

stances, discovered and examined, properly labeled, as may be proper and necessary to form a complete cabinet collection of specimens, of geology and mineralogy of the state: and the said governor shall cause the same to be deposited in the cabinet of the university, there to be preserved for public inspection.

Amount appropriated.

SEC. 7. For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act, the sum of two thousand and five hundred dollars is hereby annually appropriated, to be drawn quarterly, for the term of four years, to be expended under the direction of the governor. The salaries of the said state geologist and his assistant, shall not however, commence until they have respectively entered upon the execution of their duties: and upon the completion of said survey, and of the duties connected therewith, the same shall wholly cease and determine.

SEC. 8. This act shall be printed immediately after the passage thereof, and when so printed shall be in full force.

Approved, March 25, 1853.

Chap. 48. An Act to appropriate a sum of money to defray the expenses of compiling the Documentary History of the State of Wisconsin.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the governor of this state, the sum of four hundred dollars, out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, out of which the governor is hereby authorized and empowered to pay to William R. Smith, from time to time, such sums as in his discretion he may think necessary and proper to defray the expenses of compiling the documentary history of Wisconsin.

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

Approved, March 29, 1853.

Chap. 49. An Act to locate the County Seat of Chippewa County, and organize the same for judicial and county purposes.

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

SECTION 1. From and after the next annual election in

November, 1853, the county of Chippewa shall be organized for county purposes, and also for judicial purposes. Organized for county purposes.

SEC. 2. The county of Chippewa shall remain one town until the board of town supervisors shall divide the same into three or more towns, which division shall be made before the annual town elections of 1854. Town supervisors may create towns.

SEC. 3. There shall be elected at the annual town election, on the first Tuesday of April, 1853, in the said town of Chippewa, which comprises the whole territory of the said county of Chippewa, three supervisors, and all the town officers required to be elected in other towns of this state. Election of town officers.

SEC. 4. There shall be elected in the said Chippewa county, at the annual election in November next, such county officers as the said county by virtue of its organization and the privileges of this act shall be entitled to; and said officers shall hold their said office during the period of two years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1854, and until their successors are elected and qualified. Election of county officers.

SEC. 5. There shall be elected by the qualified voters of said Chippewa county, on the third Tuesday of September next, a county judge, who shall enter upon the discharge of the duties of his office the first day of January, 1854, and hold his office for the term of four (4) years. Election of county judge.

SEC. 6. The circuit court in and for the said county of Chippewa, shall be held twice in each year, and at such times as the circuit judge may determine; and the county judge shall also have power to regulate or appoint the terms of his county court. Circuit court.

SEC. 7. The village of Chippewa Falls is hereby declared to be the seat of justice of the county of Chippewa, and it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors of Chippewa county, at their first session after the passage of this act, to locate the county buildings in such part of said village of Chippewa Falls, as they may deem most conducive to the best interests of the said county of Chippewa. Seat of justice.

SEC. 8. At the same meeting of the board of supervisors, they shall take such measures as they may deem proper to raise the necessary funds for the erection and completion of said buildings. County buildings.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect, and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, March 29, 1853.

Chap. 50.

An Act to amend Chapter 19, of the Revised Statutes of this State.

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

Districts to levy tax.

Proviso.

SECTION 1. Chapter 19, of the revised statutes of this state, is hereby amended, so as to provide that no school district in this state, shall levy a tax, except at its first, and each annual meeting: *Provided*, That no person shall be entitled to vote in any school district of this state, who is not qualified to vote at a general election for state and county officers, and who shall not have resided at least ten days in the district where he or they may offer to vote.

Clerk to make out tax list.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the clerk of each district, on or before the second Monday in October, in each year, to make out a tax list of the taxes legally voted by his district, and deliver such list, with his affidavit attached thereto, setting forth that the whole of the taxes contained in such list, were lawfully levied or assessed, according to the provisions of this act, to the town clerk of the town in which the lands taxed are situate, and he shall also notify the district treasurer of the amount of such tax.

Certificate to be filed.

SEC. 3. The town clerk, upon delivery to him of such list, shall give a certificate to the district clerk, of the amount of said list, which certificate shall be filed in the office of the said district clerk.

How tax collected.

SEC. 4. Such town clerk shall, in making out the duplicate assessment roll of the town, next thereafter enter such tax in a separate column therein, opposite the description of the lands upon which the taxes are so levied respectively, and such taxes shall be collected in the same manner as the town and county taxes are collected, and when collected, shall be paid over to the town superintendent of such town, who shall pay the same to the treasurer of the district in which such taxes were originally levied.

SEC. 5. All provisions of chapter 19, of the revised statutes of this state, which conflict with, or contravene the provisions or any provision of this act, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of September next.

Approved, March 29, 1853.