in the sixth line of section 1, the word "Clarinda," and by striking out the word "Clarinda," in the eighth line of section one, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "Cherokee."

Approved April 7, 1900.

CHAPTER 141.

SALARY OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF IOWA SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOME. H. F. 166.

AN ACT to amend section one (1) of chapter seventy-four (74) of the laws of the Twentyseventh General Assembly, in relation to the salary of the chief executive officer of the Iowa soldiers' orphans' home at Davenport.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Salary increased. That section one (1) of chapter seventyfour (74) of the laws of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "twelve" in the seventh line and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines Leader and Iowa State Register, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 8, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader April 5, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON. Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 142.

ISSUANCE OF BONDS BY SCHOOL CORPORATIONS.

S. F. 271.

AN ACT to amend section one (1) of chapter ninety-five (95) of the acts of the Twentyseventh General Assembly in relation to the issuance of bonds by school corporations.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Purchase of schoolhouse sites. That section one (1) of chapter ninety-five (95) of the acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly be amended by inserting after the word "schoolhouses" in the tenth line thereof the following words: "And the purchase of sites therefor." SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa

State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 6, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, April 10, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 143.

MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF CERTAIN STATE INSTITUTIONS.

8. F. 842.

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and eighteen (118) of the laws of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, relating to the management and control of certain state institutions, and the defining of certain offenses and providing penalties therefor.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1 Purchase of supplies from one institution for use of another. Without complying with the provisions of chapter one hundred

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and eighteen (118) of the laws of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, requiring estimates to be made, the board of control is empowered to direct the purchase of materials, or any articles of supply, for any institution subject to its management, from any other institution under its control, which purchase shall be made at the reasonable market value of the commodity so purchased, the value thereof to be ascertained and fixed by the said board, and payments therefor shall be made as between institutions in the manner provided by law for payments for supplies.

the manner provided by law for payments for supplies. SEC. 2. **Employe included.** That section thirty-five (35) of chapter one hundred and eighteen (118), of the laws of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, is amended by inserting after the word "member" in the first line thereof, and before the words "or officer" in the second line, the word "employe."

SEC. 3. Solicitation of contributions for political purposes a misdemeanor. Any person who demands or solicits, from any member, employe, or officer of the board of control, or from any officer or employe of any institution subject to this board, a contribution of money or other thing of value, for election purposes, or for the payment of the expenses of any political committee or organization, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and punished accordingly.

SEC. 4. Acting secretary. That section three (8), of said chapter one hundred and eighteen (118), is amended by adding after the words 'as may be necessary," in the fifth and sixth lines of said section, the following words: 'In the absence or disability of the secretary, and the business of the board requires it, the board of control may appoint a member of the board as acting secretary during such absence or disability, who shall at such time have the powers of the secretary of the board. Said appointment shall be made of record in the proceedings of the board, and no additional compensation shall be paid because of the service of such acting secretary."

SEC. 5. Triplicate abstract—how certified. That section forty two (42) of said chapter one hundred and eighteen (118), is amended by adding after the word "made" in the sixteenth line of said section, the following words, "which abstract shall also be certified by at least one member of the board, who shall be so authorized by the board, and the proceedings granting such authority shall be preserved in the records of the board."

SEC. 6. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force, from and after its publication in the Des Moines Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 7, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register April 12, 1900, and the Des Moines Leader April 13, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 144.

PRIVATE AND COUNTY INSANE INSTITUTIONS.

S. F. 256.

AN ACT placing all private and county institutions caring for insane persons under the supervision of the board of control of state institutions, and requiring them to be regularly inspected and providing for the expense thereof, and requiring the adoption of rules and regulations by said board relative to the keeping of patients therein, and authorizing the transfer of patients in the state hospitals to such private and county institutions, and providing for the removal of patients in certain cases from said private and county institutions, and for the discharge of patients therefrom and from the state hospitals. [Additional to chapter 118 of the acts of the Twenty seventh General Assembly relating to the toard of control.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Board of control supervision. All county and private institutions wherein insane persons are kept are hereby placed under the supervision of the board of control of state institutions.