amount authorized to be assessed, ordered to be assessed at the annual town meeting, not exceeding fifteen mills nor less than three on the dollar of the valuation aforesaid.

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

Approved February 14, 1876.

CHAPTER 27.

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AN ACT to authorize town insurance companies to insure real and personal property in any towns adjoining towns in the same county where such insurance companies may be located, and to legalize such insurance heretofore made.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be lawful for any town insur- Town insurance company organized under the laws of this state, ance companies under the laws of this state, and the laws of this state, and the laws of without reorganization, to insure the real and personal in adjoining property of the inhabitants of any adjoining towns (in the same county,) where such town insurance company may be located; such property being situated within such adjoining town, in the same manner and at the same rates as other insurance is made. And all insurance heretofore made and all policies heretofore issued by town insurance companies upon property situated in such adjoining towns, and all the acts and proceedings of town insurance companies in respect to such property and the insurance thereof, are hereby legalized and declared valid to all intents and purposes.

SECTION 2. It shall be lawful for such organized Officers may be town insurance companies, from time to time, as oc-adjoining casion requires, to choose any of their officers from towns. such adjoining towns, as they would be permitted to do if such adjoining towns had been embraced in their territory, at its organization.

Section 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent Repealed. with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 14, 1876.

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