

CHAPTER 48.

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AN ACT to legalize the proceedings of certain town meetings in the town of Burnett, Dodge county, Wisconsin, at which bounties were voted to volunteers.

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

Bounty tax proceedings legalized.

SECTION 1. The proceedings of the town of Burnett, in the county of Dodge, and state of Wisconsin, at two town meetings, one the annual town meeting, held April fifth, 1864, the other a special town meeting, held August twenty-sixth, 1864, at which taxes were voted to be raised to pay bounties to volunteers, are hereby declared to be legal and valid in all respects and for all purposes.

Collection of tax:

SECTION 2. The town treasurer of said town is hereby authorized to proceed and collect all the unpaid taxes voted to be raised by tax at said town meetings, to pay bounties to volunteers, and extended on the assessment roll of said town for the year 1863, which he was directed to collect by the warrant of the town clerk thereto annexed, and dated April twenty-fifth, 1864, and the warrant of the town clerk thereto annexed, and dated September twelfth, 1864; and for that purpose and for making his returns, the said town treasurer is hereby vested with all the power, authority and emoluments given to him by the laws of this state, in relation to the collection and return of the usual annual taxes; and his return to the county treasurer of his doings under said warrants, shall be received by the said county treasurer, and in relation to unpaid taxes shall have the same force and effect and be subject to the same laws, as the usual annual returns of town treasurers.

Return of delinquent taxes.

SECTION 3. All the acts of the supervisors, town clerk and treasurer of said town, in each and all of the steps by them or either of them taken for and in the collection of said taxes, are hereby declared legal and valid, the same as if such steps had been taken in pursuance of law previously enacted.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved February 18, 1865.