

Executions in justices' courts may issue at any time within five years.

SECTION 2. Section 175 of chapter 120 of the revised statutes, entitled "of courts held by justices of the peace," is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: "Section 175. Upon every judgment rendered by a justice, execution shall be issued by such justice, or his successor in office having custody of the docket containing such judgment, in the manner hereinafter prescribed, at any time, upon demand, within five years from the rendition of such judgment."

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

Approved April 2, 1863.

CHAPTER 287.

[Published April 16, 1863.]

AN ACT to reduce the price of school and university lands, and to provide for the future sale thereof.

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

Prices of lands forfeited and resold to state.

SECTION 1. The commissioners of school and university lands are hereby authorized and required to graduate and reduce the prices of school and university lands now belonging to this state, in the manner hereinafter specified. Upon all such lands which have once been sold and forfeited, and resold to the state, and which shall remain in the hands of the state unsold on the day of the passage of this act, the price shall be reduced, by deducting from the price now fixed by law, the amount of the interest, penalties and advertising due the state at the time of such resale, and twenty per cent. of the amount of principal due the state at the time of the forfeiture: *provided*, that in no case such lands shall be sold for less than seventy-five cents per acre, exclusive of all taxes.

Minimum.

Prices of lands offered for sale, but not sold.

SECTION 2. Upon all school and university lands now belonging to the state, which have once been offered for sale and not sold, and which shall remain unsold on the day of the passage of this act, the price now fixed by law shall be reduced, by deducting therefrom

thirty-three and one-third per cent: *provided*, that in Minimum.
no case such land shall be sold for less than seventy-five
cents per acre.

SECTION 3. At least one-fourth of the purchase How purchase
money to be paid.
money of all school and university lands shall be paid
at the time of the sale thereof, and the commis-
sioners may require the whole price thereof at the time
of sale, if, in their judgment, the interests of the state
shall demand it. In case full payment be made at the
time of purchase, no affidavit shall be required of the
purchaser.

SECTION 4. All acts and parts of acts contravening Repeal.
the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force
from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 288.

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AN ACT relating to the payment of the reward offered by the gov-
ernor for the apprehension of the murderer of Thomas W. Tay-
lor.

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

SECTION 1. The governor is hereby authorized to Governor to de-
termine who is
entitled to the
reward, &c.
ascertain and determine who, if any one, is entitled to
receive the reward offered by his proclamation, dated
January 6, 1863, for the apprehension and delivery of
the murderer of Thomas W. Taylor, and may certify
such determination, with the amount due, to the secre-
tary of state, who, upon the receipt of such certificate,
shall draw his warrant upon the state treasurer in favor
of the person named in such certificate, as entitled to
said reward, and for the amount therein mentioned.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated out of any Appropriation.
funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the
sum of five hundred dollars, to pay the reward men-
tioned in section one.

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