This act shall take effect and be SECTION 7. in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 125.

AN ACT to provide for the collection of special assessments upon the property of corporations.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever in any city in this collection of state, under the charter provisions thereof, or special assessment on propunder any general law of this state, a special crity of corporations. assessment against property subject to such special assessment shall have been duly ordered and made, and any such property shall be owned or operated by any corporation, organized under general or special laws of this state. or under franchises granted to it by any municipal corporation of this state, a certified statement of the amount of such assessment and the time when ordered may be signed by the city clerk and certified by him under the seal of the city as having been duly and legally made, and upon the filing of such certificate in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which such property is located. the same shall be a lien upon the property of any such corporation in such county and may be foreclosed by action in such court in the same manner as liens of mechanics and others

upon real property may be foreclosed in such court.

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Certified statement of Section 2. The certified statement of such the prima facile lien so filed by the city clerk and signed and sealed as aforesaid, shall be prima facie evidence of the legality and correctness of all prior proceedings in the matter of such assessment and of the legality and validity of such assessment.

> This act shall take effect and be SECTION 3. in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 126.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of H. N. Cronkrite, a justice of the peace within and for the county of Rock, elected by the voters of the village of Clinton, Rock county, Wisconsin.

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

Official acts of justice of the peace legal-

Section 1. The official acts of H. N. Cronkrite in all matters and proceedings in which he, as the justice of the peace of the village of Cliuton, Rock county, has jurisdiction, wherein he has signed the process or records as justice of the peace, are hereby legalized and declared lawful.

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

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