

SECTION 2. There is added a new section to chapter 29, laws of 1901, to read: Section 9. The board of supervisors of the aforesaid county are empowered to fix or change by resolution the salary of the register of probate, assistant registers and other officers of the county court as provided for in this act.

SECTION 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 405.

AN ACT to repeal section 1227 of the statutes; and to create a new section of the statutes to be numbered section 1227, relating to guide boards on public highways.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1227 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1227. 1. The town board of each town in the state of Wisconsin shall cause to be erected and to be kept in good repair suitable and appropriate guide boards along all main traveled public highways within their respective towns. The expense of the erection and keeping in repair of all such guide boards shall be paid out of the treasury of such town. Such guide boards to be erected between the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November.

2. Such guide boards shall be securely attached at the upper end of a post set in the ground, and shall when firmly set project seven feet and six inches above the ground.

3. There shall be painted upon such guide boards in plain black Roman letters not less than two and one-half inches high, the names of adjoining or important towns, villages or cities to and through which said public highway leads, the distance in miles of such town, village or city from such guide post, and any indication of direction which will be helpful to the traveler.

4. If any person shall deface, injure or destroy any such guide board and shall neglect for the space of ten days thereafter to repair and restore the same to as perfect a condition as it was previously, he shall forfeit ten dollars and shall also pay as damages to such town, three times the cost of repairing such

guide board and it shall be the duty of every town supervisor who has knowledge that any such injury has been done to make diligent effort for the detection of the person by whom the same was done and prosecute in the name of the town and collect such damages for its use.

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

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CHAPTER 406.

AN ACT to amend subsection 2 of section 11—11 of the statutes, relating to the printing and publication of primary election notices.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection 2 of section 11—11 of the statutes is amended to read: (Section 11—11.) 2. The fees for publishing notices of primary elections and for publishing all other matters relating to primary elections shall be sixty cents per folio for the first insertion and thirty-five cents per folio for the subsequent insertion, *except that the fee for publishing the notice provided for in section 11—7 of the statutes, which shall be at the same rate as provided for publishing information to voters in section 37 of the statutes.*

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

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CHAPTER 407.

AN ACT to appropriate the sum of money named therein to Fletcher M. Johnson, of Baraboo, Sauk county, for services rendered the state.

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

SECTION 1. There is appropriated out of any money in the general fund not otherwise appropriated to Fletcher M. Johnson, of Baraboo, Sauk county, the sum of twenty-two dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$22.58) for services rendered the state on or about November 28, 1907.