

under the provisions of this chapter, as for similar services in other cases in said court; said fees, costs and expenses shall be apportioned equally upon the several parcels of lands concerning which said notice or notices were published and said proceedings taken.

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 All acts or parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 10, 1880.

[No. 174, A.]

[Published March 17, 1880.]

CHAPTER 160.

AN ACT to provide for the election of the president, secretary and treasurer of the Plymouth farmers' fire insurance association.

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

Elections by ballot.

SECTION 1. The president, secretary and treasurer of the Plymouth farmers' fire insurance association of the county of Sheboygan, shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meeting of the corporation by the members thereof, but no director shall be eligible to the office of president, secretary or treasurer.

President and secretary of board of directors.

SECTION 2. The president and secretary elected as herein provided shall be respectively president and secretary of the board of directors of the aforesaid corporation, but shall have no power to vote on any question before said board of directors, except in case of a tie vote the president may cast the deciding vote.

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

Approved March 10, 1880.

[No. 41, A.]

[Published March 13, 1880.]

CHAPTER 161.

AN ACT to exempt members of the Watertown fire department from certain duties therein named.

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

Exemption from service on juries and from military duty.

SECTION 1. Each and every person being a member of the fire department in the city of Watertown, organized in pursuance of any law of this state, and having served as such for the term of ten years, shall be entitled to a discharge certificate, to be signed by

the president and treasurer of the fire department, and countersigned by the clerk of said city, and he shall be thereafter, so long as he shall reside in said city, exempt from poll tax and from serving on juries, and from military duty, except in case of war, insurrection or invasion.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, so far as they relate to the city of Watertown, are hereby repealed. Repealed.

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

Approved March 10, 1880.

[No. 50, A.]

[Published March 10, 1880.]

CHAPTER 162.

AN ACT authorizing and allowing horses, mules, cattle and sheep to run at large upon uninclosed lands in the county of Vernon.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever, in the county of Vernon, a highway shall be located or situated between two or more pieces of improved land, owned or occupied by two or more persons, the respective occupants or owners of the same, shall maintain fences around and inclosing said land, of the same character, height and description as now required by law in case of partition fence, and such fences shall be maintained as long as such pieces of land continue to be cultivated. Fences to be maintained.

SECTION 2. Occupants or owners of land, failing to maintain and keep up such fences as required in section one of this act, shall not be entitled to recover damages caused by horses, cattle, sheep or mules straying upon any such lands. Penalty for non-compliance.

SECTION 3. This act shall apply to the county of Vernon only.

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

Approved March 10, 1880.

[No. 83, A.]

[Published March 15, 1880.]

CHAPTER 163.

AN ACT to appropriate to Robert May a sum of money therein named.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to Robert May, fifteen dollars, out of any money in the state Appropriation, \$15.