (4220), forty-two hundred twenty-nine (4229), code, 1927; also sections forty-two hundred twenty-eight (4228), code, 1927, as amended by chapter thirty-five (35), acts of the forty-third (43rd) general assembly, and forty-two hundred forty (4240), code, 1927, as amended by chapter one hundred four (104), acts of the forty-third (43rd) general assembly, relating to school boards.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 Section 1. That section twenty-four (24), chapter one hun-  
2 dred (100), acts of the forty-third (43rd) general assembly, be  
3 amended as follows:

4 1. By striking from line eleven (11) the word "and" and  
5 inserting in lieu thereof the words:

6 "except school townships that are divided into";

7 2. By adding thereto the following:

8 "In school townships that are divided into subdistricts  
9 the term of office of subdirector and director-at-large, if  
10 there be one, shall begin on the first secular day of July."

11 Sec. 2. That section forty-two hundred twenty (4220),  
12 code, 1927, be amended as follows:

13 1. By inserting immediately after the word "corporation"  
14 in line two (2) the following:

15 "except in school townships that are divided into  
16 subdistricts";

17 2. By adding thereto the following :

18 “The members elect of the school board in school town-  
19 ships that are divided into subdistricts shall meet on the  
20 third Monday in March at such time and place as the secretary  
21 of the township board shall designate for the purpose of  
22 effecting a temporary organization by the election of a  
23 temporary chairman and for the purpose of fixing the salaries  
24 of teachers for the ensuing school year. The secretary of the  
25 township board shall give notice to each member elect of the time  
26 and place of such meeting and shall act as secretary thereof.”.

1 Sec. 3. That section forty-two hundred twenty-eight  
2 (4228), code, 1927, as amended by chapter thirty-five (35),  
3 acts of the forty-third (43rd) general assembly, be amended  
4 by striking from lines seven (7), eight (8), and nine (9) the  
5 words :

6 “but the board may authorize any subdirector to employ  
7 teachers for the school in his subdistrict”,  
8 and inserting in lieu thereof the words :

9 “except that in school townships that are divided into  
10 subdistricts the teacher shall be selected by the subdirector  
11 with the approval of the county superintendent.”.

1 Sec. 4. That section forty-two hundred twenty-nine (4229),  
2 code, 1927, be amended by adding thereto the following :

3 “Contracts with teachers in school townships that are  
4 divided into subdistricts shall not be valid unless counter-  
5 signed by the county superintendent.”

1     Sec. 5. That section forty-two hundred forty (4240),  
2 code, 1927, as amended by chapter one hundred four (104), acts  
3 of the forty-third (43rd) general assembly, be amended as  
4 follows:

5     1. By striking from lines three (3), four (4), and five (5)  
6 the words:

7     “township and with it the members of the board who retired  
8 in the preceding March and the board of each independent school”;

9     2. By adding thereto the following:

10     “Following the annual meeting of the board in school town-  
11 ships divided into subdistricts the new township board shall  
12 meet and effect a permanent organization by electing a president,  
13 secretary, and treasurer, and shall also transact such other  
14 business as may properly come before the board.”.

1     Sec. 6. The term of subdirectors and directors-at-large in  
2 school townships that are divided into subdistricts which would  
3 otherwise expire the third Monday in March, 1932, is hereby  
4 extended to the first secular day in July, 1932.