

ered to allow the accounts of the superintendent of schools of said county, for incidental expenses of his office, to an amount not exceeding two hundred dollars per annum, in addition to the allowance for stationery, postage and printing, provided for by law, and the same shall be paid as other accounts allowed against said county are paid.

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

Approved March 11, 1870.

CHAPTER 48.

[Published March 15, 1870.]

AN ACT to amend section 1 of chapter 164 of the general laws of 1865, entitled an act to amend chapter 40 of the general laws of 1861, entitled an act requiring owners of certain machines to guard against accidents.

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

Amended.

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter 164 of the general laws of 1865, entitled "an act to amend chapter 40 of the general laws of 1861, entitled 'an act requiring owners of certain machines to guard against accidents,'" is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section one of chapter 40 of the general laws of 1861, entitled "an act requiring owners of certain machines to guard against accidents," is hereby amended so as to read as follows: The joints or knuckles and jacks of the tumbling rods of all threshing machines hereafter used in this state, except S. N. Taylor's knuckle or coupling, patented February 16, 1864, and except J. I. Case & Co.'s safety knuckle or coupling, known as the universal safety knuckle, and C. W. Yates' safety coupling or knuckle, patented December 11, 1866, and except A. J. Langworthy's patent safety knuckle or universal joint, and except Hiram Dodge's improved shaft coupling, patented October 19, 1869, shall be securely enclosed in a box.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 11, 1870.

CHAPTER 49.

[Published March 14, 1870.]

AN ACT to provide for a course of instruction in the state normal schools for certain pupils of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

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

SECTION 1. The board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home are hereby authorized and empowered to select from the most proficient and best qualified pupils of said Home annually a number, not exceeding six, and to place such pupils in one of the state normal schools, and maintain them there at the expense of the state, while such pupils are pursuing a course of instruction for the purpose of qualifying them as teachers of common schools: *provided*, that the expenses of so maintaining them shall not exceed two hundred dollars in full for board, clothing and books, per annum for each pupil, and that no one pupil shall be so maintained for more than two years.

May select pupils to send to normal schools.

SECTION 2. Those to be placed in the normal schools for such course of instruction shall be selected from the pupils of the Home in the following manner, to wit: At the request of the board of trustees of said Home, the state superintendent of public instruction shall annually examine all pupils in the Home who are at the time of such examination fifteen years of age or more, in regard to their scholarship and other qualifications necessary for successful teachers of common schools, and shall designate by name all those so examined who, in his opinion, are qualified to enter upon the course of instruction herein provided for, and who will in his opinion, by such course of instruction, become successful teachers of common schools; and from the number so designated by such superintendent

How to be selected.