

CHAPTER 70.

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AN ACT to appropriate to Conrad Krez a sum of money.

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

Appropriation.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to Conrad Krez, from the general fund, out of any money not heretofore appropriated, the sum of three hundred and seventy-two dollars and sixty cents (\$372.60) and interest thereon from March 7, 1862, for his pay as colonel in the service of the state, previous to his muster in the service of the United States.

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

Approved March 1, 1876.

CHAPTER 71.

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AN ACT to authorize the secretary of state to order the binding of the report of the state superintendent of public instruction.

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

Report to be bound in cloth.

SECTION 1. The secretary of state is hereby authorized and directed to order and procure the binding, in a substantial manner, in cloth, of two hundred (200) copies of the report of the state superintendent of public instruction for the year 1874, two hundred (200) copies of his report for 1875, and the same number of copies of said report annually thereafter; *provided*, that the cost of such binding shall not exceed thirty cents per copy.

How bound volumes to be distributed.

SECTION 2. Whenever said reports shall be bound, they shall be delivered to the state superintendent of public instruction to be distributed by him, in his discretion, to school officers, to the libraries of the normal schools, and of such institutions as he may think proper, and in exchange for reports from other states and countries.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated, out of the Appropriation. general fund, a sum sufficient to pay for the binding of said reports of 1874, and 1875, as herein provided for, and annually thereafter.

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

Approved February 29, 1876.

CHAPTER 72.

AN ACT to authorize the construction of a pontoon bridge or a railway ferry from some feasible point in Buffalo county, in the State of Wisconsin, to some feasible point in the State of Minnesota.

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

SECTION 1. The Green Bay and Minnesota Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to build and construct across the Mississippi River, at and from some feasible point in Buffalo county, Wisconsin, to some feasible point on the Minnesota shore of said river, which is now or shall be hereafter authorized by the legislature of the state of Minnesota, and to use and operate, as a part and parcel of their railroad, a pile and pontoon railroad bridge of the character described in an act of Congress, approved June 6, 1874, relating to pontoon bridges at Prairie du Chien and Clinton; *provided*, that in the bridge hereby authorized but Authority to maintain pile and pontoon bridge. one draw shall be required, which draw shall not be less than four hundred feet in width, and shall be located in and over the main channel of said river; *provided further*, that said bridge shall conform to all restrictions and requirements of any and all acts of Congress heretofore passed, so far as applicable thereto. proviso.

SECTION 2. The said railroad company, its successors and assigns, for the purpose of building or constructing, or aiding in the building or construction of said bridge, and the railroad over the same, are hereby authorized and empowered to make, execute and issue their corporate bonds, bearing interest not exceeding ten per cent. per annum, and to secure payment thereof by a mortgage or trust deed, either on said bridge alone, or on their entire corporate property and franchises, such bridge included. Authority to issue bonds.