CHAPTER 174.

[Published April 1, 1862.]

AN ACT to legalize the acts of Frederick Egger, as justice of the peace in New Glaras, [Glarus,] Green county.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. All the official acts performed by Fred- Acts legalized. erick Egger, as justice of the peace, in the town of New Glaras, [Glarus,] Green county, prior to the passage of this act, so far as the same are consistent with the general laws of this state, are hereby legalized and declared to be as valid as though the said Frederick Egger had caused his official bond and oath to be made and filed in conformity with the statutes of this state.

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

Approved March 28, 1862.

CHAPTER 175.

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[Published April 1, 1862.]

AN ACT for the relief of Marathon county.

WHEREAS, The county of Marathon has expended about three thousand dollars in opening to travel the state road from Wausau to the state line north, authorized to be opened by chapter 310 [of the] general laws of 1860, and for the purpose of reimbursing the county for the amount so expended :

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The clerk of the board of supervisors of Certificate of the county of Marathon, shall forward to the school amount expendland commissioners a certificate under his hand and [the] seal of said board, which shall set forth the actual amount that has been expended by the county upon said road; and upon the receipt of such certificate by Repayment in the school land commissioners, they shall give to the swamp lands.

county of Marathon a certificate of purchase of a sufficient quantity of the odd numbered sections of the swamp and overflowed lands granted by said chapter \$10, to pay such sum, at the rate of one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre; and such certificate shall entitle the county to a patent from the state for the lands therein described.

Lands may be SECTION 2. The county of Marathon, under and by sold by county. the direction of its board of supervisors, shall have the right to sell and convey said lands, or any part thereof, at public or private sale, and give to the purchaser or purchasers a good and sufficient deed therefor, executed by the clerk of the board of supervisors of the county of Marathon, and sealed with the seal of such board: provided, that said lands nor any part thereof, shall be Notice of sale to be given. so sold without first giving public notice of the time and place of such sale, together with a description of the lands to be offered, by publication in each of the newspapers published in the county, for six weeks successively prior to such day of sale; and the expense Expense. of all such advertising shall be charged to the lands and paid by the purchaser, and no part thereof shall be paid out of the county treasury; and provided, fur-Minimum price. ther, that no part of said lands shall be sold for a less sum than one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, nor in a less quantity than forty acres.

> SECTION 3. At any time after such lands shall have been offered for sale, as provided in the next preceding section, and remain unsold, the same may be sold at any time thereafter at private sale, at the rate above mentioned, and without public notice being given.

> SECTION 4. All lands hereafter conveyed to the county of Marathon by virtue of this act, shall be and remain free from taxation until they are sold as herein provided: provided, that no part of such lands shall be exempt from taxation after the same shall be conveyed by the county.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN Assembly, March 26th, 1862.

I hereby certify, that the above act was returned by governor's veto. the governor, on the 15th inst., with objections, and on this day being reconsidered, the members present agreed to pass the same by a two-thirds vote taken by

Balance may be sold at private sale.

Taxation.

Passed over

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yeas and nays, as follows : yeas, fifty-five ; nays, sixteen.

JOHN S. DEAN, Chief clerk of the assembly.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN SENATE, March 28, 1862. }

I hereby certify, that the foregoing act was this day reconsidered in the senate, and approved, the vote being taken by yeas and nays, as follows : yeas, twentytwo; nays, six.

> J. H. WARREN, Chief clerk of the senate.

CHAPTER 177.

[Published April 3, 1862.]

AN ACT to amend chapter 802 of the private and local [general] laws of 1861, entitled "an act to create the municipal court of the city and town of Ripon."

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 clerk of the Manner of drawmunicipal court of the city and town of Ripon, imme-ing juries. diately upon the receipt of the list of jurors required to be made and returned to him by virtue of section six of chapter 302 of the private and local [general] laws of 1861, entitled "an act to create the municipal court of the city and town of Ripon," to write the names of the persons contained therein on seperate [separate] pieces of paper, each in the same manner as near as may be, and to fold up the same so that the name written thereon shall not be visible, and shall deposite [deposit] such piece of paper in a box to be by him kept for that purpose; and no jury shall be drawn therefrom until one of the parties to a suit pending in said court shall demand a jury in open court, and shall pay to said clerk the sum of three dollars; and upon such demand and payment being made, the clerk shall at once draw a petit jury of twelve men from said box,