

conviction thereof shall be punished in the manner prescribed by law for offences of that nature.

When completed.

SEC. 6. Said bridge shall be completed within one year from the passage of this act.

SEC. 7. Any future legislature may alter, amend, or repeal this act.

Penalty for evading toll.

SEC. 8. Any person or persons who shall forcibly or fraudulently pass over the said bridge without paying the legal toll, shall for each offence, forfeit the sum of two dollars to and for the use of said Joseph F. Kirkland, his associates and assigns, to be recovered in an action of trespass or trespass on the case before any court having competent jurisdiction.

Trustees may make bridge free

SEC. 9. The board of trustees of the village of Sheboygan shall have power and authority to make and declare said bridge free, on first paying to the said Kirkland, his associates or assigns, the cost of the construction of the said bridge, and of the necessary fixtures thereof, and if the said Kirkland, his associates or assigns shall fail to build and complete said bridge within six months from the date of this act, then and in such case the board of trustees shall have authority to build and maintain a free bridge across the said river, whenever in their opinion the interests of the said village shall be best promoted thereby.

SEC. 10. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

J. McM. SHAFTER.

*Speaker of the Assembly.*

E. B. DEAN, JR.,

*President pro tem. of the Senate.*

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## Chap 410

### An Act concerning Town Treasurers.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

Treasurer to make statement

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the town treasurer of each town in the several counties of this state, to make out in writing a statement of the amount of money by him received in his said capacity of treasurer, and which he has or ought to pay over to the treasurer of his county; in which statement he shall set forth particularly, the person, officer, or officers, respectively, from whom he has received

any such money, the amount so received from each person and officer, and for what the same was so paid to him, with the date of each payment. He shall also set forth the amount which he has paid over to the county treasurer and for which he has the receipt of such treasurer.

SEC. 2. Such statement shall be made in each and every year, on the Saturday next preceding the annual session of the county board of supervisors of such county; and the same shall include all moneys so by such town treasurer received and paid over, for and during the year next preceding such Saturday. When statement made.

SEC. 3. The like statement as above provided for shall be made by each town treasurer, upon the expiration of his term of office, or a resignation thereof; which shall contain the amount of money by him received and paid over, as contemplated by the first section of this act, and of and concerning which he has not previously made such statement. To make statement at expiration of office.

SEC. 4. All statements made as contemplated in this act, shall be made in duplicate, and officially certified, (or be under oath,) by such town treasurer, that the same is in all respects true and correct, and that the same contains the true and full amount of money by him so received, for and during the period of time for which he should make such statement. All and every such certified duplicate statements shall be by the treasurer making the same, filed with the town clerk of his town, immediately after the same shall be so made out. To make certificates.

SEC. 5. The chairman of the board of town supervisors of each town, or other supervisor in the place of such chairman, who shall attend the annual session of the county board of supervisors as a member thereof, shall, at each annual session of such county board, take one of each such duplicate statements, and file the same with the clerk of such county board, who shall carefully preserve the same. To file statement.

SEC. 6. Each and every person holding the office of town treasurer, who shall refuse or neglect to comply with the provisions of this act, shall forfeit not less than ten dollars nor more than two hundred dollars, to be recovered in any court of record in this state; the amount to be fixed by the jury trying the cause, or by the court, if there be no jury empaneled in such case, and may be recovered by action of debt in the name of any person who will prosecute for the same, with costs of suit, one half of which shall go to the person so prosecuting, and the remainder to the town of which such delinquent is or has been treasurer. Penalty for neglect.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the time the same is printed.

J. McM. SHAFER,  
*Speaker of the Assembly.*

E. B. DEAN, JR.,  
*President pro tem. of the Senate.*

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### Chap 411

An Act to legalize the acts of Lyman H. Baldwin a Justice of the Peace.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:*

Act legalized.

SECTION 1. The acts of Lyman H. Baldwin, a justice of the peace for the town of Charleston, Calumet county, is hereby declared to be as valid as if the bond of the said justice had been filed according to law, all acts to the contrary notwithstanding.

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

J. McM. SHAFER,  
*Speaker of the Assembly.*

E. B. DEAN, JR.,  
*President pro tem. of the Senate.*

Approved, April 17, 1852.

LEONARD J. FARWELL.

### Chap 412

An Act authorizing and requiring the Superintendent of Schools of the town of Kendall in the county of LaFayette, to distribute school money.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:*

To distribute school money.

SECTION 1. The superintendent of schools of the town of Kendall in the county of LaFayette, is hereby authorized and required on the first Monday in April, 1852, to distribute all money in his hands for school purposes, to the several districts in said town, according to the number of children residing in each, who are over four and under twenty years of age.

Condition of apportionment.

SEC. 2. No money shall be apportioned to any school district unless it shall appear by the report of the clerk thereof, under oath, dated on the first day of April, 1852, that a school has been taught in said district three months during the year preceding, by a teacher duly qualified in all respects according to law.