

causes of action or demands against the state of Wisconsin, or against any of its officers or employes, or any other person whomsoever, by reason of any damages sustained by such person by the enforcement of a law known as chapter 221, of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1895, which said law has been by the supreme court of this state declared invalid.

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

Approved April 27, 1897.

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CHAPTER 364.

AN ACT relating to building and loan associations.

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

Winding up of
foreign build-
ing and loan
associations.

SECTION 1. Any foreign building and loan association which is actually and in good faith winding up its business, and has entirely ceased to issue or sell its stock, shall not be required to renew or replace securities so withdrawn in the usual course of its business from time to time, shall be required to keep on deposit with the state treasurer, sufficient mortgages or other satisfactory securities to secure the payment by it of all its obligations to citizens of this state; proof of its condition and of the value of its deposits shall be made from time to time to the state treasurer, whenever required. And whenever any such association has fully discharged all its obligations to citizens of this state, proof

may be made of such state of facts by the oaths of its president and secretary, and thereupon, on the approval by the attorney general, the treasurer shall release and return to such association all securities remaining in his hands.

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

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CHAPTER 365.

AN ACT to provide for the condemnation of land for highway and boulevard purposes beyond the limits of incorporated cities, and for the assessment of benefits and damages for property so taken.

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

SECTION 1. Every city in this state which may now or hereafter own or possess land beyond the municipal limits for public park purposes, and having a board of park commissioners, shall have the power to condemn lands beyond such municipal limits for highway and boulevard purposes, to connect said public park with some street, highway or boulevard within the limits of such city, and to open, widen and extend any street or highway for such purposes, in the manner hereinafter provided.

Power to condemn lands granted.

SECTION 2. Whenever any such board of park commissioners shall, by unanimous vote, adopt a resolution declaring that it is necessary

Condemnation of land for park or boulevard purposes.