

[No. 638, A.]

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CHAPTER 220.

AN ACT to provide for a register in probate of
Dunn county.

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

SECTION 1. The county judge of the county of
Dunn may appoint from time to time, subject to
removal, a competent person to record the pro-
ceedings of the county court of Dunn county, and
the person so appointed shall be officially styled
the register in probate; such register in probate
shall, before entering upon the duties of his office
take and subscribe the constitutional oath of office
and file the same in the office of the clerk of the
circuit court of the county of Dunn, and shall ex-
ecute to the county of Dunn, a bond, in the sum of
one thousand dollars, with two or more sureties to
be approved by said county judge, conditioned for
the faithful performance of the duties required
by law to be performed by such register in pro-
bate, which bond, with the approval indorsed
thereon, shall be recorded in the office of the reg-
ister of deeds of said county of Dunn.

Register in
probate—Dunn,
county.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of such register
in probate to record all wills admitted to probate
by the county court of said county, all letters tes-
tamentary, letters of administration, letters of
guardianship, bonds of executors, administrators,
and guardians, orders, judgments and decrees
made and granted by said county court, and all
other proceedings and matters required by law to
be recorded by said county court, and any oath
or affidavit required or authorized by law in pro-
ceedings in the county court for the county of
Dunn, may be taken before such register in pro-
bate. Whenever, in absence of the county judge
from the county, any application shall be made
to the county court, the hearing whereof requires
notice to be given by the court, the register in
probate may cause such notice to be given, and
the order directing such notice to be given, signed
as follows: "By the court, ——, register in pro-

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bate," and the notice given accordingly, when so signed by the register in probate, shall have the same force and effect as if signed by the county judge.

County judge
may annul.

SECTION 3. The appointment of such register in probate may, at any time, in the discretion of such county judge be revoked and annulled by said county judge, and whenever, from any cause, a vacancy shall exist in said office of register in probate, such vacancy may be filled by appointment by said county judge.

Fees allowed.

SECTION 4. Said register in probate shall receive for all services rendered and performed by him under the provisions of this act, in the administration of the estates of deceased persons, in the appointment of guardians to minors and all other matters, the same fees as are allowed by law for similar services in the circuit court to be paid from the county treasury; provided, that the aggregate amount of such fees to be taxed and paid in any one year shall not exceed two hundred dollars.

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

Approved April 1, 1887.

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CHAPTER 221.

AN ACT to provide a penalty for damage done to levees.

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

Penalty for
damage to
levees.

SECTION 1. Any person who shall wilfully injure, damage or tear down any levee or embankment in this state, built by or under the direction of any town, village, city, county, or the state, for the protection of property from the overflow of any stream, or who shall knowingly suffer his stock to do any damage to such levee or embankment, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon