the schools, shall be exempt from the provisions of this act relating to county superintendents of schools, except in the matter of making reports to the superintendent of the district in which such city is situated. The electors of such city shall have no voice in electing a county superintendent, nor shall the members of the county board of supervisors from said city have any voice in determining or providing for the compensation of such county superintendent, or in any other matter relating to such officer; nor shall any tax be levied on said city to pay the salary or per diem of such superintendent, nor shall the population of such city be enumerated or counted with the other inhabitants of the county by the board of supervisors in estimating or determining the compensation of such superintendent.

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

Approved March 11, 1869.

CHAPTER 178.

[Published March 23, 1869.]

AN ACT to protect insect-devouring birds near cities in the state of Wisconsin.

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

Not to destroy insect-devour-ing birds.

SECTION 1. It shall not be lawful for any person to destroy, or kill by any device whatsoever, brown thrushes, blue birds, martin, swallow, wren, cat-bird or any other insect-eating bird of any kind; provided, the same shall be within two miles of any incorporated city of this state.

Penalty.

Section 2. And any person who shall violate in any manner the provisions of section 1 of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars. Justices of the peace shall have concurrent jurisdiction of the offense mentioned in this act: provided, that any person

convicted in the justice's court of any offense of the provisions of this act, may appeal therefrom, as provided by law in criminal cases.

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

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CHAPTER 179.

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AN ACT fixing the compensation of town assessors.

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

SECTION 1. Town assessors shall be entitled to compensation three dollars per day and at the same rate for parts of a day, for all services actually performed by them in the discharge of the duties of their office.

SECTION 2. Section 112 of chapter 15 of the revised Amended. statutes, and all other [acts] and parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act, are hereby amended to correspond with the provisions of this act.

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

Approved March 11, 1869.