

CHAPTER 185.

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AN ACT to provide for the publication of certain collections of the state historical society, and for other purposes.

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

SECTION 1. Two thousand copies of the reports and collections of the state historical society of Wisconsin, shall be printed by the state printer, on the best quality of book paper, weighing not less than fifty pounds to the roam, for the use of the society in effecting its literary exchanges; such publication to be under the supervision and approval of the publication committee of the society, and of the governor and secretary of state, and to commence not sooner than 1867, and not to exceed one hundred and fifty pages in any one year, except for some cause satisfactory to the governor and secretary of state, the publication had been intermitted the preceding year; so that in each period of three years, the annual parts, successively paged, shall form a volume not exceeding four hundred and fifty pages, including the title page and full index; which parts shall be stitched and covered with a good quality of glazed paper.

Printing of report of 160 pages per year, for three years, authorized.

SECTION 2. The governor, secretary of state and state treasurer (*he and they*) are hereby constituted *ex officio* members of the executive committee of the state historical society, to represent the state therein, and have a watch-care of its interests, as provided in section three, chapter eighty-one of the revised statutes, and of chapter three hundred and twenty-seven of the general laws of 1860.

Certain state officers *ex officio* members of executive committee.

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

Approved April 12, 1866.