

by amended by striking out the words "the land described in," in the seventh line of said section, so that said section when so amended shall read as follows: Section 1177. Whenever any certificate given by the county treasurer for lands sold for taxes shall be lost or wrongfully withheld from the owner and such land shall not have been redeemed, the county board may receive evidence of such loss or wrongful detention, and on satisfactory proof of the fact may cause a deed as aforesaid to be executed to such person as may appear to them to be the rightful owner of such certificate of the lands described therein; but no such deed, if wrongfully or improperly granted, shall be binding on the county in respect to any of its covenants, nor shall it vest any right, title or interest in the grantee or his assigns.

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

Approved March 4, 1882.

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#### CHAPTER 49.

AN ACT to appropriate to the commissioners of fisheries a sum of money herein designated.

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

Appropriation.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the commissioners of fisheries the sum of seven thousand dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended by them in the artificial propagation and distribution of fish, pursuant to the provisions of the statute.

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

Approved March 4, 1882.

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#### CHAPTER 50.

AN ACT to authorize the common council of the city of Watertown to levy a tax for the purpose of building iron bridges.

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

May levy tax to build iron bridges.

SECTION 1. Section 4 of chapter 3 of chapter 233 of the laws of 1865, entitled an act to consolidate and

amend an act to incorporate the city of Watertown and the several acts amendatory thereof, is hereby amended by adding to said section the following: The said common council is authorized to levy a tax, not to exceed five mills on the dollar, upon all the property liable to taxation in said city, toward the building and purchase of two iron bridges; provided, that the amount so levied and collected, as authorized by this act, shall be appropriated to no purpose, except such as specified in this act.

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

Approved March 4, 1882.

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#### CHAPTER 51.

AN ACT to repeal chapter 204 of the laws of 1881, entitled an act to amend section 1556 of the revised statutes, relating to the sale of intoxicating drinks.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 204 of the laws of 1881, entitled an act to amend section 1556 of the revised statutes, relating to the sale of intoxicating drinks, is hereby repealed. Repealed.

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

Approved March 4, 1882.

[No. 19, S.]

[Published March 10, 1882.]

#### CHAPTER 52.

AN ACT relating to the platting of lands in villages.

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

SECTION 1. Every person owning any tract of land in or adjoining any village or city, who shall cause the same to be subdivided into lots, streets and alleys under the provision of chapter 101 of the revised statutes, shall cause the streets and alleys to be surveyed and platted in such manner that they shall properly connect with the established streets and alleys and also correspond in width and general direction with the same; provided, that in case it is impracticable to lay out any streets or alleys, in the manner above directed, the president and trustees of the village and the

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