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CHAPTER 248.

AN ACT relating to swamp lands in certain locality. To repeal chapter 313 of the private and local laws of 1869, entitled "An act to authorize the use of money arising from the sale of certain swamp and overflowed lands in the county of Portage, for drainage purposes," and to amend chapter 537 of the laws of 1865, relating thereto, and also to repeal chapter 105 of the private and local laws of 1875, entitled "An act to amend chapter 313 of the private and local laws of 1869."

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

Repealed.

SECTION 1. Chapter 313 of the private and local laws of 1869, and chapter 105 of the private and local laws of 1875, are hereby repealed.

Moneys to be paid to towns in which swamp lands are situated. SECTION 2. All moneys now under the control of the commissioners appointed by said chapter 313 and all moneys which are by them receivable from any source arising from sales of swamp lands since the 4th day of March, 1875, shall within thirty days after the passage and publication of this act be paid over by the tressurer of said commissioners to the towns in which the swamp lands described in section 1st of said chapter 313 are situated.

Towns to have control over swamp lands. SECTION 3. The several towns in the county of Portage, in which any part of said swamp lands are situated, shall have the same control over them and the funds arising from the sale thereof, as is by general law provided for the distribution of swamp land funds among the several towns in this state.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 249.

AN ACT relating to the establishment and aid in the maintenance of free high schools, and amendatory of chapter 323, of the laws of 1875.

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

Amended.

SECTION 1. Chapter 323, of the laws of 1875, is hereby amended by adding thereto a section numbered