

said section, to the clerk of the board of supervisors for the county wherein the lands to be redeemed are situated, for the use of the party holding such tax title, and such payment shall have the same effect as if made to the said party personally.

Duties of clerks

SEC. 2. The clerk of the board of supervisors on receiving the amount mentioned in the preceding section, shall execute a receipt to the party making such payment, mentioning the name of the grantee in such deed, describing the lands intended to be redeemed, and the amount by him received, and which receipt shall be evidence in all cases of the facts therein contained; and, if recorded as hereinafter stated within the time of redemption provided by the third section of the act hereby amended, shall have the effect fully to vacate and annul such deed and discharge all interest of the grantee, and his heirs, assigns or grantees, under or by virtue of the same. Such receipt may be recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the proper county, in the same manner and with like effect of conveyances of real estate.

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

Approved Feb, 28, 1855.

Chapter 16.

[Published, April 11.]

An Act to give effect to an act entitled "an act to amend chapter eighty-six of the revised statutes and for other purposes," approved April 1854, relating to county courts.

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

Cases when transferred to circuit courts.

SECTION 1. All appeals and certioraris, and all civil actions of whatever name or nature, now pending in the county courts of this state, and which said county courts have not jurisdiction to try and determine, are hereby transferred to the circuit courts for the same counties in which said appeals, certioraries, or other civil actions are

pending, and shall immediately upon the passage of this act be deemed to be pending in such circuit courts.

SEC. 2. All appeals, certioraris, or other actions, removed from a justice of the peace, which the county courts of this state have not jurisdiction to try and determine, shall hereafter be taken directly to the circuit courts for the same counties in which said appeals, certioraris, or other actions may arise.

SEC. 3. In all cases where a writ of error shall have been taken from the judgment of any county court to the supreme court, the remittitur shall be sent to the circuit court for the same county, and any further proceedings necessary to be had therein shall be taken in such circuit court, with like effect, as if the said judgment had originally been rendered in said circuit court.

Writs of error .

SEC. 4. Circuit courts in and for the counties of this state, wherein the county courts have not now jurisdiction to try and determine civil suits, shall have the same power, jurisdiction and control over all judgments, orders and proceedings heretofore entered, made or had in such county courts (except in probate cases) as the said circuit courts would or might have over the same if originally entered, made or had in such circuit courts. All executions hereafter issued upon such judgments shall be issued from the circuit courts, in the same manner and with like effect, and be made returnable at the same time, in the same manner, and the same proceedings may in all respects be had upon the same, as if the same were issued upon a judgment of the said circuit court; and proceedings to revive and carry into effect all such judgments and proceedings, as may be necessary, may be hereafter had in the circuit courts of the proper counties, as fully to all intents and purposes as though the same had been originally in the said circuit courts.

Jurisdiction of
circuit courts.

Executions
how to be is-
sued.

SEC. 5. The circuit courts of this state are hereby authorized to try and determine all appeals, certioraris or other actions pending or brought therein by virtue of this act.

SEC. 6. All causes in which an appeal or certiorari has been taken to the circuit court since the first day of July last, shall be proceeded with therein in the same manner as if they had been taken to the county court, and had been transferred by this act to the circuit court, and if the justice has failed to make a proper return in any such cause, he may be compelled to make such return at the

Justice to
make return.

next term of the circuit court holden in the same county, after the passage of this act, or at such other time as the circuit court shall order.

Appeals from
justice to cir-
cuit court.

SEC. 7. All appeals and certioraris from justices of the peace shall hereafter be taken to the circuit court of the same county, according to the provisions of law, which now regulate the taking of the same to the county court; and when, in any provision of law, relating to such appeals, certioraris, or other civil action, the words "county court," appear, the same shall be read circuit court; and all statutes regulating the proceedings in appeals and certioraris, in the county courts, shall apply to and govern such proceedings in the circuit courts.

SEC. 8. This act shall not apply to the county of Milwaukee.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication.

Approved February 28, 1855.

Chapter 17.

[Published, April 6.]

An Act to amend Section 20, of Chapter 63, of the Revised Statutes, and to provide for the more speedy collection of costs in criminal proceedings before Justices of the Peace.

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

SECTION 1. Section twenty, of chapter eighty-nine, of the revised statutes of Wisconsin, is hereby amended, by adding at the end of said section, the following proviso, to wit: "*Provided*, That if the complainant shall neglect to give said security, or shall neglect to pay such costs, then, in such case, the court before whom the cause is tried, may issue execution on said judgment against the person of the complainant, in the same manner and to the like effect as is now provided by law, in cases where execution may issue against a defendant in actions founded in tort.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, March 3, 1855.