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CHAPTER 191.

AN ACT to appropriate to the Southwestern Wisconsin Industrial Association, a sum of money therein named.

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

Appropriation
for 1885 and
1886.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Southwestern Wisconsin Industrial Association, out of any money in the general fund not otherwise appropriated, the sum of nine hundred dollars for the year 1885, and nine hundred dollars for the year 1886; provided, that no warrant shall be drawn by the secretary of state for the payment of the sum of money hereby appropriated, except upon the presentation of a sworn statement, signed by the president and secretary of said Southwestern Wisconsin Industrial Association, certifying that the sale of intoxicating liquors has been prohibited and prevented upon the fair grounds of said society during the year for which the appropriation is made; neither has any gambling been permitted on the fair grounds during the same time.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.
Approved March 30, 1885.

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CHAPTER 192.

AN ACT relating to liens for services upon logs and timber, and amendatory of section 3331, of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 192, laws of 1880, section 2, chapter 330, laws of 1881, and section 2, chapter 319, laws of 1882.

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

Liens upon
logs—law
amended.

SECTION 1. Section 3331, of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 192, laws of 1880, section

2, chapter 330, laws of 1881, and section 2, chapter 319, laws of 1882, is hereby amended by striking out the word, November, wherever it occurs in said sections, and inserting in lieu thereof the word, September, so that said section, when amended, will read as follows: Section 331, (as amended by chapter 192, 1880, section 2, chapter 330, 1881, and section 2, chapter 319, 1882). No debt or demand for such labor or service shall remain such lien unless a claim therefor in writing shall be made and signed by the claimant or his attorney, and verified by the claimant or some one in his behalf, in the same manner that pleadings in civil actions may be verified, setting forth the nature of the debt or demand for which the lien is claimed, the amount claimed to be due, a description of the logs, timber or lumber against which the lien is claimed, and that the claimant claims a lien thereon pursuant to this chapter to which this is amendatory, such petition, except for labor or services done in the counties hereinafter particularly named, shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which such labor or services was done or performed, and for such labor or services done or performed in the counties of Shawano, Waupaca, Outagamie and Fond du Lac, or in such parts of the counties of Brown, Oconto and other counties wherein such logs, timber or lumber are got out upon the Wolf river, or any of its tributaries, or for the purpose of being run down said river or its tributaries. Such claim for lien shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the city of Oshkosh. If the labor or services are done between the first day of September and the first day of May following, the claim for lien shall be filed on or before the first day of June next thereafter, except as hereinafter provided; but if done after the first day of May and before the first day of September thereafter, or if said labor or services shall be continuous from the first day of September beyond the first day of May following, the claim for lien shall be filed within thirty days after the last day of doing or performing such labor or services, and such labor or services shall be deemed continuous notwithstanding a change of ownership in said logs, timber or lumber or employers for whom said labor or service shall be done or per-

formed; provided, that such claim for lien or labor, or services done or performed on telegraph poles, railroad ties, cord wood and tan or other bark as aforesaid, shall be filed within thirty days from and after the last day of doing and performing such labor or services. Such clerks shall receive twenty-five cents for filing each such claim for lien, and for certified copies thereof, the fees allowed by the law for certified copies of papers to clerks of circuit courts.

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

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CHAPTER 193.

AN ACT to amend section 1794, of the revised statutes of 1878, relating to duties of Railroad Commissioners.

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

Duties of railroad commissioner.

SECTION 1. Section 1794, of the revised statutes of 1878, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section 1794. Such commissioner shall inquire into any neglect or violation of the laws of the state by any railroad corporation doing business therein, or by the officers, agents or employes thereof, or by any person operating a railroad. He shall inspect and examine the condition, equipment and manner of management of all railroads with relation to the public safety and convenience. He shall also examine and ascertain the pecuniary condition and the manner of the financial management of every such railroad corporation. Whenever he shall receive any complaint in writing, made by any citizen of this state, of any such neglect or violation of law, specifying the acts complained of, the said commissioner shall forthwith notify the railroad corporation complained of, in writing, specifying the charges set forth in said complaint, and fixing a time and place at which he will investigate the