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CHAPTER 188.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of William H. Gibson, a justice of the peace in Trempealeau county.

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

Legalized.

SECTION 1. The official acts of William H. Gibson, who was elected a justice of the peace within and for the county of Trempealeau, on the first Tuesday of April, 1878, are hereby declared to be as legal to all intents and purposes, as though the said William H. Gibson had been a citizen of the United States.

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

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CHAPTER 189.

AN ACT to authorize the commissioners of public lands to loan a portion of the trust fund of the state to the county of Taylor.

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

SECTION 1. To enable the county of Taylor to purchase and cancel the outstanding bonds and coupons

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heretofore issued by said county, the commissioners of the public lands are hereby authorized to loan a portion of the trust fund of this state, not exceeding six thousand six hundred dollars, to the said county of Taylor, in this state, and the said county is hereby authorized to borrow a sum not exceeding said amount of said commissioners, and to issue to said commissioners certificates of the indebtedness to the state so contracted. Said indebtedness shall bear interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and said interest shall be paid annually, together with, after two years from the date of said loan, not less than one-tenth of the principal sum annually, until the whole is paid.

Duty of secretary of state. SECTION 2. Each and every year, until the whole loan be repaid, the secretary of state shall, when he apportions the state taxes among the several counties, add to the state tax which would be properly chargeable to said county of Taylor, the annual interest due the state on said loan, together with, after two years