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CHAPTER 378.

AN ACT to amend the charter of the city of Milwaukee.

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CHAPTER 379.

AN ACT to amend section 4794, of the revised statutes, relating to bail in murder cases.

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

Relating to bail in murder cases.

SECTION 1. Section 4794, of the revised statutes, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 4794. The amount of penalty of the recognizance or bail bond shall be in such sum as, in the opinion of the officer taking the same, will secure the appearance of the accused for trial. In cases of murder, the recognizance shall be signed by the accused and at least two sureties, who shall severally swear that they each own and possess unincumbered real estate, within this state, not exempt from sale on execution, worth a certain sum mentioned, which sums so sworn to by such sureties shall in the aggregate be double the amount specified in said recognizance; but no surety shall be accepted who shall not justify in at least one-third of the amount fixed in said recognizance; and when required by the district attorney, or court, shall give a full description of such land, and in what county such land is situated. Such recognizance shall, immediately after its execution, be filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court, and docketed upon the docket of judgments therein, in the same manner as judgments are required to be docketed in such office; and a transcript thereof shall be immediately filed in every county where such lands are situated.

The said recognizance, from the time the same is executed before such judge, shall bind and be a charge upon the lands and tenements, real estate and chattels, real of the parties executing such recognizance, whether owned by them jointly, or either of them severally, and wherever the same may be situated in this state, until such recognizance shall be fully paid and satisfied, or otherwise discharged by due course of law.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 9, 1885.

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CHAPTER 380.

AN ACT to provide for the laying out, maintenance and improvement of public streets and bridges between towns and incorporated cities and villages.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1274, of the revised stat-Relating to public streets utes, is hereby amended so that the same shall and bridges read as follows to wit: Section 1274. Whenever it between towns. read as follows, to wit: Section 1274. Whenever it shall be deemed necessary to lay out, alter, widen or discontinue a highway upon the line between a town, and city or village, the application therefor shall be in duplicate, addressed to the supervisors of the town, and the common council of the city, or the board of trustees of the village, and be signed by at least six free-holders of the town and six free-holders of the city or village, and shall contain and set forth such statements as are and may be required by the charter of such city or village in cases of applications to take lands for the public use in such city or village; and thereupon such common council or board of trustees shall proceed, in conformity with the requirements of the charter of such city or village, to have the question of the necessity of taking the property proposed to be taken for the purpose of laying out, altering, widening or discontinuing