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Chapter 11.

An act in relation to normal schools and normal departments.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. It shall be the duty of the principals of the normal schools and of all other schools in which normal departments are supported, wholly or in part by the state, to keep a school register containing the names of all students entering such schools or departments, the date of entering and leaving, their ages, number of days attendance, the length of the school term, list of text books used, and all other information required in blanks to be furnished from the office of the state superintendent of common schools. The register and blanks thus furnished and kept shall be returned annually to the state superintendent of common schools on or prior to the first day of December, and the information so furnished shall appear in his annual school report, for the use and benefit of the legislature.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 16, 1872.

Chapter 12.

An act to change the punishment for burglary and rape.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. In all cases of burglary and rape the court may sen- Sentence for the tence for life or for a term of years.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect sixty days after its approval.

Approved February 17, 1872.

Chapter 13.

An act to amend section one, and to repeal sections eleven and twelve of chapter nine of the revised statutes, relating to salary of Indian agents.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. Section one of chapter nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out of the fifth line of said section the words "four hundred and fifty," and inserting instead thereof the words 'three hundred.' So that said section as amended shall read as follows:

R. S., chap. 9, sect. 1, relating to salary of Indian agents, amended.

crime of burglary

and rape.

Principals of normal schools or normal departments in other schools, required to forward to state superintendent of common schools statistics relating to students therein; and the information to be laid before the legislature.

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