

authorized and empowered to punish such witness in the same manner as if such witness had refused to appear or had refused to testify in any suit or proceeding pending before him.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 11, 1881.

[No. 9, A.]

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CHAPTER 79.

AN ACT to amend section four thousand three hundred and seventy-six, revised statutes, relating to punishment for assault with intent to rob or murder.

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

SECTION 1. Section four thousand three hundred and seventy-six of the revised statutes, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 4376. Any person being armed with a dangerous weapon, who shall assault another, with intent to rob or murder, shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison not more than fifteen years nor less than one year.

Assault with intent to murder or rob.

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

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CHAPTER 80.

AN ACT to amend section one of chapter two hundred and twenty, of the general laws of 1880, entitled, "An act providing for the disposal of redemption money remaining in the hands of county clerks more than six years."

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

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter two hundred and twenty, of the general laws of 1880, is hereby amended by adding to said section the following: From the general fund; and said redemption money when paid into the county treasury by said county clerk, shall become a part of the general fund, and shall be disbursed as other moneys belonging to the general fund; so that said section will read, when amended, as follows: Section 1. All redemption moneys, from tax sales, which have been or which shall hereafter be paid to county clerks, shall, after the expiration of six years from the date of such sale, be

Return into county treasury of redemption money from tax sales.

paid into the county treasury by the county clerk, and with such payment, he shall file with the county treasurer a certified statement, giving the number of the certificate redeemed, the date thereof, the purchase thereof, and the amount paid on such redemption, and the legal holder of any such tax certificate so redeemed, may thereafter present the same to the county treasurer and receive from him the amount paid upon such redemption of said certificate from the general fund; and said redemption money when paid into the county treasury by said county clerk, shall become a part of the general fund, and shall be disbursed as other moneys belonging to the general fund.

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CHAPTER 81.

AN ACT to amend section one of chapter ninety-five of the private and local laws of 1859, entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Ripon.

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

Elective officers.

SECTION 1. Amend section one of chapter ninety-five of the private and local laws of 1859, so that the same shall read as follows: Section 1. The elective officers of each ward of said city of Ripon, shall be three aldermen, one assessor, one constable and one supervisor, which latter officer shall represent his ward on the county board of supervisors of Fond du Lac county.

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

Approved March 12, 1881.

[No. 187, S.]

[Published March 22, 1881.]

CHAPTER 82.

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-eight of the private and local law of 1867, entitled an act in addition and supplementary to chapter seventy-two, of the private and local laws of 1858, entitled an act to incorporate the city of Ripon.

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

Chief of fire department.

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and seventy-eight of the private and local laws of 1867,