

other city officers in such city are paid. In case of a vacancy in the office of said special assistant city attorney, said vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the city attorney for the unexpired term. The said city attorney is also authorized to appoint such assistants not now provided for by law, from time to time, as the common council of such city may by ordinance provide. The assistants so appointed shall hold their office for the length of time and shall receive the salaries and perform such duties as shall be fixed and provided in the ordinance authorizing such appointment.

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

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## CHAPTER 164.

AN ACT to authorize the trustees of the Hamilton cemetery association of La Crosse county, Wisconsin, to sell and convey real estate.

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

SECTION 1. The trustees of the Hamilton cemetery association of the town of Hamilton, La Crosse county, Wisconsin, are hereby authorized to sell and convey so much of the real estate of said association, situate in the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section number four, township number sixteen north, of range number six west, in La Crosse county,

Trustees of the Hamilton cemetery association authorized to convey land.

Wisconsin, as has not been sold and conveyed for burial purposes, and on which no burials have been made, as in the judgment of said trustees is unsuitable for burial purposes; and to invest the proceeds of such sale in the purchase of other real estate in said section number four, adjoining the real estate of said association, suitable for burial purposes.

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

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## CHAPTER 165.

AN ACT to provide for making the office of register of deeds a salaried office.

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

Counties which do not contain cities of more than 20,000, authorized to make the office of register of deeds a salaried office.

SECTION 1. The county board of supervisors of the several counties of the state, which do not have cities containing a population of more than twenty thousand according to the last census, state or federal, are hereby authorized to make the office of register of deeds a salaried office and to fix the salary thereof in their respective counties, except in those counties where the same is now fixed by law, and all the provisions of section 694, revised statutes of Wisconsin, as amended, shall govern such county boards in fixing such salary; and the salary when so fixed shall be paid in the same manner as the salary of other county officers is paid.