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CHAPTER 174.

AN ACT providing for the filing of papers in courts of record.

*The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*Defendant to
file answer,
&c.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the defendant in an action, who answers or demurs to the complaint, to file the answer or demurrer at least ten days before the next term of the court after the service of such answer or demurrer, or in default thereof the plaintiff may file the copy or copies served upon him, and in case of a reply or demurrer to the answer, the plaintiff shall file the same before the next term of the court after the service thereof, and in default thereof the defendant may file the copy or copies served upon him.

Duty of plain-
tiff.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the plaintiff to deliver the undertaking required by him to be given on the arrest of a party, and also upon the granting of an injunction to the officer making or allowing the order of arrest or injunction; and such officer shall file the same with the clerk of the court within fifteen days after the delivery thereof to him; and it shall be the duty of the parties respectively to file all affidavits and papers used on any motion with the clerk of the court, or with the judge or commissioner before whom a motion is made, and the said judge or commissioner shall, upon the decision by him of such motion or application, file the papers used before him on such motion in the proper clerk's office.

Take effect.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 175.

AN ACT to authorize the state treasurer to receive of the county treasurer of Buffalo county certain county orders therein mentioned in lieu of so much money for taxes.

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

Appropriation

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of the swamp land fund of this state a sum sufficient to pay

and redeem certain county orders of the county of Buffalo issued for expenses incurred in protecting swamp and overflowed lands in said county owned by the state : *Provided*, that the whole amount of such appropriation shall not exceed the sum of two hundred and twenty-nine dollars and fifty-six cents.

SEC. 2. The state treasurer is hereby authorized to State treasurer pay such county orders respectively, upon the presen- er to cancel er to cancel orders. tation of the same, and when so paid he shall cancel the same.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force Take effect. from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 176.

AN ACT to confirm the title of certain lands therein mentioned.

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

SECTION 1. The patent issued by the state of Wisconsin to David K. Reed, of Bad Ax county, on the thirteenth day of February, 1858, for the north-east quar- Patent declar- ed valid. ter of section sixteen (16), township number twelve (12) north, of range [three] (3) west, is hereby declared to be valid, and the state hereby relinquishes all claim in and to the said land, and fully vests the same in the said David K. Reed and his legal representatives.

SEC. 2. The commissioners of the school, university, Duty of school and swamp lands are hereby directed to enter in the land commis- sioners. books of that department full satisfaction for the north-east quarter of section sixteen, town twelve, range three west, in Bad Ax county.

SEC. 3. The aforesaid commissioners are hereby di- Money to be rected to return to William McMichail the sum paid by returned. him for interest, penalty, costs, &c. on the north-east quarter of section sixteen, town twelve, range three west, after the thirteenth day of February, 1858, upon the surrender of the receipt therefor.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from Take effect. and after its passage.

Approved March 18, 1859.