twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). For filing every such articles of incorporation with the secretary of state and issuing a certificate of corporation, the corporators shall pay the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) and for filing with the secretary of state an amendment to articles already filed, they shall pay the sum of five dollars (\$5.00) and no articles or any such amendments shall be filed unless such fees be first paid and such sums shall be paid into the state treasury by the secretary of state.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved March 31, 1883.

[No. 357, A.]

[Published March 31, 1883.] CHAPTER 242.

AN ACT to appropriate to Chris. Leonhardt a certain sum of money therein named for expenses incurred by him in the matter of his contested seat as a member of this assembly.

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

Appropriation.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to Chris. Leonhardt the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for expenses actually incurred by him in defending his right to a seat in the assembly on the contest of George O. Spear.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved March 31, 1883.

[No. 468, A.]

[Published April 11, 1883.]

CHAPTER 243.

AN ACT to provide for the purchase of certain copies of Shepard's Wisconsin Digest for the use of the state, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor.

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

Purchase of Shepard's Digest. SECTION 1. The superintendent of public property is hereby authorized and directed to purchase for the use of the state from Messrs. Banks & Brothers, publishers, of New York city, two hundred (200) complete copies of "Shepard's Wisconsin Digest," to be published by said Banks & Brothers in two (2) volumes octavo, bound in full