

for the year 1852, entitled "an act to authorize the business of banking in the state of Wisconsin," approved May 15th, 1858, and setting forth in said certificate the amount to which such capital stock is to be reduced: *provided*, that said bank shall not be allowed to reduce its capital stock to an amount less than its circulating notes outstanding at the time of the filing of the certificate required in this section; and said bank shall be required to pay to the state treasurer all taxes due to the state on the full amount of its capital up to and including the day on which such certificate is filed with the bank comptroller.

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SECTION 2. The president and cashier of the bank named in section one of this act, shall file in the office of the register of deeds in the county where said bank is located, a certificate, under oath, stating the sum to which the capital stock of said bank is reduced.

Certificate to be filed.

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

Approved April 5, 1865.

CHAPTER 296.

[Published May 19, 1865.]

AN AOT relative to the registration of electors, and amendatory of section one of chapter four hundred and forty-five of the general laws of 1864, entitled "an act to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise, and to preserve the purity of elections, by a registration of electors."

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

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter four hundred and forty-five of the general laws of 1864, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: "The persons authorized by law to act as inspectors of elections in any town, ward or incorporated village in this state, shall constitute a board of registry for their respective towns, wards or villages, and their duties shall be as follows: The said board shall annually make a list, as hereinafter prescribed, of all persons qualified and entitled to vote at the then ensuing gen-

Inspectors of election to constitute board of registry.

Annually to make list of qualified electors

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eral election, in the election district of which they are inspectors. The said inspectors at their first meeting, on Tuesday, three weeks preceding each general election, shall have power, if necessary, to sit two days for the purpose of making said list: *provided*, that at the annual election next prior to said meeting, the number of voters in the district of which they are inspectors, exceeded four hundred."

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

Approved April 5, 1865.

CHAPTER 297.

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AN ACT to amend chapter 415 of the laws of 1852, entitled "an act to incorporate the Mineral Point railroad company," and chapter 67 of the laws of 1853, entitled "an act to amend an act entitled 'an act to incorporate the Mineral Point railroad company.'"

(See supplement to local laws.)

CHAPTER 298.

[Published May 20, 1865.]

AN ACT to authorize the town of Norway to collect certain taxes voted and raised therein, for bounty purposes.

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

Bounty tax may
be assessed and
collected.

SECTION 1. The town board of supervisors of the town of Norway, in the county of Racine, are hereby authorized and required, within twenty days after receiving a certified copy of a final order of court, dissolving the injunction heretofore granted to restrain the collection of that certain tax voted and raised for bounty purposes, at a special town meeting held in