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CHAPTER 186.

AN ACT to authorize the granting of unlimited state certificates to the graduates of the normal department of the Milwaukee High School.

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

Concerning graduates from the Milwaukee high school

SECTION 1. After any person has graduated from the Milwaukee high school and normal department thereof, and shall hold a diploma from the school board of Milwaukee certifying to these facts, and shall have successfully taught five years in a public school in this state, the state superintendent shall have authority to countersign the diploma of such teacher after such examination as to moral character, learning and ability to teach as to the said superintendent may seem proper and reasonable.

Diploma to be sufficient evidence.

SECTION 2. The diploma of such graduate, countersigned by the state superintendent as aforesaid, shall be evidence of the qualifications of such graduate to teach in any common school in this state, and shall have the force and effect of an unlimited state certificate.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 30, 1885.

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CHAPTER 187.

AN ACT to amend chapter 315, of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled, "An act to amend section 1319, of the revised statutes, relating to erecting and repairing bridges."

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

Law relating to the erection and repairs of bridges amended.

SECTION 1. Section 1, of chapter 315, of the laws of 1881, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 1319. Whenever the town board

of supervisors of any town shall file its petition with the county board of supervisors of the county in which such town is situated, setting forth the fact that said town has voted to construct or repair any bridge or bridges, wholly or partly within such town, designating, as near as may be, the location of such bridge or bridges, and further stating that such town has provided for the payment of one half of the cost of such construction or repairs, and that the cost of said bridge or bridges or repairs exceeds one fourth of one per centum of all the taxable property in said town, according to the last equalized valuation; the said county board shall appropriate the other half of such cost, and cause such sum to be levied upon the taxable property of the county as will, with the amount provided by said town, be sufficient to defray the expense of erecting or repairing such bridge or bridges so petitioned for, and such money, when collected, shall be paid out on the order of the chairman of the county board and county clerk, whenever the said town shall notify them that the work has been completed and accepted. The county board shall, at the time of acting upon such petition, designate two of its members who shall act as its commissioners, and who shall co-operate with the supervisors of such town, and the supervisors of such town and said commissioners from the county board, shall have full charge and authority to act in the letting, inspection and acceptance of the work; provided, however, that nothing in this act contained shall be construed to prohibit any county from constructing or repairing any bridges in such county if it shall so desire, and in case the whole of the cost of the construction or repairs of any bridge or bridges is to be borne by any county, or in case any county shall arrange with such town so as to assume and have exclusive charge of such work, then the county board may direct the letting, inspecting and acceptance of such work in such manner as it may deem proper; provided, however, that nothing in this act contained shall, in any manner, authorize the levy of any tax upon the property in any incorporated city or village, that maintains its own bridges and as to any such cities or villages, this act shall not apply.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.
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CHAPTER 188.

AN ACT to correct certain errors in sections 1 and 2, of chapter 6, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, relating to the assessing, levying and collecting of taxes.

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

Levying and
collecting of
taxes.

SECTION 1. The word, "and," where it first occurs in the sixth line of section 1, and also the whole of section 2, of said chapter 6, are hereby stricken out, and in lieu thereof, the said section 2 shall read as follows:

ASSESSOR'S BOOK.

SECTION 2. All the real estate in the city of Oconto, subject to taxation, shall be correctly and fully described in numerical order in a book to be kept for that purpose, in the office of the register of deeds of Oconto county, which book shall be known and designated as the "Assessor's Book of the city of Oconto."

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.
Approved March 30, 1885.