

## CHAPTER 97.

[Published March 17, 1870.]

AN ACT to exempt from execution a printing press or presses and printers' material to the amount of fifteen hundred dollars.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby exempted from execution and sale, printing materials and printing press or presses, as the owner or owners thereof shall determine, to an amount not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars. Exempted.

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

Approved March 16, 1870.

## CHAPTER 98.

[Published March 22, 1870.]

AN ACT to provide for certain work in the Wisconsin river, and for defraying the expenses thereof.

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

SECTION 1. The governor of the state of Wisconsin shall appoint three commissioners whose duty it shall be to superintend the work at the city of Portage, in Columbia county, in the state of Wisconsin, of protecting the banks of the Wisconsin river from further encroachments and damage to the city of Portage, or for the purpose of doing any other work which in their judgment may be necessary to protect the city of Portage and adjacent territory from further encroachments by said river. Shall appoint commissioners.

Appropriation  
for expenses.

SECTION 2. To defray the expenses of such work there is hereby appropriated out of the general fund of this state, of moneys belonging to said fund not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be drawn by the order of said commissioners, and paid out under the directions of said commissioners, as the work progresses.

Commissioners  
to execute bond

SECTION 3. Said commissioners shall before entering upon the duties under this act, execute a good and sufficient bond to this state, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, for the faithful and proper discharge of the duties, which bond shall be approved by the governor of the state.

Shall report to  
governor.

SECTION 4. Said commissioners shall report to the governor what measures or plans have been adopted, and the amount expended on the work, on or before the first day of October, 1870.

Governor may  
fill vacancy.

SECTION 5. The governor of this state is hereby authorized to fill any vacancy which may from any cause occur in said board.

Commissioners  
to make state-  
ment.

SECTION 6. At the completion of the work contemplated by this act, said commissioners shall make a detailed statement of their transactions and expenditures to the governor of the state, and shall pay over to the state treasurer any sum appropriated by this act remaining in their hands unexpended.

Compensation.

SECTION 7. Said commissioners shall receive for their services the sum of five dollars per day actually employed in their duties under this act: *provided*, that no commissioner shall receive pay for more than twenty days' service.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 18, 1870.