

[No. 716, A.]

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## CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT to authorize the appointment of special administrators in certain cases.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever it shall appear by petition duly verified, or by affidavit, to the county court of any county in the state, that an inhabitant thereof has died, leaving no debts that remain unpaid, or that the estate of any deceased person has been fully settled, and the executor or administrator thereof discharged, and that any mortgage or judgment in favor of such deceased person remains undischarged of record, or any other act remains unperformed on the part of such deceased person, the performance of which effects, or is of importance to any other person or persons, such county court may appoint a special administrator for the purpose of releasing and discharging such mortgage or judgment of record, or performing such other acts as may be deemed necessary in the premises. Upon the presentation of such petition or affidavit the county court shall determine whether notice of the hearing thereon shall be given, and if notice of such hearing is ordered by said court, it shall direct the manner and time of giving such notice. If such court shall deem notice of such hearing unnecessary, it may proceed to hear the matter of such petition or affidavit summarily without notice. If such court shall appoint such special administrator, it shall in all cases where money or property may come into the hands of such special administrator, require him to give a bond to the judge of said court in such sum, with such conditions, and with such surety or sureties as said court shall direct. The order appointing such special administrator shall require him to make to said court, without delay, a full report of his acts as such special administrator. Upon the filing of such report such further proceeding shall be had and such further order made in said mat-

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ter, by said court, as it shall deem necessary. Such special administrator shall exercise no powers except those specially granted by the order of said court. When such special administrator shall have fully performed the act or acts mentioned in the order appointing him, his powers as such special administrator shall cease. Such courts shall have the power at any time after such appointment to require such special administrator to make a report of his acts as such special administrator, and to revoke and vacate the appointment of such special administrator whenever it shall deem best.

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

Approved March 31, 1887.

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[No. 230, S.]

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## CHAPTER 196.

AN ACT to amend section 3569, of the revised statutes, relating to justices of the peace.

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

Amending sec.  
3569, R. S.

SECTION 1. Amend section 3569, of the revised statutes, by adding to said section the following: But he shall name in said process the town or city from where such process issued.

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

Approved March 31, 1887.