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CHAPTER 393.

AN ACT to amend section 2, and section 4, of chapter 32, of the laws of Wisconsin of 1882, providing for the appointment of a register of probate for Dane county.

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

Amending section 2, ch. 82, laws 1882.

Section 1. Section 2, of chapter 32, of the laws of Wisconsin of 1882, is hereby amended by adding to said section the following: "He shall have the care, custody and preservation of all books, papers and records of said court subject to the direction of the judge thereof, and whenever any application requiring notice of hearing to be given shall be made to said court, such register in probate may order said notice to be given, and such order shall have the same force and effect as if made by the court or the judge thereof. register in probate shall also act as clerk of said county court, and as such clerk may administer oaths, and shall certify to copies and transcripts of all the records and files of said county court, to be used in any other state, agreeably to section 905, of the revised statutes of the United States, and in making such certificate he shall use the seal of said county court, and sign himself, 'clerk of the county court of Dane county,' and shall authenticate acknowledgements of all instruments taken by the judge of said county," so that section 2, when so amended, shall read as "Section 2. It shall be the duty of such register in probate to record all wills admitted to probate by the county court of said county of Dane, all letters testamentary, letters of administration, letters of guardianship, bonds guardians, orders, judgments \mathbf{and} decrees granted or made by said county court and all other proceedings and matters required by law to be recorded in said county court. He shall have the care, custody and preservation of all books, papers and records of said court, subject

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to the direction of the judge thereof, and whenever any application requiring notice of hearing to be given shall be made to said court, such register in probate may order said notice to be given, and such order shall have the same force and effect as if made by the court or judge thereof. Such register in probate shall also act as clerk of said county court, and as such clerk may administer oaths, and shall certify to copies and transcripts of all the records and files of said county court, to be used in any other state, agreeably to section 405, of the revised statutes of the United States, and in making such certificate he shall use the seal of said county court, and sign himself, 'clerk of the county court for Dane county,' and shall authenticate acknowledgments of all instruments taken by the judge of said court."

Section 2. Section 4, of said chapter 32, of the selection laws of Wisconsin of 1882, is hereby amended by striking out the words, "six hundred," in the second line of said section, and substituting in lieu thereof the words, "one thousand," so that said section when so amended shall read as follows: "Section 4. Such register shall receive the annual salary of one thousand dollars, which shall be paid by the county of Dane, and the county treasurer of the county of Dane shall pay the same quarterly, and the same shall be in full compensation for the performance of the duties of such register in probate.

This act shall take effect and be in Section 3. force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 9, 1887.

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CHAPTER 394.

AN ACT to authorize foreign railroad companies to extend their roads into this state.

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

Section 1. Any railroad corporation organized and existing under the laws of any adjoining state