

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect immediately on and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 41.

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An Act in relation to the recording of certain Deeds.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Recording of deeds.

SECTION 1. Whenever any deed of lands, situated in different counties within this state, whether executed before or after the passage of this act, shall have been recorded in any county within which any of such lands may be situated, a copy of the record of such deed, certified by the register of deeds of the county in which such deed has been recorded, may be recorded in any other county in which any of such lands may be situated, in the same manner and with the like force and effect as the original deed: *Provided*, That no such certified copy of the record of any deed shall be recorded until the grantee therein mentioned or his agent, assigns, heirs, executors or administrators, shall make an affidavit that the original deed is either lost or destroyed, which said affidavit shall be endorsed on and recorded with said certified copy of the record of such deed.

Proviso.

To construe.

SEC. 2. The word "deed" mentioned in the preceding section, shall be construed to include all deeds, mortgages, contracts or other instruments relating to lands, which may have been properly recorded.

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

Approved March 28, 1856.