

therein an appropriation in the total amount so estimated to be required for the aforesaid purpose. At the maturity of the respective loans of any such city, so much of the sinking fund as may be needed for the payment thereof shall be drawn upon and used for their discharge as now provided by law.

Maturity of loans.

Inconsistent parts of act of June 25, 1919 (P. L. 581), repealed.

Section 2. So much of the act approved the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred eighty-one), entitled "An act for the better government of cities of the first class of this Commonwealth," and all other acts or\* parts of acts as may be inconsistent herewith, to the extent of such inconsistency, be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

When effective.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately upon its final passage.

\* "of" in the original.

APPROVED—The 28th day of May, A. D. 1937.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 263

AN ACT

To amend section two thousand eight hundred and nineteen 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," extending the provisions of said section relating to clauses and stipulations in and proposals for certain contracts to all school districts, and eliminating the requirements therein as to preparation and cutting of stone for school buildings.

Section 2819, act of May 18, 1911 (P. L. 309), amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section two thousand eight hundred and nineteen 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," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Stipulation in contracts.

Section 2819. All contracts, hereafter awarded and entered into by any school district, [of the first class]

shall contain a clause or stipulation requiring that no person shall be employed to do work under such contract except competent and first-class workmen and mechanics, and no workmen shall be regarded as competent and first-class, within the meaning of this act, except those who are duly skilled in their respective branches of labor, and who shall be paid *not less than* such rates of wages and for such hours' work as shall be the established and current rates of wages paid for such hours by employers of organized labor in doing of similar work [And provided, moreover, That cut stone to be used in such school district for school buildings shall be cut and prepared in the district in which such buildings are to be erected, and notice of that fact shall be stated in all proposals for the erection of such school buildings and in the contracts with the successful bidder therefor: And provided further, That the cost of cutting and preparation shall not be in excess of the price paid for labor for like work under private contracts in said district] *in the district where work is being done.*

APPROVED—The 28th day of May, A. D. 1937.

GEORGE H. EARLE

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No. 264

AN ACT

To authorize cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, and school districts to file suggestions of nonpayment and averments of default, or to sue out writs of scire facias on certain tax or municipal claims, and to revive judgments where the lien of such claims or the judgments thereon have been lost; and providing for the reinstatement of the liens of such claims and judgments.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That whenever any city, borough, incorporated town, township or school district has heretofore filed in the office of the prothonotary of the proper county any tax or municipal claim, and the city, borough, incorporated town, or township, or school district has not, within the period of five years after the date on which any such claim was filed, sued out a writ of scire facias to reduce the same to judgment, or in the case of a tax claim has not, within said period of five years, filed a suggestion of nonpayment and an averment of default, or whenever any writ of scire facias has been issued to reduce any such claim to judgment, and by reason of defense or any other court proceedings, judgment has not been entered within the period of five years after the date on which such writ was issued, or whenever any such tax or municipal claim has been reduced to judgment and the

Municipalities permitted to revive judgments where the lien has been lost.