act to suspend the sale of certain lands mortgaged to the state, held by volunteers," as amended by chapter two hundred and sixty-three of the general laws of 1862, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: "Section 4. The provisions of this act are hereby extended to all persons who have been or who shall hereafter be mustered into the military service of the United States or either of the loyal states, either as a volunteer or drafted man : provided, it shall be made to ap- Provision. pear to the commissioners, by the affidavit of some person of good moral character, or by certificate from the proper officer, that the person for whom the benefit of this act is claimed is in the service of the United States or either of the loyal states, and that the person claiming the benefit of this act has not sold or transferred the said lands, but is the real and bona fide owner thereof; and provided, further, that said application for relief under this act, shall be made to the commissioners aforesaid before said lands shall have been sold for nonpayment of interest or principal, or in case said lands have been sold and transferred by the state, before the same shall be resold."

Approved April 2, 1864.

## CHAPTER 842.

[Published April 21, 1864.]

AN ACT to amend chapter four hundred and four of the private and local laws of 1867, entited "an act to incorporate the city of Prescott."

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

SECTION 1. Section three of chapter four of chapter Amendment. four hundred and four of the private and local laws of 1857, is hereby amended, by striking out the words, "the amount fixed and provided by the laws of this state," where they occur in the twenty-ninth and thirtieth lines of said section, and inserting in place thereof the words, "one hundred dollars."

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

Approved April 2, 1864.

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