

thereupon proceed to try and determine the same, in the same manner and order as if it had originated in the circuit court.

Repealed. SEC. 17. All acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Take effect. SEC. 18. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 96.

AN ACT to amend chapter 18 of the revised statutes, entitled "of the assessment and collection of taxes."

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

Failure to raise tax. SECTION 1. Whenever any organized town in this state shall have failed to levy, collect or pay over to the county treasurer of the county in which such town is situated, any state, county or school tax, apportioned to and charged against such town in any year, and now is, or shall hereafter be delinquent for the same, or any part thereof, it shall be lawful and it is hereby made the duty of the board of supervisors of the county in which such town shall be situated in any succeeding year thereafter, to charge over any, and all such delinquent taxes, and a penalty of twenty-five per cent. to the town thus delinquent, and add the same to the amount of the annual or current tax apportioned to such town.

How remedied.

Duty of clerk of county board. SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the clerk of the board of supervisors to certify such gross amount of tax to the clerk of such delinquent town in the same manner and at the same time as he is now required by law to certify the annual apportionment of taxes as provided in section 56 of the chapter to which this act is amendatory.

Duty of town clerk. SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the town clerk of such town to calculate and carry out such gross amount of delinquent and current tax, in the manner and at the time now provided by law for carrying out taxes, as provided in section 59 of the chapter to which this act is amendatory.

Penalty for neglect. SEC. 4. Any town clerk who shall hereafter neglect or refuse to calculate and carry out upon the assessment roll, any tax or taxes apportioned to any town and certi-

fied to him by the clerk of the board of supervisors of the county in which such town is situated, and attach a warrant thereto, and deliver the same to the treasurer of his town as provided by law, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not less than five hundred dollars, nor more than one thousand.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from **Take effect.** and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 97.

AN ACT to remit to Andrew Proudft a certain sum of money deposited by him with state treasurer.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to Andrew Proudft out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand dollars, being the amount deposited by him with the state treasurer on the 15th day of December, A D. 1856, in accordance with the provisions of section 6, of chapter 113, of the session laws of 1856.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from **Take effect.** and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 98.

AN ACT providing for holding special terms of the circuit court in the counties of La Crosse and Trempeleau, in the sixth judicial circuit.

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

SECTION 1. There shall be held in the counties of La Crosse and Trempeleau, in the sixth judicial circuit, in this state, at least one special term in La Crosse county in each year, which special term shall be held in the county of La Crosse, at some time other than the regular