

gious belief, and no member of the corporation shall ever be taxed without his or her consent, for the support of any minister or teacher of religion.

SEC. 19. This act may be altered, amended, or repealed at any time by the legislature of the Territory of Wisconsin.

SEC. 20. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED, February 6, 1845.

AN ACT to provide for the payment to the county of Dane, the sum therein mentioned.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

SECTION 1. The sum of two thousand six hundred and sixteen dollars is hereby appropriated and allowed to the county of Dane, Amount ap- being the amount expended by said county, in the completion of appropriated. the capitol, payable out of any money in the territorial treasury: *Provided*, That the said sum shall be paid to the board of coun- Proviso. ty commissioners of the county of Dane, and shall by them be appropriated exclusively for the purpose of building an academy in the village of Madison; the territory being by the payment of said sum, fully discharged from all liability to said Dane county for the money thus expended. At the next annual election the voters of Dane county may vote for or against the above act; and if a majority of those voting upon the question, shall vote for said act, then said act shall take effect; and not before that time: *Provided* Proviso. that Augustus A. Bird, the contractor, with the county of Dane, for completing the capitol, shall receive as a part of the sum above appropriated, the sum of four hundred dollars, the amount recommended by the county commissioners of said county, to be allowed to him, and the said county shall receive the balance of said appropriation, and the said Bird shall be entitled to receive the said sum allowed to him from the territorial treasury without any authority from the county of Dane therefor.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the county commissioners of Dane county, to report the amount of the territorial tax due from said county in each year, to the Treasurer of the Territory, who shall credit the county with the sum allowed in the first section of this act, and debit the county with the amount of the territorial revenue due from the said county in each year, as aforesaid.

Duty of county commissioners.

Sum how paid

SEC. 3. The said sum appropriated by this act, shall be paid out of the territorial treasury, out of any money therein not otherwise appropriated, at any time after all the debts now existing against the Territory, shall be paid, or when there shall be sufficient money in the treasury to pay all such pre-existing debts and the appropriation made by this act, and not before.

APPROVED, February 22nd, 1845.

AN ACT in relation to assessments in Richland county.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin.

SECTION 1. That so much of the second section of an act entitled "an act to establish the county of Richland, approved February 18, 1842, as authorizes the county commissioners of Iowa county to cause the assessment of personal property in said county of Richland, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED, February 22, 1845.