

No. 348

AN ACT

To amend section seven hundred and six of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," authorizing supplies to be purchased by certain officials.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section seven hundred and six of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 706. School supplies shall be divided into two classes. The first class shall include school desks, chairs, typewriters, and school apparatus. The second class shall include maps, globes, and all other supplies, except textbooks necessary for school use, not included in the first class. *The board of school directors in any district may authorize or appoint the secretary of the board or other executive as purchasing agent for the district, with authority to purchase supplies of either class costing less than one hundred dollars (\$100).*

Public schools.

Section 706 of act of May 18, 1911 (P. L. 309), amended.

Classification of supplies.

Appointment of purchasing agent.

APPROVED—The 4th day of May, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 349

AN ACT

To amend section one thousand seven hundred and seven of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," as amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one thousand seven hundred and seven of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Com-

Public schools.

Section 1707 of act of May 18, 1911 (P. L. 309), as amended by act of April 7, 1925 (P. L. 166), further amended.

monwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," which was amended by section two of the act, approved the seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred sixty-six), entitled "An act to further amend sections one thousand seven hundred and one and one thousand seven hundred and seven as amended, of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and nine), entitled 'An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith,' and to repeal section one thousand seven hundred and two of said act," is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Pupils may attend high schools in other districts under certain conditions.

Section 1707. Pupils residing in school districts in which no public high schools are maintained may attend, during the entire term, the high schools in other districts which are nearest or most convenient to their homes. In any district which maintains a high school whose program of studies terminates before the end of the twelfth year, pupils who have satisfactorily completed the same or have completed a program of studies equivalent to said program of studies in some other school or schools, may attend, at the expense of the school board of the district in which they live, the nearest or most conveniently located high school of such type as they may desire to attend giving further high school work: Provided, That pupils wishing to attend a high school in a district other than the one in which they reside shall obtain the consent of the board of school directors of the district in which such high school is located before attending the same: And provided further, That where pupils desirous of having their tuition paid in a high school in another district, on account of having completed the program of studies in their own district, or its equivalent in some other school or schools, they must present to the board of their own district, and the board of the district in which they wish to attend, a certificate from the county superintendent who has jurisdiction over the district in which they live, that they have satisfactorily completed the equivalent of said program of studies: *And provided further, That the board of school directors of the district in which the said pupil and/or pupils reside may, by agreement in writing, provide for the attendance and tuition of the said pupil and/or pupils without the*

Proviso.

Consent of board where school located.

Proviso.

Certificate from county superintendent.

Proviso.

necessity of the said pupil and/or pupils taking the county examination, with the approval of the county superintendent in writing. County superintendents are hereby authorized and, in cases where the boards of the districts have not agreed as hereinbefore provided for, required to examine such pupils and, if entitled, to issue to them the necessary certificate.

Examination

APPROVED—The 4th day of May, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 350

AN ACT

To amend sections one and three of the act, approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and fifty-nine), entitled "An act conferring on the Department of Highways the right to change or protect existing stream channels on private lands adjacent to highways in order to protect the highways in a proper manner; and providing for the approval of said changes by the Department of Forests and Waters," by providing for the changing and protection of existing stream channels and for the payment of the cost thereof; and dispensing with the necessity of securing the consent of the owners of property affected by any change made under the provisions of the act.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of the act, approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred fifty-nine), entitled "An act conferring on the Department of Highways the right to change or protect existing stream channels on private lands adjacent to highways in order to protect the highways in a proper manner; and providing for the approval of said changes by the Department of Forests and Waters," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Department of
Highways.

Section 1 of act of
April 29, 1925 (P.
L. 359), amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the Department of Highways shall be and is hereby authorized to enter upon private property adjacent to, or in the vicinity of, highways or bridges constructed or maintained in whole or in part by the Commonwealth, and change or protect existing stream channels where it is deemed advisable, in order to protect improved highways or bridges within the limits of any borough or boroughs, town or township from damage due to erosion or high water. [Provided however that they shall have secured the consent of the owner of all property affected by said change.]

Protection of high-
ways or bridges by
change of stream
channels on private
lands.

Section 2. That section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 3 amended.

Section 3. Any damage resulting from the change or protection of a stream channel, as provided in this act, shall be considered as maintenance and shall be borne in the same proportion and by the same agencies as the maintenance of the highway. The actual cost of making any change or protecting any existing stream channel shall

Damages.

Cost of making
change.