party requiring such transcript to be made ten cents for each folio of one hundred words.

SECTION 5. The judge of said court may in his dis- Power of judge cretion remove such reporter or reporters, and may fill to remove reany vacancy that may arise from any cause.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect from and after

its passage.

Approved March 8, 1877.

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CHAPTER 288.

AN ACT to authorize the county board of supervisors of the county of Adams to sell and dispose of the lands owned by said county for the purposes therein set forth.

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

SECTION 1. The county board of supervisors of the Authority of county of Adams is hereby authorized and empowered county board to subscribe to the capital stock of any railroad com-capital stock of pany or corporation, the line of whose railroad shall be convey lands located and established into or through said county and therefor. in payment for such capital stock to sell and convey to such railroad company or corporation any or all of the lands not used exclusively for county purposes, the title of which is or hereafter shall become vested in said county, and for such price or prices as shall be agreed upon between the said county board of supervisors and such railroad company or corporation.

SECTION 2. The deed of conveyance of said lands How deed of shall be executed for and on behalf of said county, by be executed. the county clerk thereof, upon the order and direction of said county board of supervisors, and in such form and containing such conditions and covenants as the said board shall determine and prescribe; and the form so determined and prescribed by said board shall be sufficient to convey any and all title vested in said

county to the lands so conveyed.

SECTION 3. This act shall not be so construed as in construction of any manner to limit said county from subscribing to act. the capital stock of any railroad company, and issuing its bonds in payment therefor, pursuant to any law of this state.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approve 1 March 8, 1877.

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CHAPTER 284.

AN ACT authorizing the making and filing of affidavits and and proofs, of the publication and posting of notices of sales and statements of the returned delinquent lands, in the county of Fond du Lac, for unpaid taxes for the years 1869 to 1874.

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

Authority of persons having been county treasurers to supply affidation.

Section 1. The persons who were county treasurers of Fond du Lac county, and their deputies, during the years hereinafter mentioned, are hereby authorized to make and supply affidavits and proofs of the publication and posting up of their statements of the returned delinquent lands for unpaid taxes, and notices of sale of the same, in the county of Fond du Lac, for each of the several years of 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873 and 1874, and deposit such affidavits and proofs in the office of the county clerk of said county, who is directed to file and preserve the same in his office as a part of the records and papers of the tax sales in said years and when said affidavits and proofs are made, deposited and filed as aforesaid, they shall be as valid, effectual and conclusive as if made prior to or at the time of said tax sales and deposited and filed in the office of the county clerk immediately after the close of the sale of lands for taxes in said county in each of the years aforesaid, and shall be so held and considered in all courts and places.

Validity of affidavits and proofs of publication.

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

Approved March 8, 1877.