transmit a notice thereof to each such appointee. Such inspectors of election, clerks of election and ballot clerks shall, within ten days after the mailing of such notice, file with the clerk of such city or village an oath of office substantially in the following form:

I, A. B. .... of election in the .... of .... county of .... do hereby solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the state of Wisconsin and will perform the duties of .... of election according to law and will studiously endeavor to prevent all fraud and deceit in conducting the same. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this .... day of .... A. D. 19...

And no other or further oath of office shall be required of said officers during the term for which he was elected.

Any person appointed to fill a vacancy on such board of inspectors, ballot clerks or poll clerks, shall before entering upon the duties of his office take and subscribe an oath of office similar in form to the above and any inspector of election who has taken and filed an oath of office may administer said oath. Any inspector having taken and filed the oath of office as above prescribed may administer any oath required by law in conducting registrations or elections.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are repealed.

Section 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved July 2, 1915.

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## CHAPTER 338.

AN ACT to amend subsection 4 of section 1809 of the statutes, relating to railroads.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Subsection 4 of section 1809 of the statutes is amended to read: (Section 1809.) 4. No such railroad company or corporation shall run any train or locomotive over any public traveled grade highway crossing, outside of the limits of

any incorporated city or village, unless the whistle shall be blown eighty rods from such crossing and the engine bell rung continuously from thence until such crossing be reached by such train or locomotive. Provided, however, that the Railroad Commission of Wisconsin shall have power to order that the ringing of the bell or the blowing of the whistle, or both, as required by this subsection 4, shall be omitted at any crossing.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 339.

AN ACT to confer civil and criminal jurisdiction on the county court of Iowa county.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

There is hereby conferred on the county court of Iowa county, jurisdiction in all civil actions and proceedings in law and in equity, concurrent with and equal with the jurisdiction of the circuit court in said county, for all claims, demands and sums and to and concerning all property, not exceeding the sum or value of twenty-five thousand dollars; provided, that said county court shall have jurisdiction in all actions in said county for the foreclosure of mortgages and mechanic liens, in which the amount claimed does not exceed the sum above mentioned, although the property to be affected by the judgment exceeds the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars in value; and of all actions for divorce or for affirmance or annulment of marriage contracts; and all actions for removing clouds and quieting title to real estate and all actions for partition of real estate; and in all bastardy actions and in all criminal cases except murder, manslaughter and homicide; and to the amount and within the limits aforesaid the said county court shall be a court of general jurisdiction, with the same power and jurisdiction in all civil and criminal actions and proceedings, and including the power of review of records on certiorari, discharging mortgages of records, and such other special powers as are now or may hereafter be conferred by the statutes upon the circuit court, coming within the above limitations, as belong to and are exercised by the circuit court in and for said county.

Section 2. All actions commenced before a justice of the peace in Iowa county, where the title to lands will come in ques-