

other agent, employe or servant of such company, in the discharge of or for failing to discharge their proper duty as such; but this act shall not be construed so as to permit a recovery where the negligence of the person so claiming to recover materially contributed to the result complained of.

Not to be exempt by agreement.

SECTION 2. That no contract, receipt, rule or regulation between any employe and a railroad company shall exempt such corporation from the full liability imposed by this act.

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

Approved March 4, 1875.

## CHAPTER 174.

[Published March 9, 1875.]

AN ACT relating to the discipline of prisoners in the House of Correction of Milwaukee county.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

Inspector to keep record of conduct of prisoners.

Certificate of good conduct to be given.

SECTION 1. It is hereby made the duty of the inspector of the House of Correction of Milwaukee county, to keep a true record of the conduct of each prisoner, specifying each infraction of the rules of discipline. At the end of each month said inspector shall give a certificate of good conduct to each prisoner who shall require it, against whom is recorded no infraction of the rules of discipline, and upon each said certificate the inspector may, at his discretion, diminish the term of any prisoner sentenced for a specific time, not more than five days. All such certificates shall remain on file in the office of said House of Correction, subject at any time to be annulled by the Governor for subsequent misconduct of the prisoner. This act shall apply only to such prisoners confined in said House of Correction as have been convicted of a misdemeanor or a felony.

Certificate to restore to citizenship.

SECTION 2. Any prisoner who, at the expiration of the term of his sentence, shall obtain a certificate from said inspector that during the term of his confinement such prisoner had maintained a good char-

acter for obedience, industry and integrity, such certificate shall restore such prisoner to citizenship.

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

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## CHAPTER 175.

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AN ACT to authorize the county board of supervisors of Milwaukee county, to increase the salary of the district attorney of said county for the term commencing the fourth day of January, 1875, to enable him to employ an assistant.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. The county board of supervisors of the county of Milwaukee are hereby authorized and empowered to appropriate and allow to the district attorney of said county a sum not exceeding the sum of eight hundred dollars per annum in addition to the salary now allowed him, for the term commencing the first Monday in January, 1875, for the purpose of enabling him to employ an assistant during said term; and [the] sum so allowed to be paid the said district attorney in quarterly installments during said term, at the end of each and every quarter, by county orders of said county, duly issued therefor.

Board of supervisors to allow a sum for employment of assistant.

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

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