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CHAPTER 148.

AN ACT levying a state tax for the years 1897 and 1898.

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

SECTION 1. There shall be levied and collected for the year 1897, and also for the year 1898, respectively, a state tax of three-tenths (3-10) of one mill for each dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the state, in addition to all other taxes and charges authorized to be levied by existing laws for each year aforesaid. Said taxes shall be apportioned and certified by the secretary of state, for each year as aforesaid, to the several counties, and by the county clerks of the several counties, to the several towns, cities and incorporated villages in their respective counties, and shall be collected and paid over according to existing laws.

State tax of three-tenths of one mill to be levied.

SECTION 2. The secretary of state and state treasurer, by and with the consent of the governor, are hereby authorized to transfer from the trust funds of the state to the general fund, in case it may become necessary to meet the expenses of the state government, a sum sufficient for this purpose, to be returned to the trust funds from the general fund revenues of the state for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.

Transfer of trust funds authorized.

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

Approved March 31, 1897.