

CHAPTER 81.

[Published April 6, 1867.]

AN ACT to limit the time in which applications for extra pay may be made under the provisions of chapter 117, general laws of 1864, and laws amendatory thereof.

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

SECTION 1. All applications for extra pay for the relief of soldiers' families, under the provisions of chapter 117 of the general laws of 1864, and of the laws amendatory thereof, shall be filed with the secretary of state on or before the first day of November, 1868; and the provisions of said chapter 117 of the general laws of 1864, and of the laws amendatory thereof, are hereby declared to be inoperative as to all applications for state aid, unless made previously to said first day of November, 1868.

Applications for extra pay to be filed prior to Nov. 1, 1868.

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

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CHAPTER 82.

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AN ACT to annually appropriate for a term of years, a certain sum of money to the university fund, and to authorize the levy of a tax therefor.

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

SECTION 1. There shall be levied and collected for the year 1867, and annually thereafter for the next ten years, a state tax of seven thousand three hundred and three dollars and seventy-six cents, and the amount so levied and collected is hereby appropriated to the university fund income, to be used as a part thereof.

\$7,333 76 to be raised annually by tax, to be paid into university fund.

SECTION 2. The secretary of state shall apportion

Apportionment of tax.

said tax annually among the several counties of this state, as other state taxes are apportioned by law, and the same shall be levied, collected and paid into the treasury in the same manner as other state taxes.

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

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CHAPTER 83.

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AN ACT regulating the hours of manual labor, and fixing the same at eight hours a day.

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

Eight hours a days' work for children under 18 and women in manufactories, &c.

Penalty.

SECTION 1. That in all manufactories, workshops and other places used for mechanical or manufacturing purposes in the state of Wisconsin, where children under the age of eighteen (18) years and women are employed, the time of labor of the persons aforesaid shall not exceed eight (8) hours per each day; and any stockholder, overseer, employer, clerk or foreman who shall compel any woman or any child under 18 years of age to labor in any day exceeding eight hours, or who shall permit any child under fourteen (14) years of age to labor in any factory, workshop or other place used for mechanical or manufacturing purposes, for more than ten (10) hours in any one day, where such owner, stockholder, or overseer, employer, clerk or foreman has control of such person, shall be liable to a prosecution in the name of the state of Wisconsin, before any justice of the peace or other court of competent jurisdiction of the county wherein the offense shall have been committed, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than five (5) nor more than fifty (50) dollars.

Eight hours a days' work, except in cases of contracts by the week, month or year.

SECTION 2. That in all engagements to labor in any mechanical or manufacturing business, when the contract is silent on the subject, or where there is no express contract to the contrary, a day's work shall consist