

CHAPTER 342.

[Published April 23, 1860.]

AN ACT to amend section 11, of chapter 188, of the Revised Statutes, entitled "Of the State Prison."

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

Prison commissioner to give duplicate receipts for prisoners.

Nature of receipts.

Proviso.

Secretary of state to audit account on receipt.

Fees.

Proviso.

Appropriation

SECTION 1. Whenever any sheriff, or deputy sheriff, shall deliver any convict or convicts at the State Prison, in pursuance of the judgment or sentence of any competent tribunal, the Prison Commissioner shall give to such officer a duplicate receipt for the delivery thereof, specifying the name of convict or convicts, the county from which received, the term of sentence, and at what term of court in said county sentenced, and the number of miles from the county seat of the county from which such convict or convicts were brought, computed by the nearest practicable route; one of which receipts the said sheriff shall file in the office of the clerk of the court in which the sentence and conviction was had: *Provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as to authorize such Commissioner to compute such distances by the nearest railroad route, (unless such railroad route shall be actually the nearest route.)

SEC. 2. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized to audit the account of such officer, upon the production of such receipt, and shall draw an order upon the State Treasurer, for the amount thereof, allowing such officer the following fees, which shall be in full for conveying, guarding, boarding and lodging, and for all services and expenses of every kind: one prisoner, fifty cents per mile, and for each additional prisoner, twenty-five cents per mile, to be computed one way only: *Provided*, that if any officer shall make more than one journey to the state prison, to convey convicts thereto, sentenced at any one term of court in any county, he shall not be entitled to receive more than twenty-five cents per mile, for each convict taken after the first journey, to be computed one way only.

SEC. 3. There is hereby annually appropriated, out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sufficient sum to pay such orders or accounts, audited pursuant to the provisions of this act.

SEC. 4. The Prison Commissioner shall keep a record of such receipts, so given by him, and report the same with his annual report, and the Secretary of State shall file in his office the receipt presented to him. Prison com. to keep record of receipts.

SEC. 5. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized, in cases where he is satisfied that the State Prison Commissioner has certified the number of miles too large, to reduce the same so as to make it comply with the actual distance. Sec'y of state authorized to reduce distance charged.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 2, 1860.

CHAPTER 344.

[Published April 28, 1860.]

AN ACT to amend section fifteen, of chapter 183, of the Revised Statutes, entitled "An act of offences cognizable before Justices of the Peace."

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

SECTION 1. Section fifteen, of chapter 183, of the Revised Statutes, is hereby amended by adding the words "except Silver Lake, in Sheboygan county," after the word "state," and before the word "for," in the third line of said section fifteen, of chapter 183. Silver Lake, in Sheboygan Co. excepted.

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

Approved April 2, 1860.