

CHAPTER 239.

[Published April 15, 1864.]

AN ACT to authorize the town supervisors of certain towns to transfer moneys from the general fund to the school fund, in certain cases.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. The boards of supervisors of such towns as have not had levied upon them, by the county board of supervisors in the school tax levy for 1863, a sum sufficient to entitle them to the apportionment of the school fund income for the year 1864, are hereby authorized to transfer from the general town fund to the school fund, a sum sufficient to meet the deficiency in the tax levy. Authority to transfer funds.

SECTION 2. Upon a certified copy of such transfer by the town clerk to the state superintendent, the said state superintendent is authorized to apportion to said towns the sums to which they would have been entitled, if a proper tax levy had been made upon such towns. Apportionment of school fund to town.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 240.

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AN ACT to amend chapter 187 of the general laws of 1859, entitled "an act to amend section twenty-one of chapter twenty-eight of the revised statutes, entitled 'of the school and university lands.'"

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and eighty-seven of the general laws of 1859, is hereby amended, by striking out from the word, "provided," in the seventh line of said section, to and including the Times of sales of school, university and swamp lands, and notice of same.

word, "counties," in the ninth line thereof, so that the section as amended, shall read as follows: "Section twenty-one of chapter twenty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: 'All sales at auction of school, university and swamp lands, and those selected in lieu of swamp lands, shall be made at such times and at such public places as the commissioners and governor shall designate; and the commissioners shall, previously to any such sale, cause a notice thereof, specifying the time when and the place where the same will be held, to be published once in each week for at least eight successive weeks, in the state paper at the capital, and in one newspaper printed in the county where such lands are situated, if any, but if there be no such newspaper, then in the newspaper printed nearest to the place where such lands are located; and the expenses of such publication of notices shall be audited and paid by the commissioners out of the income of the appropriate fund.'"

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

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CHAPTER 241.

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AN ACT to authorize the Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien railway company to issue stock to aid in adjusting and settling up outstanding farm mortgages, judgments, floating debts, income bonds and stock of the late Milwaukee and Mississippi railroad company.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Issue of stock authorized by company, to take up farm mortgages, &c.

SECTION 1. The Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien railway company is hereby authorized to issue to Louis H. Meyer, William Schall, Louis A. von Hoffman, Allen Campbell and John Catlin, surviving trustees of the assenting creditors of the Milwaukee and Mississippi railroad company, five thousand shares of common stock, to enable the said trustees or their sur-