

of five per cent. over to the treasurer of the firemen's relief association of such city; and all rules and by-laws adopted by such association from time to time, fixing the rate of health and life insurance, and of the rates of relief to be furnished to the families of disabled and deceased members, shall be subject to the approval of the mayor of such city.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 25, 1872.

CHAPTER 167.

[Published April 4, 1872.]

AN ACT relating to the publication of lists of lands and lots on which taxes remain due and unpaid.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 276 of the general laws of 1861 is hereby amended by striking out the words, "six months" where they occur in said section, and insert in lieu thereof the words, "one year," so that said section as amended will read as follows: Section 1. Chapter 22 of the general laws of 1859, entitled "an act relative to the sale of lands for unpaid taxes, and the conveyance and redemption thereof," approved February 19, 1859, is hereby amended as follows: After section 55 of said chapter, insert: "*pro-*vided, the notice mentioned in section 16 and section 55 in said chapter shall be published in the newspaper printed and published in said county, if there be one, which shall have been established therein and published with ordinary regularity as a weekly newspaper for one year prior to the date of such notice; *and provided further*, it shall be unlawful for any town or county officer or board of supervisors to make any contract, bargain or agreement with the printer or any other person by which the said fees or any part thereof may or shall, directly or indirectly, inure to the use or benefit of such town or county officer; and if such

Amended.

How notice to be published.

Unlawful for officers to make contract with printer.

town or county officer shall, directly or indirectly, receive the same or any part thereof; the person or persons so offending against the provisions of this act shall be severally liable in their official bonds, to the printer publishing said notice, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars, to be recovered in an action to be instituted at any time within two years from the taking or receiving thereof."

SECTION 2. All acts and parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 25, 1872.

CHAPTER 168.

[Published April 8, 1872.]

AN ACT to authorize the purchase of a tract of land for the Wisconsin Institute for the Education of the Blind.

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

May purchase
land.

SECTION 1. The trustees of the Wisconsin Institute for the Education of the Blind are hereby authorized and empowered to purchase for the use of said institute the tract of land lying west of the land upon which said institute is situated, and between it and the land belonging to said institute, and used by it as a pasture, being about ten acres of land. The sum of fourteen hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purchase of said land.

Appropriated.

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

Approved March 25, 1872.