

ment of an antecedent debt, or for a new consideration, shall be absolutely void, and the said supervisors shall immediately make an inventory of the property, things in action and effects, so seized by them, and return the same, with the proceedings, to the next county court for the county in which such supervisors reside, there to be filed.

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

Approved March 21, 1872.

CHAPTER 84.

[Published April 3, 1872.]

AN ACT to authorize counties to issue their bonds for normal school purposes.

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

May issue bonds.

SECTION 1. The board of supervisors of any county in the state of Wisconsin are hereby authorized to issue bonds of such county, for such sum or amount as shall be fixed by a vote of a majority of the said board, at any meeting of said board, regular or called for that purpose, in aid of the erection of a state normal school building in any such county, after such state normal school building has been located in any such county: *provided*, that such amount shall not exceed one per cent. of the assessed value of the taxable property of the county.

How bonds to be executed and negotiated.

SECTION 2. The bonds hereby authorized to be issued shall be signed by the chairman of the said board of supervisors, and countersigned by the county clerk of the county, and shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars, five hundred dollars and one thousand dollars, respectively, in such proportions as the said county board shall deem proper, and shall bear interest not exceeding ten per cent. per annum, and payable at such time not exceeding fifteen years from date, and at such place as said board of supervisors may determine. Said bonds shall be payable to bearer or order, and the

interest thereon shall be payable on the first day of February in each year. The said board of county supervisors in any county, may negotiate such bonds, when issued in accordance with the provisions of this act, for the purpose of raising money to be applied in the aid of the erection of such normal school building.

SECTION 8. The board of supervisors of the county and the county clerk shall annually levy upon all the taxable property of any county, and apportion upon the tax of the several towns as other county taxes are apportioned, an amount sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds as may be issued pursuant to the provisions of this act, and also such additional sum in any year as shall be required to pay the principal as it shall become due on said bonds.

Shall levy tax to pay interest and principal.

SECTION 4. The county clerk of any such county shall keep a faithful record of the bonds which shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of this act, which record shall contain a true statement of the number and amount of the bonds issued thereon, which record shall be open to the inspection of the public at all reasonable hours.

Clerk to keep record of issue of bonds.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 85.

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AN ACT for the protection of the shores and banks of lake Michigan, and for punishing offenses which endanger persons or property in the neighborhood of said lake.

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

SECTION 1. Every person taking, moving or carrying away stone or rock, forming the natural bed or bottom of lake Michigan, from said lake or its bed or bottom below low water mark, is hereby declared to be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction of such offense, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not less than two weeks or

Penalty for taking away stone etc.