

CHAPTER 82.

AN ACT

[S. B. 68]

To provide encouragement and assistance to public libraries.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. The Territory of Alaska will furnish to associations incorporated under the laws of the Territory for the purpose of maintaining public libraries assistance to the extent of paying to such associations a sum equal to the sums which the latter shall expend in purchasing books and magazines for public libraries in the Territory, not to exceed One Hundred and Fifty (\$150) Dollars in any one year. Aid to libraries.

Section 2. Any such association desiring to receive the benefits of this Act shall file a copy of its articles of incorporation and by-laws with the Governor of the Territory, and shall after each election of officers file with the Governor a statement showing who are the officers of such association. It shall keep a detailed account of all its revenues, receipts and expenditures, and make report thereof to the Governor as often as the latter shall request it, but not less than once each calendar year. Filings with Governor necessary. Report.

Section 3. The Governor shall have authority to promulgate rules and regulations to govern the maintenance of libraries by such associations as shall wish to claim the benefits of this Act. Rules and regulations by Governor.

Section 4. Any association that during any calendar year has complied with the provisions of this Act and the rules thereunder promulgated by the Governor shall be entitled to receive from the Treasurer of the Territory, upon vouchers approved by the Governor, the amount provided by Section 1 of this Act. Provided, however, that no payment made for purchase of any books of a religious or sectarian nature, or for any Payment, how made. Proviso.

other property, except books and magazines, shall be counted as part of the sums for which reimbursement may be claimed under this Act.

Approved May 1, 1929.

CHAPTER 83.

AN ACT

[S. B. 84]

Creating a teachers' pension board, a teachers' pension fund, providing for the payment of pensions to teachers of the public schools of the Territory of Alaska, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Establish
teachers'
pension system.

Section 1. That a system of pensions for veteran and disabled teachers of the public schools of the Territory of Alaska is hereby created and established, and the creation, establishment and maintenance of such system is hereby declared to be required by sound public policy and for the improvement and betterment of the public schools of the Territory of Alaska.

Definitions.

Section 2. The term "public schools" as used herein shall mean all schools established or maintained under the provisions of Sections 322, 323, 324 and/or 627 of the Compiled Laws of Alaska, both within and without incorporated towns, all schools established or maintained under the laws passed by the Alaska Territorial Legislature, and all other schools of the Territory of Alaska supported wholly by the public funds of the United States or of the Territory of Alaska, or both, except the schools operated, established or maintained by the United States Bureau of Education. The term "public schools" as used herein shall not include the schools established, operated or maintained by the United States Bureau of Education, or any private or parochial school, or the Alaska Agricultural College