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CHAPTER 301.

AN ACT relating to title to real property by descent, and amendatory of section 2271 of chapter 102 of the revised statutes.

Relating to real property by descent.

Section 1. Section 2271 of chapter 102 of the revised statutes, relating to title to real property by descent, is hereby amended by adding to said section, at the end thereof, the following: Provided, however, if there be no widow or minor child of such deceased owner of any homestead, living at the time of his death, such homestead shall be subject to and charged with the expenses of his last sickness, and of his funeral, and the costs and charges of administration; and provided, further, that if there be no widow, and no child, and no child of any deceased child of such deceased owner of any homestead, such homestead shall be subject to all the debts and liabilities of such deceased owner.

Section 2. This act shall be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 302.

AN ACT to appropriate to certain free high schools a certain sum, and amendatory of chapter 22 of the laws of 1882.

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

Relating to free high schools. Section 1. All free high schools of this state which were entitled to, and received state aid under the laws thereof for the five years next immediately preceding the year 1881, and which have been entitled to and received such aid for each year since the said year 1881, and which received no such aid for the said year 1881, shall be entitled to such aid for the year 1881, the same as though the time for payment of such aid had not expired in the year 1880, and until the year 1882.

Section 2. The state superintendent shall, this year, before the time fixed for the apportionment of state aid to the free high schools of the state, apportion to the said free high schools named in section one of this act, which received no state aid for the year 1881, the sum to which each such