

CHAPTER 223.

CONDEMNATION AND PURCHASE OF LANDS BY CITIES AND TOWNS.

S. F. 570.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.

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

1 SECTION 1. **Cemeteries—tax.** That the law as it appears in sec-
2 tion eight hundred eighty of the code be amended by adding to said
3 section as paragraph four the following:

4 "4. Such cities and towns may levy a tax not exceeding in any one
5 year one mill on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property
6 within the corporate limits thereof, such levy to be used for no other
7 purpose than the payment for the land acquired for cemetery purposes
8 and interest accruing on the purchase or condemnation price thereof."

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CHAPTER 224.

DEPARTMENT OF THE CRIMINALLY INSANE.

S. F. 386.

AN ACT to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries.

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

1 SECTION 1. **Repeal.** That section fifty-seven hundred nine
2 (5709) of the code be and the same is hereby repealed and the follow-
3 ing enacted as a substitute therefor:

1 SEC. 2. **Department for criminally insane.** The department for
2 the criminally insane in the reformatory at Anamosa, shall be under
3 the control and management of the warden, and as a part thereof in
4 which all insane convicts in the state of Iowa shall be confined and
5 treated.

1 SEC. 3. **Transfer.** When it is by any person represented to the
2 warden or to the board of control that any convict confined in the peni-
3 tentiary at Fort Madison is insane, the matter shall be referred to the
4 board of control, who shall cause a superintendent of one of the hospi-
5 tals for the insane to make an examination of said convict and report
6 to the board thereon, and if the report so warrant, said board shall
7 order such convict transferred to the department for the insane at
8 Anamosa and confined therein until he shall have served out his sen-

9 tence or shall be pronounced sane, in which latter event he shall be re-
10 turned to the penitentiary or held in the reformatory to serve out his
11 unexpired sentence.

1 **SEC. 4. Transfer.** When it is by any person represented to the
2 warden or to the board of control that any convict confined in the re-
3 formatory at Anamosa is insane, the like course shall be pursued.

1 **SEC. 5. Insane at Anamosa.** No convict confined in the reforma-
2 tory at Anamosa found to be insane shall be removed to any other in-
3 stitution, except upon order of the board of control and after an exami-
4 nation of such convict and report to said board warranting the same,
5 made by a superintendent of one of the hospitals for the insane.

1 **SEC. 6. Examinations.** Said board of control is hereby author-
2 ized to require any superintendent of any of the hospitals for the in-
3 sane to make the examinations and reports herein specified.

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CHAPTER 225.

BIENNIAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR STATE INSTITUTIONS.

S. F. 273.

AN ACT making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa soldiers' home, Iowa soldiers' orphans' home, school for the deaf, institution for feeble-minded children, state sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, industrial schools, state hospitals, state hospital for inebriates, penitentiary and reformatory.

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

1 **SECTION 1. Appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated out of
2 any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum
3 of three hundred fifty thousand one hundred seventy dollars (\$350,-
4 170.00) for the construction, repair, furniture, improvement and con-
5 tingent funds for the Iowa soldiers' home, Iowa soldiers' orphans'
6 home, school for the deaf, institution for feeble-minded children,
7 state sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, industrial schools,
8 state hospitals, state hospital for inebriates, penitentiary and reforma-
9 tory; provided, however, that not more than one hundred seventy-five
10 thousand dollars (\$175,000.00) of said appropriation shall be available
11 for the period ending June 30, 1916, and not more than one hundred
12 seventy-five thousand one hundred seventy dollars (\$175,170.00) shall
13 be available for the period ending June 30, 1917.

1 **SEC. 2. How drawn.** All money appropriated by this act shall
2 be drawn from the state treasury and expended in the manner pro-
3 vided by chapter eleven-b (11-b) of title XIII of the supplement to the
4 code, 1913. Any balance remaining of any appropriation after the
5 object for which it was made has been accomplished may be expended
6 in the discretion of the board of control of state institutions for any