

ively. The certificates of indebtedness herein provided for shall be made payable to the commissioners of the public lands, and shall be signed by the chairman of said county board, and by the mayor of said city respectively, and countersigned by the clerks thereof respectively. All moneys obtained in exchange for said certificates shall be used for the purpose of paying the bonded indebtedness of said county of Door and city of Sturgeon Bay respectively, and for no other purpose.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force, from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 22, 1899.

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CHAPTER 242.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money to persons therein named for losses incurred by them as sub-contractors in the construction of the additions and improvements on Ladies' Hall.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for losses incurred by the following named persons, who were sub-contractors under Thomas R. Bentley, principal contractor for the erection and completion of the improvements and additions to Ladies' Hall, Madison, Wisconsin; to Joseph Skobis and Frank Skobis, one thousand one hundred and thirteen dollars and fifty cents; to William Owens, one thousand

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and two dollars; to W. H. Stephenson and Herman Studeman, three hundred and thirty-four dollars; to Rhode and Patek brothers, two hundred and fifty dollars and eighty-one cents.

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

Approved April 22, 1899.

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CHAPTER 243.

AN ACT to regulate the employment of legislative lobby counsel and agents and to provide for the return of legislative expenses.

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

Lobby defined.
Persons engaged in, to register within one week after employment.

SECTION 1. Every person, corporation or association which employs any person to act as counsel or agent to promote or oppose in any manner, the passage by the legislature of any legislation affecting the pecuniary interests of any individual, association or corporation as distinct from those of the whole people of the state, or to act in any manner as a legislative counsel or agent in connection with any such legislation, shall, within one week after the date of such employment, cause the name of the person so employed or agreed to be employed, to be entered upon a legislative docket as hereinafter provided. It shall also be the duty of the person so employed to enter or cause to be entered his name upon such docket. Upon the termination of such employment such fact may be entered opposite the name of any person so employed either by the employer or employe.