

Chap. 51.

An Act to pay David T. Dickson the sum therein named.

The People of the State of Wisconsin represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. That the sum of seven thousand one hundred and twenty-four dollars and eighty-three cents (\$7124,83,) be and hereby is appropriated to David T. Dickson, State Printer, out of any money in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, in full for printing done for the use of the State for the year 1850.

FREDERICK W. HORN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

SAMUEL W. BEALL,

Lt. Governor, and President of the Senate.

Approved, February 8th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

Chap. 52.

An Act for the apportionment of school moneys for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the Town Superintendent of the several towns of this State, between the first Monday in April and the first Monday in May next, to apportion the school moneys received by them from the Town and County Treasurers, to the several districts within their respective towns, in proportion to the number of children residing in each over the age of four and under the age of twenty years.

SEC. 2. The number of children residing in the several school districts and parts of districts, between the ages of four and twenty years, shall be ascertained by the Clerks of the several districts and parts of districts, and reported to the Superintendent of the towns in which such districts or parts of districts are situated respectively, on or before the first day of April next.

SEC. 3. No moneys shall be apportioned to any districts or parts of districts, unless it shall appear by the certificate of the Clerk of such district or part of district, that a school has been taught therein by a qualified teacher, at least three months within the year ending on the first day of April next, provided, that the prior right of all districts or parts of districts, to receive their due proportion of such school moneys, shall in no wise be prejudiced or invalidated by the provisions of this section, where it shall appear that such districts or parts of districts have complied with the provisions of the general school law, by making their report on or before the fifteenth of September last.

Superintendents
to apportion
moneys.

Clerk's Report.

Conditions.

Proviso.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect on the first Monday of February, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and shall continue in force till the first Monday of May next, and no longer.

FREDERICK W. HORN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

SAMUEL W. BEALL,
Lt. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved, February 8th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to regulate the distribution of the income of the school fund.

Chap. 53.

The People of the State of Wisconsin represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. The words "income of the State fund for the support of common schools," used in section one, chapter twenty of the Revised Statutes, shall be so construed as to mean such portion of the income as shall have been actually paid in to the State treasury up to the first day of February in each year, and such portion shall be the "income" to be distributed under the provisions of said chapter twenty. *Explanation.*

SEC. 2. Such portion of the income of the school fund as shall be due on or before the last day of January in any year, but which, owing to admissible causes, shall not have been paid into the State treasury until after said date, shall be added to the income for the succeeding year and apportioned with it in the next apportionment of the school moneys by the State Superintendent.

FREDERICK W. HORN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

SAMUEL W. BEALL,
Lt. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved February 8th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

[An Act to incorporate the Potosi and Dodgeville Rail Road Company.

Chap. 54.

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. That Robert Templeton, Donald A. Mackenzie, Simon E. Lewis, Celestin Kaetenbach, Julius Augustine, Henry L. Massey, Samuel Vance and William T. Ennor, of the county of Grant, and Elisha Smith Charles G. Rodolf, George Messersmith, Thomas Stephens. John H. Todd, M. M. Cothren, Cyrus Woodman and John B. Terry, of the county of Iowa, be,