assessed valuation as determined by the state board of assessment for the year 1890, is less than four millions of dollars.

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

Approved April 24, 1891.

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CHAPTER 462.

AN ACT to amend section 408, of the revised statutes of 1878, as amended by chapter 214, of the laws of 1883, as amended by chapter 7, of the laws of 1885, relating to appropriation for teachers' institutes.

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

Section 1. Section 408 of the revised statutes Amends sec. of 1878, as amended by chapter 214, of the laws 408, R. S. 1878. of 1883, as amended by chapter 7, of the laws of 1885, relating to appropriations for teachers' institutes, is hereby amended by striking out the word "seven" where it occurs in the second line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight," and by striking out the word "five" where it occurs in the fourth line of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six," and by inserting in chapter seven, of the laws of 1885, after the word "university," in the twentyfifth line, the words, "or such other competent person as the state superintendent may designate," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows: Section 408. For the purpose mentioned Funds for conin the preceding section, the said board may use ducting teachs such sum, not exceeding eight thousand dolstate supering lars in any year, as it may deem neces tradent may select lecturers sary, of which not exceeding six thousand at institutes. dollars shall be paid from the normal school fund income, and not exceeding two thousand dollars from the general fund, and the state superintendent may use such additional sum, not exceeding one thousand dollars, to be also paid from

the general fund, as he shall deem proper, for the purpose of providing public lectures in connection with such institutes, by the professor of the theory and art of teaching of the university, or such other competent person as the state superintendent may designate, and such amounts as shall be so expended, are hereby annually appropriated from the said funds respectively.

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

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No. 54, A.]

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CHAPTER 463.

AN ACT to amend section 290, of the revised statutes of 1878, relating to distribution of stationery.

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

Amend sec. 290, R. S. 1878.

State station-

SECTION 1. Section 290, of the revised statutes of 1878, is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to-wit: Section 290. The state stationery, when purchased, shall be deposited with the ery, how distributed; to be said superintendent for safe keeping and disdrawn on write bursement. He shall charge himself in the books of his office with all stationery purchased and received by him, at cost price, and shall keep separate accounts with each state officer, the supreme court, the legislature, and other officers and institutions to whom he shall furnish stationery as required by law. In addition to the stationery required by law to be furnished to the legislature, its officers, clerks, employes, reporters and committees, the said superintendent shall furnish all necessary stationery as follows, and to no others: To the governor, or his private secretary, for his office; to the secretary of state, or his assistant, for his office; to the chief clerk of the land office, for his office; to the state treasurer, or his assistant, for his office; to the state treasury agent