

Majority of commissioners competent to act

this act, shall be competent to do and perform all acts required to be done and performed by the said commissioners, and the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall draw upon the said Receiver for all sums to be expended and disbursed, under any of the provisions of this act, and the purposes of the expenditure shall in

Receiver to pay drafts of commissioners and report to the Legislative Assembly.

all cases be specified in such drafts, and the said Receiver shall pay all such drafts if the expenditure be authorized by this act, and shall upon making such payments, take up such drafts, and the receipts of the drawers, which shall be vouchers for him in the settlement of his accounts, and he shall report annually to the Legislative Assembly, and state his accounts, showing his receipts and expenditures, and the amount of money on hand.

Papers to be preserved in executive office.

SEC. 14. That all papers directed by this act to be forwarded to, or filed with the Governor of the Territory, shall be by him preserved in the executive office, and the records of the proceedings of the said commissioners appointed by this act, and all papers filed with them, shall at all times be open to the inspection and examination of any person having business therewith. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED, February 18th, 1845.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "an act to provide for the support of illegitimate children," approved February 17th, 1841.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

SECTION 1. That so much of section four of an act entitled "an act to provide for the support of illegitimate children," approved February 17th, 1841, as refers to the first section of said act, be, and the same is hereby repealed, and in case any person accused as provided in the first section of said act, shall not comply with provisions of the second section thereof, the justice before whom the complaint shall be made shall bind such person in a recognizance as provided in said fourth section, and in case of neglect or refusal to give such security said justice shall cause such person to be committed to jail as provided in said fourth section.

Accused to enter into recognizance.

SEC. 2. That whenever any person shall be required to give bail for the maintainance of any child by the provisions of this act or of the act of which this is amendatory, he shall also, at the same time, and in the same bond, be required to give security for the payment of all costs and expenses incurred for the lying in and the support and attendance upon the mother of such child, during her sickness; and also for the care and support of such child prior to the giving of such bond. To give security for support of mother during sickness.

APPROVED, February 24th, 1845.

AN ACT to incorporate the Village of Fairplay.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin.

SECTION. 1. That all of section twenty-five, town two range one west of the fourth principal meridian, in the county of Grant, shall hereafter be known by the name of the Village of Fairplay and the inhabitants residing, or who may hereafter reside on said section, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name; [of] "The trustees of the Village of Fairplay," and by that name they and their successors forever hereafter shall and may have perpetual succession, and shall be persons in law capable of suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded, answering and being answered unto, defending and being defended in all courts and places, and in all suits whatsoever. Limits of the town.

SEC. 2. The inhabitants of said corporation are hereby authorized to elect at such time and place in said corporation as they may think most convenient, a President and two Trustees, who shall have full power and authority over all acts that may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of an act of the Congress of the United States, entitled "an act for the relief of the citizens of towns upon the lands of the United States under certain circumstances," Approved, May 23, 1844. Officers to be elected.

APPROVED, February 24, 1845.