

ed from the several towns and cities of each county, and the amount payable by him to the order of the county treasurer, and the amount so deducted from the amount apportioned to each county, shall be retained by the treasurer, and held subject to the draft of the state superintendent for the payment of the books herein authorized to be purchased.

SEC. 10. The register of deeds and town superintendent ^{Fees of officers} shall receive such compensation for the services required of them by the provisions of this act, as the county and town board of supervisors respectively shall deem proper.

SEC. 11. The provisions of this act shall be so construed as to apply to the superintendents of common schools of the several cities of this state, the same as to town superintendents.

SEC. 12. This act shall not apply to any district which may have been already supplied with a copy of said dictionary; and the town superintendent shall report to the state superintendent, pursuant to section three of this act such districts only as do not own a copy thereof, to be ascertained by him from the librarian of each district. *Provided*, The schools in the city of Milwaukee shall each be entitled to one copy.

SEC. 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 21, 1855.

Chapter 46.

[*Published May 2.*]

An Act for the relief of the purchasers of School and University Lands in this State.

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

SECTION 1. No sale by private entry heretofore made of any lot or lots of school or university lands in this state, shall be impeached or in any way impaired or effected by reason of failure of the applicant, at the time of such entry, to make a written application therefor, or of the Sec-

retary of State to file such application in his office, and the certificate of purchase shall be of as full force and effect as if a written application had been made and filed at the time of such private entry.

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

Approved, March 20, 1855.

Chapter 47.

[*Published April 12.*]

An Act to provide for more fully carrying into effect an act entitled "An act to authorize the business of Banking," approved April 19, 1852.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever the securities deposited with the state treasurer to secure the redemption of the circulating notes of any bank, shall be sold in pursuance of sections twenty-three and twenty-four of the banking law of this state, the bank comptroller shall immediately destroy all the plates of such bank.

Accounts to be
audited by
comptroller.

SEC. 2. All the expenses incurred in the advertising and selling of stocks under the banking law of this state, shall be audited and allowed by the bank comptroller, and deducted from the proceeds of such sale.

SEC. 3. Whenever the proceeds of the sale of the securities deposited by any bank with the state treasurer to secure the redemption of its circulating notes, shall be insufficient to fully redeem the same, the bank comptroller shall certify the amount due upon the stockholders' bond deposited with him in pursuance of section seventeen of the banking law of this state, which certificate shall be conclusive evidence in all courts and places, of the amount due thereon, and the comptroller shall in all cases immediately commence proceedings upon the bond, and when collected distribute the proceeds thereof, *pro rata*, among the holders of the circulating notes of such bank.

SEC. 4. The seal of the bank comptroller's office is hereby declared to be a public seal, and a description thereof