

CHAPTER 122.

[Published March 5, 1875.]

AN ACT to provide for the completion and furnishing of the Northern Hospital for the Insane.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Appropriation.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of ninety-eight thousand, seven hundred dollars, in full, for the completion of the south wing of the northern Hospital for the Insane and the construction of air-ducts, heating-apparatus, rain-water reservoirs, sewerage, and the supplying of gas fixtures.

Board of trustees to complete work specified.

SECTION 2. The Board of Trustees of the Northern Hospital for the Insane are hereby authorized to complete, by contract, the work herein specified, and for that purpose they are hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contracts with proper and responsible parties for the completion of said south wing, under such conditions, security and guarantees as shall effectually protect the interests of the State. And the said Board of Trustees shall advertise for twenty days in one paper in each of the cities of Oshkosh, Madison and Milwaukee, for sealed proposals for the completion of said south wing and the performance of such work hereby authorized, according to the plans and specifications determined, upon such terms and conditions as they shall deem essential for the interests of the State, and they are hereby empowered to contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the work herein provided for. The whole of said work to be completed on or before the first day of December, A. D. 1875.

Board shall advertise for sealed proposals.

Architect—his duties.

SECTION 3. The said Board of Trustees shall appoint a competent architect, whose duty it shall be to superintend the said work as it progresses, and who shall receive such compensation as said Board shall determine.

Architect to certify to all work done.

SECTION 4. The said architect shall, at the close of each month, make an estimate in detail of all work done and materials furnished during said month, under said contracts, and shall certify the same to the said Board of Trustees, and the said Board of Trustees, after having examined and approved said esti-

mates, shall draw warrants on the State Treasury for the said amounts less such per cent. as may be retained until the completion of the said contract, and of the work herein authorized and under the limitation provided in section one of this act.

SECTION 5. No member of the said Board of Trustees, or other officers of the said Hospital, shall, in any manner, or at any time, be interested either directly or indirectly, in any contract, or in doing any work or furnishing any materials provided for in this act, and any such trustee or officer being or becoming so interested shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon conviction be punished by a fine not exceeding ten thousand dollars, nor less than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than twelve months nor more than eighteen months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

No member of board or officers of hospital to be interested in contract.

Penalty for violation.

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

Approved March 2, 1875.

CHAPTER 123.

[Published March 6, 1875.]

AN ACT to provide for the incorporation of trustees to hold property for religious purposes in certain cases.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows.

SECTION 1. Any diocesan council or convention, conference, synod or other body of authorized representatives of any church or religious denomination in this state, may elect any number of trustees, not less than three, to be incorporated under this act for the purposes hereinafter stated.

Religious societies may elect trustees.

SECTION 2. When the persons so selected by any such body as aforesaid shall file in the office of the secretary of state a certificate, duly signed by the presiding officer and countersigned by the secretary of the body aforesaid, by which they were so elected, stating the name of the body, by whom elected, the names of the persons so elected, and the corporate name or title by which such trustees are to be known, the

Persons elected shall file certificate in office of secretary of state.