

CHAPTER 211.

[Published March 24, 1874.]

AN ACT relating to the purchase of stationery,

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

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the superintendent of public property to provide samples of all the stationery necessary for the use of the state, and keep such samples for inspection in his office, and to furnish specimens of such samples to any person requiring such specimens for the purpose of bidding for furnishing such stationery, as far as the specimens demanded are of a kind to be furnished, and to advertise in two of the newspapers in the city of Madison, the city of Milwaukee, the city of Chicago, and the city of New York, weekly for four weeks, for bids for furnishing the state with the necessary stationery for the use of the state, and to let the contract for furnishing such stationery at such times and in such quantities as he shall deem necessary and proper, to the lowest bidder, who shall furnish security, satisfactory to the superintendent of public property, that he will furnish such stationery according to the terms of his bid and the contract entered into in pursuance of such bid: *provided, however,* preference shall always be given to any bidder residing and doing business in the state of Wisconsin, if said bid shall be as low, freight added, as that of any other bidder not doing business in this state.

Superintendent to provide samples and furnish specimens on demand.

To advertise for proposals.

To let the contract to the lowest bidder.

Bidder to furnish security.

To whom preference shall be given.

SECTION 2. If the superintendent of public property shall neglect or refuse to perform the duties imposed by this act, or shall corruptly enter into any contract, agreement or understanding with any bidder for furnishing stationery under the provisions of this act, or any other person for such bidder, by which contract, agreement or understanding such superintendent shall be in any manner benefited or the interests of the state shall in any manner suffer or be prejudiced, he shall, upon conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, nor less than one hundred dollars, or imprisoned in the county jail of Dane county for a period not less than six months nor more than two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Penalty for neglect to perform the duties imposed by this act.

Punishment for such neglect.

Acts repealed. SECTION 3. All other acts or parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 10, 1874.

CHAPTER 212.

AN ACT to appropriate to Carl Marquarett a sum of money therein named.

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

Sum appropriated \$464.77.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to Carl Marquarett the sum of four hundred and sixty-four dollars and seventy-seven cents (\$464.77,) out of any money not otherwise appropriated: *provided*, that this amount shall be in full satisfaction for all damages or claims against the state.

To be in full for all claims.

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

Approved March 10, 1874.

CHAPTER 213.

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AN ACT to appropriate to Wm. Sperman a sum of money therein named.

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

Sum appropriated \$357.22.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to William Sperman the sum of three hundred and fifty-seven dollars and twenty-two cents (\$357.22), out of any money not otherwise appropriated: *provided*, that amount shall be in full satisfaction for all damages and claims against the state.

To be in full for all claims.

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

Approved March 10, 1874.