law required in the disbursement of other town moneys.

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

Approved April 2, 1887.

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## CHAPTER 293.

AN ACT for the appointing of guardians of insane persons in certain cases.

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

SECTION 1. That whenever any person now is, Appointment or hereafter may be, a patient in any hospital for for insume perthe insane in this state, and it shall appear to the some having satisfaction of the superintendent of such hospithis state. tal, that such patient is incurable, that he has property within this state, that he has no wife or children who would be dependent upon him for support, if sane, and that he has no guardian, it shall be the duty of such superintendent to apply to the probate court of the county in which such patient resided at the time of his commitment, for the appointment of a guardian of the person and estate of such insane person, and the court, upon such application, shall proceed to the appointment of a guardian of such insane person, in the same manner as is or may be provided for the appointment of guardians of the persons and estate of minors. Such guardian, when appointed, shall have and exercise the same powers and duties as are or may be by law conferred upon guardians of minors, and may sell any real or personal estate, the property of such insane person, in the same manner and for the same purposes as is or may be provided for the sale, "by guardians of minors," of the real or personal estate of their wards, except that such sale shall be made in the county where such estate is situated, and the proceeds of such sale shall be paid into

the treasury of the state, or county for the use and benefit of such insane person, and shall be applied to his use and support in such hospital, and upon his discharge therefrom, the residue, if any, of such proceeds, shall be paid to him or his guardians; and if such insane person dies in such hospital, then such residue shall be paid to his legal representatives.

Repeal.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts, so far as they conflict with this act, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 2, 1887.

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[No. 668, A.]

[Published April 22, 1887.]

## CHAPTER 294.

AN ACT relating to the foreclosure of chattel mortgages.

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

Sale on chattle mortzage redemption.

Section 1. No sale of any personal property taken under or by virtue of any chattel mortgage, lease or other instrument, intended as security, except by consent of the mortgagor, his legal representatives and assigns, shall be made before the expiration of five days from the time when the same was actually taken, nor shall any such property during the time aforesaid be removed from the county where the same was situated when so taken; and during such period, such property shall be subject to redemption by payment of the mortgage debt, together with actual and necessary costs, and expenses of taking and keeping the property incurred at the time of making redemption.

Damages for violation.

SECTION 2. In case of any violation of the provisions of this act, the person aggrieved by such violation, may recover of the person violating the same the sum of twenty-five dollars as liquidated damages, in addition to actual damages, in an ac-