

CHAPTER 188.

[Published May 4, 1865.]

AN ACT relating to costs and fees, and amendatory of section one of chapter 238 of the general laws of 1862.

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

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter 238 of the general laws of 1862, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: "Section 1. That section twenty-one of chapter 133 of the revised statutes, entitled "of costs and fees," is hereby amended, so as to read as follows, viz.: 'Section 21. In all civil cases in courts held by justices of the peace, the party in whose favor judgment is given, shall recover costs: *provided*, that the witness fees recovered by such party shall in no case exceed fifteen dollars.'" Witness fees of successful party not to exceed \$15.

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

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CHAPTER 189.

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AN ACT in addition to and to amend chapter 313 of the private and local acts of the year (A. D.) 1855, approved March 30th, 1865, entitled "an act for the establishment of a house of refuge for juvenile and other delinquents, in the county of Milwaukee."

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

SECTION 1. Chapter three hundred and eighteen of the acts of a private and local nature, of the year (A. D.) 1855, entitled "an act to authorize the establishment of a house of refuge for juvenile and other delinquents, in the county of Milwaukee," is hereby amended, by striking out the words "house of refuge," wherever they occur therein, and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "house of correction." Name changed.

Management, by-laws, rules, &c.

SECTION 2. Section four of said act is hereby so amended as to read as follows: "The management of the said 'house of correction' shall be under the control of the said board of supervisors, and such board of supervisors are hereby authorized to establish and adopt from time to time, at any meeting of said board, such rules for the regulation and management of the said house of correction, and the support, employment and discipline of the persons confined therein, as to them may seem proper, expedient and fit, and, generally, to make all such by-laws, rules and regulations in regard to the government and management thereof as they shall deem expedient. No by-laws, rules or regulations for the management, government or discipline of said house of correction, or of the persons confined therein, shall be finally adopted by said board of supervisors, on the same day on which the same shall be first presented to said board for consideration, nor until the same shall have been considered and reported upon by a select committee appointed for that purpose. Said board shall also appoint one inspector for said house of correction, who shall be the principal keeper of said house of correction, and who shall hold his office for the term of two years, commencing on the first Monday of January succeeding his appointment, unless sooner removed by said board for incompetency, improper conduct or other cause satisfactory to said board. The cause of such removal shall be particularly assigned in writing, and entered upon the minutes of said board, with the ayes and noes upon the adoption of the vote for such removal. Said inspector shall be elected at the annual meeting, in November, at which time his salary shall be fixed, and such salary shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which he shall be elected. In case of any vacancy occurring in the office of such inspector at any time, from any cause, such vacancy may be filled by appointment by said board, for the residue of the term. Said inspector shall, before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such, give to said county a bond in such sum as the said board shall direct, with sureties to be approved by said board, conditioned that he will faithfully execute the duties of his office, and comply on his part with all such regulations, rules and by-laws as shall be prescribed or established by said board for the government, management and discipline

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of said house of correction and of the persons who may be confined therein. He shall have the charge and control of said house of correction and of the persons confined therein, subject to such rules, by-laws and regulations as may be prescribed by said board. He shall appoint and be responsible for the acts of all necessary assistants under him, subject to the power of said board to prescribe the number of such assistants, and the duties to be performed by them. The salary and compensation of said inspector, and all assistants appointed by him, shall be paid out of the county treasury of said county of Milwaukee, at such times as said board shall direct, and said board shall also have the power to fix the compensation to be paid all such assistants." His salary.

SECTION 3. Section five of said act is hereby amended, by striking out the words "less than ten nor," in the tenth and eleven lines thereof. Sec. 5 amended.

SECTION 4. Section eight of said act is hereby amended, by adding thereto the following clause: "The superintendents of the poor of the county of Milwaukee are hereby authorized to direct that any pauper who is a charge as such to said county, and who is able to labor, be kept in said house of correction. Any such pauper so directed to be kept at such house of correction, shall be compelled to labor therein in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations that other persons confined therein shall be, so long as he shall remain a charge as such pauper upon said county of Milwaukee." Paupers may be made to labor.

SECTION 5. Section eleven of said act is hereby amended, by striking out the word "officers," where it occurs in the first and seventh lines of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "inspector;" also, by striking out the word "they," in the thirteenth line of said section, and inserting the word "he;" also, by striking out the word "their," in the thirteenth and eighteenth lines of said section, and inserting the word "his." Sec. 11 amended.

SECTION 6. Section thirteen of said act is hereby amended, by inserting after the word "completed," where it occurs in the first line thereof, the words, "or any portion thereof shall be completed and ready for occupancy." Said section thirteen is also hereby amended, by striking out the word "board," in the fifth Sec. 13 amended.

line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "boards."

U. S. prisoners.

SECTION 7. The said board of supervisors of the county of Milwaukee are hereby authorized to contract with the proper authorities of the United States, for the keeping and support within said house of correction, of all prisoners that may be sentenced to imprisonment by the courts of the United States within this state, upon such terms as shall be agreed upon by said board and said authorities of the United States.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 190.

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AN ACT to amend chapter 101 of the private and local laws of the year 1857, entitled "an act to incorporate the Wolf river boom company, and to repeal chapters 101 and 540 of the private and local laws of the year 1856," and to repeal chapter 43 of the private and local laws of the year 1862, entitled "an act to amend an act entitled 'an act to incorporate the Wolf river boom company,' and to repeal chapters 101 and 540 of the private and local laws of the year 1856."

(See supplement to local laws.)

CHAPTER 191.

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AN ACT to detach certain lands from the county of Marquette, and attach the same to the county of Green Lake.

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

SECTION 1. All that portion of the county of Marquette, lying east of Grand river and south of the Fox river, (being fractional parts of section numbers one, in

Detached from
Green Lake.