

Chap. 25.

AN ACT to amend section thirty-seven, of chapter eighty-four of the Revised Statutes.

Published April 8, 1854.

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

§ 1. Section thirty-seven of chapter eighty-four of the revised statutes, of this state, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: A final decree of a court of chancery shall have the same operation, force and effect as a judgment at law, from the time of signing and docketing such decree, in the manner hereinafter provided. How amended.

§ 2. The clerks of the circuit courts of the several counties in this state, shall immediately after the signing of a final decree obtained in a court of chancery, in the several counties in this state, enter in an alphabetical docket, in books to be provided and kept by him, a statement of such final decree, containing: Duties of Clerk of Court.

1st. The names at length of all the parties to such decree, designating particularly those against whom it is obtained.

2d. The amount of the decree, or the substance of what is required by the decree; to be done without the cost.

3d. The hour and day of entering such docket.

§ 3. If the decree be against several persons, such statement shall be repeated under the name of each person, against whom the decree was obtained, in the alphabetical order of their names, respectively.

§ 4. It shall be the duty of the party, his or their solicitor, or counsellor, in whose favor a final decree shall have been obtained, to call the attention of the clerk to the provisions of this act and request him to docket such decree in the manner required by this act. Parties to call Clerk's attention to this act.

§ 5. A final decree of a court of chancery for the recovery, or payment of a sum of money when docketed as aforesaid from the time when an execution might by law be issued thereon, shall bind and be a charge upon lands, Final decree when docketed binding.

tenements, real estate and chattels real, for the same period of time, and as though the same were a judgment, and not otherwise.

Act how construed.

§ 6. This act shall not be so construed as to prevent clerks of the circuit courts, in their respective counties, from docketing final decrees in the same books kept by them for the purpose of docketing judgments at law.

§ 7. This act shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 27, 1854.

Chap. 26.

AN ACT to amend section 36 of chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes.

Published, April 10, 1854.

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

§ 1. Section thirty-six (36) of chapter twenty-eight (28) of the revised statutes, is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

Power conferred on county superintendents of poor.

When any county shall have abolished the distinction between county poor and town poor, the same powers conferred and duties imposed in said chapter twenty-eight, on town supervisors as officers of the poor, shall be exercised by the county superintendents of the poor in such county and the same powers and duties shall also be conferred upon the county superintendents of poor, as is conferred on town supervisors in cases of "bastardy," under chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes, and in any and in all cases where bonds are required to be given by said chapter 31, such bonds may be given to the county superintendents of poor of the proper county, and either the town supervisors or the county superintendents of poor may approve such bonds when the same is necessary.

§ 2. All acts and parts of acts contravening this act are hereby repealed.

§ 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.
Approved, March 3, 1854.