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CHAP. 300

—schools to be free to the youth in any town or union of towns.

—precincts or union of precincts.

—school committee may admit pupils from without town, on payment of tuition, after passing examination.

the youth in such town or towns who have such scholastic attainments as will fit them to attend such schools with profit, and the superintendent, or superintending school committee, having supervision thereof shall make such examination of candidates for admission to said schools as they consider necessary.

When such school is established by any precinct or union of precincts, it shall be free in the same manner to the scholars within such precincts, and open also to scholars passing the required examination from without such precincts, but within the towns in which said precincts are situated, on payment to the agent of the precinct in which such school is located, of such tuition, to be fixed by the superintending school committee or committees having supervision of the same, as is equivalent to the cost a scholar of maintaining such school, after deducting the aid extended by the state. Whenever in the judgment of the superintending school committees having the supervision of any free high school or schools, the number of pupils in the same may be increased without detriment, scholars from without the towns directly interested in such school or schools, may be admitted to the same on passing the required examination and paying such tuition as may be fixed by such committee, to the treasurer of the town in which the school is kept, when the school is maintained by a town or union of towns, or to the agent of the precinct in which the school is kept, when such school is maintained by a precinct or union of precincts.'

Approved March 26, 1897.

Chapter 300.

An Act to amend Section fifty-five of Chapter thirty-eight of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter one hundred and seventy-four of laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, in relation to sale of Pressed Hay.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 55, chapter 38, R. S., as amended by chapter 174, laws, 1889, further amended.

—person receiving hay not marked liable to

Section fifty-five of chapter thirty-eight of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred and seventy-four of the public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, relative to the pressing of hay is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: 'no person who has received hay not marked as provided in this section shall defend any action for the price thereof upon

that ground, unless he shall prove that before the delivery of said hay to him, he requested the person from whom he bought the same to comply with the provisions of this section.'

CHAP. 301
defend action for price thereof.

Approved March 26, 1897.

Chapter 301.

An Act to amend Section six of Chapter one hundred and eleven of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter seventy-three of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, relating to the recording of Assignments of Wages.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section six of chapter one hundred and eleven of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter seventy-three of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "wages" in the fourth line, the words 'and if said assignor is commorant in an unorganized place while earning such wages, said assignment shall not be valid against any other person than the parties thereto unless said assignment is recorded by the clerk of the oldest adjoining town, provided there be an incorporated town adjoining such unincorporated place, and if there be no such adjoining town such assignment shall be recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the registry district in which said unincorporated place is located,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 6, chapter 111, R. S., as amended by chapter 73, laws, 1891, further amended.

'Section 6. No assignment of wages is valid against any other person than the parties thereto unless such assignment is recorded by the clerk of the city, town or plantation organized for any purpose in which the assignor is commorant while earning such wages; and if said assignor is commorant in an unorganized place while earning such wages said assignment shall not be valid against any other person than the parties thereto unless said assignment is recorded by the clerk of the oldest adjoining town, provided there be an incorporated town adjoining such unincorporated place, and if there be no such adjoining town such assignment shall be recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the registry district in which said unincorporated place is located, and the clerk's fee shall be twenty-five cents, and no such assignment of wages shall be valid against the employer unless he has actual notice thereof.'

Assignment of wages, not valid unless recorded, etc.

—where assignment shall be recorded.

—fees.

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