

statutes is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Within twenty-four hours after the said damages shall be so appraised, unless the amount so ascertained and the fees of the appraisers shall have been paid, the person making such distress shall cause the beast or beasts distrained to be put in the nearest pound in the same town, if there be one, and if there be no pound within the town, then in some secure enclosure in the town, there to remain until the same be seized in an action according to law, or sold as hereinafter directed, or until the damages so certified, and the fees of the appraisers, and costs of keeping such beasts, be paid, and if said beasts be put in any pound, he shall deliver the certificate of the appraisers to the keeper of such pound.

When no pound in town beast to be put in enclosure.

SECTION 2. Strike out the words "or counties," where they occur in section five; also strike out "county" in the first line of section six, and insert "town."

Amendments.

SECTION 3. All acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

Repeal.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 12, 1861.

CHAPTER 230.

[Published April 16, 1861.]

AN ACT for the re-publication of unredeemed lands in Polk county.

Whereas, the clerk of the board of supervisors of Polk county, in the publication of the list of unredeemed lands of said county, from the sale of September 8th, 1857, failed to make publication of *twelve weeks prior* to the six months before the expiration of the time limited for redeeming lands sold as aforesaid:

Preamble.

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

SECTION 1. The clerk of the board of supervisors of Polk county, is hereby authorized and required, within three months from the passage of this act, to republish the list of unredeemed lands from the sale of September

Republication of list of unredeemed lands.

ber eighth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, in said county, in conformity with section sixteen of chapter twenty-two of the general laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-nine; and the conveyances executed and delivered upon such republication, shall be held to be lawful and sufficient conveyances of unredeemed lands, pursuant to the provisions of said chapter twenty-two, notwithstanding the failure to make publication specified in the preamble to this act.

Redemption extended.

SECTION 2. The time for the redemption of all such lands sold for the unpaid taxes of eighteen hundred and fifty-six, is hereby extended until the expiration of the republication, as in the first section of this act provided for.

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

Approved April 12, 1861.

CHAPTER 231.

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AN ACT to provide for the removal of the county seat of Pepin county.

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

Vote to be taken

SECTION 1. At the annual election to be held in the month of November next, the qualified electors of the county of Pepin may vote upon the question of the removal of the county seat of said county, from the village of Pepin, the the present county seat, to the village of Durand, in said county of Pepin.

Form of ballot.

SECTION 2. All votes given upon the question aforesaid shall be by ballot, upon which shall be written or printed either the words "For the removal of the county seat," or "Against the removal of the county seat." Said ballot shall be deposited in a separate box furnished by the inspectors of elections, and in case a majority of all the votes cast on the question shall be in favor of removal to the place above designated, then shall the village of Durand, the said place, be the county seat of said county.