

## CHAPTER 273.

[Published April 18, 1864.]

AN ACT granting to Seth C. McDonald the right to keep and maintain a steam ferry across the Wisconsin river.

(See supplement to local laws.)

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[Published April 18, 1864.]

AN ACT to authorize the issuing of town orders in payment of bounties to volunteers, credited to the town of Leon, Waushara county.

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

Chairman authorized to issue town orders.

SECTION 1. The chairman of supervisors and clerk of the town of Leon, Waushara county, are hereby authorized to issue town orders upon account of or in settlement of any claim for bounty due from said town to any volunteer or veteran who was mustered into the military service of the United States, between the first day of December, 1863, and the 24th day of February, 1864, and credited to said town of Leon, upon its proper quota under any call of the president for men, upon due proof in each case, by affidavit, that the volunteer claiming such bounty procured himself to be credited to said town of Leon, by reason of promises and with the expectation that he would receive for such credit such local bounty as might be voted to pay volunteers to fill the quota or quotas of such town.

Amount of each.

SECTION 2. The town orders so issued on account of bounty to each volunteer, shall be for the amount agreed upon and voted at a special town meeting held in said town of Leon on the 24th of February, 1864, to be raised and paid as town bounty to each volunteer necessary to fill the quota or quotas of said town. Said orders may be in the usual form, and may be made payable to the volunteers respectively, or to such person or

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persons as the volunteers may respectively designate in writing; and when issued, said orders shall be a legal and valid charge against said town of Leen, and shall be paid by tax duly levied on the property of said town, upon the assessment thereof for the year 1864.

To be legal charge against town.

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

Approved March 31, 1864.

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CHAPTER 275.

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AN ACT to amend section three of chapter one hundred and ninety of the general laws of 1859, entitled "of companies transacting business of insurance."

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

SECTION 1. Section three of chapter one hundred and ninety of the laws of eighteen hundred fifty-nine, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: "Section 3. It shall be the duty of every such insurance company, or some agent or agents thereof, before taking any risks or transacting any business of insurance in this state, to file in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county [of] which it, he or they may desire to establish an agency for any such insurance company or individuals, or to transact any business of insurance therein, a copy of the statement required to be filed with the secretary of state, as aforesaid, together with the certified copy of the certificate of said secretary, which shall be carefully preserved for public inspection by said clerk; and also said insurance company, association, partnership, firm or individual shall cause their statement and certificate to be published in the official state paper, and in some daily newspaper of general circulation printed in the city of Milwaukee, for two weeks; and such body or individual shall, before it, he or they, or any agent or agents thereof, shall take any risk or transact any business of insurance, furnish such agent or agents with two copies of such statement

Statement to be filed with clerk of circuit court.

Where statement to be published.

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