

money that may be voted at any general or special town meeting, and also the mill tax which the several boards of town supervisors are now by law authorized to levy as a highway tax in this state.

School tax in districts with a population of less than 250.

SECTION 2. No school district in this state, containing a population of less than two hundred and fifty inhabitants, shall hereafter have power to levy or collect a tax for school purposes in such district, of more than three hundred dollars in any one year. And no tax to be voted by a district meeting for building, hiring or purchasing a school house in such district, shall exceed the sum of three hundred dollars, unless the town superintendent of the town in which the school house is to be situated, shall certify in writing his opinion that a larger sum ought to be raised, and shall specify the sum, in which case a sum not exceeding the sum specified may be raised.

Repeal.

SECTION 3. All parts of any act contravening the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 29, 1861.

CHAPTER 159.

[Published March 30, 1861.]

AN ACT to change the limits of the town of Blooming Grove.

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

Territory attached.

SECTION 1. Section five, the east half of the south-east quarter of section six, all of fractional section seven, lying east of the limits of the city of Madison, and the north-west fractional quarter of section eight, in township No. seven, north of range No. ten east of the fourth principal meridian in the state of Wisconsin, (*be and the same*) are hereby attached to and made part of the town of Blooming Grove: *provided*, that the lands above described shall be and remain attached to the city of Madison school district, for school purposes, and all the taxes raised upon said lands or any of them,

for school purposes, shall be paid over by the town of Blooming Grove to the city of Madison, for the support of a school at the school house in said city, east of the Catfish river.

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

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CHAPTER 160.

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AN ACT for the organization of the Town of Sagetown, in the county of Racine.

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

SECTION 1. All that district of country included and embraced within the following limits and boundaries in township 3, of range No. 23 east, in the county of Racine and state of Wisconsin, to wit: the north half of section 21, the north-east quarter of section 20, the east half of section 17, the east half of section 8, the south-east quarter of section 5, and the south half of fractional section 4, being the territory detached from the city of Racine, by the judgment of the supreme court, is hereby organized and declared to be a separate town, under the name and style of the town of Sagetown, with all the powers, rights and privileges conferred by law upon towns, and shall compose a part of the first assembly district in said county of Racine.

Territory organized.

SECTION 2. The first election in said town hereby created, shall be held on the third Tuesday in April, A. D. 1861, at the north depot of the Lake Shore railroad in said town, at which election such officers as may be elected at general town meetings shall be elected.

First election.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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