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CHAPTER 188.

AN ACT to amend section 7 of chapter 33 of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1893, and the several acts amendatory thereof, to create and establish a superior court in and for Douglas county, Wisconsin.

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

Change of
venue to cir-
cuit court or
vice versa.

SECTION 1. Chapter 33 of the laws of 1893, as amended and re-enacted by chapter 301 of the laws of 1893 of the laws of Wisconsin, is hereby amended by adding after section 2 of said chapter 33, the following, to be known as section 2a. "Section 2a. Whenever the place of trial of any action or proceeding in said superior court shall be changed on account of the prejudice of the judge thereof, or because he shall be interested, or have been counsel therein, the place of trial shall be changed to the circuit court of Douglas county, unless it shall appear that one of the aforesaid objections exists to trying such actions before the judge of such circuit court; and whenever for any such reasons a change of the place of trial shall be granted in any action pending in said circuit court, the place of trial may be changed to said superior court unless it shall appear that one of the aforesaid objections exists to trying such action before the judge of said superior court; provided, the action be one of which the said superior court would have jurisdiction according to the provisions of this act.

Clerk of cir-
cuit court ex-
officio clerk of
superior court.

SECTION 2. Section 13 of chapter 33 of the laws of Wisconsin for 1893 is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section 13. The clerk of the circuit court of Douglas county shall be ex-officio clerk of said superior court and shall under the direction of the judge thereof provide a

seal therefor. It shall be the duty of said clerk Duties of. either in person or by deputy, to keep and maintain an office in the building in which the session of said superior court shall be held, and to keep the same open for the transaction of business during the business hours of each secular day in the same manner as the office of the clerk of the circuit court; and to file and safely keep in said office all papers and pleadings relating to any action or proceeding therein. Whenever a judgment shall have been perfected Judgment of superior court, how docketed and force of. in any action or proceeding in the superior court it shall be the duty of the clerk thereof forthwith to enter, docket and index the same in suitable books kept for that purpose in his office, in the same manner that circuit court judgments are required to be docketed and indexed, and such judgments, when so docketed and indexed, shall have the same force and effect, be a like lien on the real estate of the judgment debtor, and may be enforced in said superior court in the same manner, as circuit court judgments, and all laws now in force or which shall hereafter be enacted relating to circuit court judgments shall be applicable to judgments of said superior court. It shall also be the duty of said clerk, without additional fees therefor, to forthwith docket and index said judgments in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Douglas county in the same manner as circuit court judgments are required to be docketed and indexed. The deputy clerk of said superior court is hereby Powers of deputy clerk. authorized and empowered to tax costs, enter default judgments, and perform all other acts in relation to actions and proceedings in said court that the clerk of the circuit court is authorized by law to perform. Before entering upon the duties of his office, said clerk shall execute to Douglas county a good and sufficient bond, with two or more sureties, to be approved by the judge of said court, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as such clerk; and he

shall be entitled to the compensation for services rendered in said court provided by law for like services in the circuit court.”

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

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CHAPTER 189.

AN ACT regulating the operation and use of emery wheels or emery belts of all kinds in factories or workshops, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

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

Emery wheels and appliances to be hooded to prevent circulation of dust from.

SECTION 1. That all persons, companies or corporations operating any factory or workshop where emery wheels or emery belts of any description are used for polishing, either solid emery, leather, leather covered, felt, canvas, linen, paper, cotton or wheels or belts rolled or coated with emery or corundum, or cotton wheels used as buff, shall, when deemed necessary, by the factory inspector, assistant factory inspector, or any officers of the bureau of labor, provide such polishing wheels or belts with blower or similar apparatus, which shall be placed over, beside or under such wheels or belts in such manner as to protect the person or persons using the same from the particles of the dust produced and caused thereby, and to carry away the dust arising from or thrown off by such wheels or belts while in operation, directly to the outside of the building or to some recept-