

the same fee as that now required by law to be made to the register of deeds for transcripts of the records of the office of register of deeds. And the said secretary shall, on resigning his office, make over all such books, records, papers, and other property of the corporation, which may have been in his possession, to his successor in office, or where no successor has been appointed or elected, to the board of directors, if any, or to the person or persons appointed by the majority of the stockholders of such corporation; and such secretary, on being duly subpoenaed to appear as a witness in any cause or trial in any court of justice in this state, shall attend and produce such books, records and papers of the corporation, as may be demanded in such subpoena, to be used in such trial; and any such secretary, who wilfully refuses or neglects to comply with the provisions of this act, or violate any of its provisions, shall be subject to the same punishments as provided by section eight of the act of which this is amendatory.

SEC. 2. The provisions of any act, inconsistent with Repeal this act, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 15, 1860.

CHAPTER 114.

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AN ACT to authorize the city of Madison to levy and collect a special tax for the years 1860 and 1861.

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

SECTION 1. The common council of the city of Madison is hereby authorized to levy and collect a special tax in addition to the amount authorized by the act incorporating said city, and the amendments thereto, of one thousand dollars, for each of the years one thousand eight hundred and sixty, and one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one. Said tax to be levied and collected in the manner and at the time other taxes are levied and collected in said city.

Authority to collect special tax.

Proceeds of tax, how ap- propriated.

SEC. 2. The proceeds of the tax, authorized by the preceding section, shall be used to make up the amount necessary to pay the State Agricultural Society, to aid in defraying the expense of fitting up grounds for holding the annual State fair of said society, in the city of Madison, for the years specified in the preceding section; and the said tax shall not be levied, or the proceeds thereof used for any other purpose.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 115.

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AN ACT to amend an act to incorporate the borough of Fort Howard and the act amendatory thereto, approved October 13, 1856.

(See Supplement to Local Laws.)

CHAPTER 116.

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AN ACT in relation to costs on appeals from the board of supervisors.

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

Costs on ap- peals from board of Sup's how paid.

SECTION 1. Whenever an appeal is taken from the allowance made by the board of Supervisors of any county, upon any claim, and the recovery upon such appeal shall not exceed the amount allowed by the board of supervisors, exclusive of interest upon such allowance, the appellant shall pay the costs of the appeal, which shall be deducted from the amount of the recovery; and when the amount of the costs exceeds the sum recovered, judgment shall be rendered against the appellant for the amount of such excess.

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

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