be laid before the legislature for the use of the members thereof.

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

Approved April 2, 1863.

## CHAPTER 276.

[Published April 23, 1868.]

AN ACT to authorize the state treasurer and secretary of state to omit from their annual reports, detailed statements of the receipts and disbursements of the war fund, the allotment fund and the fund in aid of the families of volunteers.

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

SECTION 1. The secretary of state and the state Detailed statements of distributed are hereby authorized to omit from their and bursements from nual reports, detailed statements of the receipts and war fund, may disbursements in the war fund, the allotment fund and the fund in aid of the families of volunteers.

SECTION 2. The provisions of any acts conflicting Repeal. with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved April 2, 1863.

## CHAPTER 277.

[Published April 23, 1863.]

AN ACT to authorize the trustees of the Wisconsin state hospital for the insane to investigate and settle the claim of Mathias Martin for clearing the grounds upon which the institution is located.

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

SECTION 1. The trustees of the Wisconsin state hos-southement of pital for the insane are hereby authorized and empow-tin.

ered to investigate the claim of Mathias Martin for services in clearing the grounds upon which said hospital is located; and if any amount is found to be due said Martin, they shall draw their warrant upon the state treasury for such amount, which shall be sufficient authority for the state treasurer to pay the same.

Appropriation.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient to pay the warrant authorized by the preceding section.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage.

Approved April 2, 1863.

## CHAPTER 278.

[Published April 23, 1863.]

AN ACT to vacate the village plat of Pittsburg, located on the north-east quarter of the south-west quarter of fractional section thirty-six, (36,) in town nine, (9,) range two west, and to provide for the sale of the same.

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

Vacated.

SECTION 1. That the plat of the village of Pittsburg, laid out and platted by the commissioners of school and university lands, in the year 1849, upon the north-east quarter of the south-west quarter of fractional section number thirty-six, (36,) town nine, (9,) of range two west, be and the same is hereby vacated.

Lands to be advertised and sold to highest bidder.

SECTION 2. The commissioners of school and university lands are hereby authorized to offer the above described land for sale, after causing the same to be advertised at least four successive weeks in a newspaper published in the county where the land is located, previous [previously] to the day of sale, when it shall be offered for sale at public auction, and sold to the highest bidder, without reference to the appraisement of the same as village lots: provided, it shall not be sold for less than three dollars per acre. If not sold at public auction, it shall then be subject to private entry,

Minimum.