

the year 1880 is hereby amended by adding the following; provided, further, that said counties may dispose of and convey said lands to any railroad corporation which shall construct a railroad from the city of Oconto through said county; also the counties of Marathon, Clark, Chippewa and Jackson may dispose of and convey all such lands, within their respective borders to any railroad corporation which shall hereafter construct, equip and operate a railway from the county seat of either of said counties to the border thereof.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.
Approved March 31, 1883.

[No. 69, A.]

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CHAPTER 233.

AN ACT to provide for an appeal from the decisions of the state board of supervision of the Wisconsin charitable, reformatory and penal institutions.

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

SECTION 1. Any party aggrieved by any decision or order of the "State Board of Supervision of Wisconsin Charitable, Reformatory and Penal Institutions," made under chapter 229 of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1881, may appeal therefrom to the circuit court of the county to which such insane person is alleged to be chargeable.

How to appeal
from decisions.

SECTION 2. Such appeal may be taken from any decision or order made by said board since the first day of October, A. D., 1882, or hereafter made; provided, that the appeal shall be taken in all cases within one year from the making of such decision or order. The same may be taken by service of a notice thereof upon all parties to the proceedings. It may be served upon the secretary or president of said board, upon the county clerk of any county which is a party in interest, and upon the attorney general of the state, where the state is interested. Within twenty days after service of such notice of appeal, the secretary of said board shall transmit to the clerk of the circuit court to which the appeal is taken, all the original papers used upon the hearing before said board, together with a certified copy of all the proceedings, orders and decisions of said board

therein. When a complete determination of the controversy cannot be had, without the presence of other parties than those to the original proceeding, the court shall order such parties to be brought in; and to that end the court may make such order as it may deem fit and necessary in the premises. The proceedings shall be continued as may be necessary, and further proceedings had therein, as if such additional parties had been originally proceeded against.

How appeal shall be tried.

SECTION 3. Such appeal shall be tried by a jury (unless the same is waived), as actions originally brought in said court, and shall be subject to the same rules of law and practice as govern ordinary jury trials in such court. The jury shall find a special verdict naming the county to which such inmate is chargeable, or whether chargeable to the state at large, and judgment shall be entered accordingly. The same right of appeal from such judgment to the supreme court shall be had as in other cases; and the said board upon rendition of final judgment shall alter or change the books of such hospital to correspond therewith.

SECTION 4. The prevailing party in the circuit or supreme court shall be entitled to costs as in other cases.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 31, 1883.

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CHAPTER 234.

AN ACT to provide for the alteration of a state road therein described.

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

Authorized to alter a state road.

SECTION 1. James Barry, John Larson and William Teare, are hereby appointed commissioners, to alter a state road heretofore laid out from the village of Stockholm, Pepin county, through the town of Maiden Rock, Pierce county, to the village of Durand, Pepin county.

SECTION 2. In making the alteration herein provided for the commissioners shall adopt the track now opened and traveled through the town of Maiden Rock, Pierce county.