

### Chap. 34.

Published April 10, 1857.

AN ACT to ascertain the number and other facts respecting Deaf and Dumb, Blind, Insane and Idiotic persons in the State of Wisconsin.

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

Assessors to make returns of blind, dumb and idiotic persons, etc.

§ 1. That the Assessors of the several towns, wards or precincts, as the case may be, in the several counties in this State, while performing their duties as Assessors, shall ascertain and enter upon a schedule prepared for that purpose, the names, in full, of each deaf and dumb, blind, insane, and idiotic person in each town, ward, or precinct, together with the age, color, sex, occupation and place of birth of said persons; also the names of parents in full of said persons; also whether said persons are educated or not; also the number of children of said parents; also what affinity of blood, if any exists between said parents; also the number of deaf and dumb, blind, insane and idiotic children of said parents; and that said papers be returned to the Clerk of the County Board of Supervisors with the assessment roll, and by him returned to the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State shall furnish a schedule and all necessary paper for the use of the Assessors, accompanied with a printed copy of this act.

§ 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, March 2, 1857.

### Chap. 35.

Published, April 14, 1857.

AN ACT to authorize the Secretary of State to audit certain accounts for newspapers.

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

§ 1. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized and required to audit the accounts of the several news-