

CHAPTER 18.

[Published February 10, 1874.]

AN ACT to authorize the city of Janesville to build a school house in the Fourth ward of said city, and to issue the bonds of said city therefor.

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

Common council may raise and appropriate money for school house, and site.

SECTION 1. The common council of the city of Janesville, upon the written recommendation of the board of education of said city, is hereby authorized and empowered by an affirmative vote of a majority of its members, to raise and appropriate money to erect a school house (and if necessary to purchase a site therefor) in the Fourth ward of said city, and to levy and collect according to law, upon the taxable property of said city, at such time or times as said common council shall deem best, such sum or sums of money as shall be necessary for that object.

How title to be taken.

SECTION 2. The board of education of said city of Janesville is hereby authorized and required, whenever said council shall appropriate money for the purpose named in the first section of this act, to purchase a site and take the title thereto in the corporate name of the city of Janesville, and by contract or otherwise erect a suitable school house and furnish the same for the use of said fourth ward; and the moneys raised for that purpose shall be deposited with the treasurer of said city, and be drawn and disbursed by the board of education in the same manner as now provided in section nine (9), chapter (8) of chapter 474 of the local laws of the state of Wisconsin for the year A. D. 1866.

Money, how disposed of

May borrow money and issue bonds to amount \$12,000.

SECTION 3. In case the common council of said city shall deem it expedient and best, the said city of Janesville is hereby authorized and empowered by a vote of a majority of all the members of said council to borrow money and issue city bonds therefor, with interest coupons attached in the usual form, signed by the mayor and countersigned by the clerk of said city of Janesville, and denominated "school bonds," not exceeding five hundred dollars each, nor in the aggregate exceeding the sum of twelve thousand dollars, and bearing interest not exceeding ten per cent. per annum, and payable annually, the principal payable within twenty years from the date of said bonds, at such time and place as said council shall direct, and

the faith of said city is hereby pledged for the payment of said bonds, principal and interest, and the proceeds of the issue of said bonds shall be deposited with the treasurer of said city, to be drawn and disbursed by the board of education for the purposes, and in the manner indicated by the second section of this act.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 19.

[Published February 12, 1874.]

AN ACT relating to practice in civil actions.

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

SECTION 1. If in any cause tried or to be tried before a referee, the prevailing party fail to move to confirm said referee's report therein within one year after the same is filed, the action shall, on motion of the defendant, be dismissed: *provided, however,* that two terms of said court shall in all cases be held between the filing of such report and the dismissal of such action, one of which shall be six months subsequent to the passage of this act.

Concerning trials by referees, and confirming reports thereof.

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

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CHAPTER 20.

[Published February 11, 1874.]

AN ACT to legalize the acts of Edwin Shumway, a justice of the peace in the town of Springdale, Dane county, Wisconsin, relating to destruction of wolf scalps.

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

SECTION 1. The acts performed by Edwin Shumway, a justice of the peace in the town of Springdale,

Edwin Shumway, wolf scalp certificates legalized.