

**GENERAL LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN,**  
TOGETHER WITH THE  
**MEMORIALS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

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**CHAPTER 1.**

*Published January 25.*

An Act to amend Chapter Eighty-five of the General Laws of 1855, entitled  
"An Act for attaching Columbia County to the Ninth Judicial Circuit."

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

**SECTION 1.** Chapter Eighty-five of the general laws of Wisconsin, for eighteen hundred and fifty five, is hereby so amended as to take effect from and after the passage of this act, and all writs and process issued out of the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county of Columbia, since the first day of April, 1855, whether attested in the name of Alexander L. Collins, Charles H. Larabee, or Edward V. Whiton, shall be considered as legally attested. And all writs, summons, process, indictments, recognizances, appeals, and other proceedings, made returnable to the term or terms of said circuit court, as now fixed by law, shall be returnable to the second Monday of February, A. D. 1856; and all adjournments, appearances, continuances, motions and notices of any proceedings of said court, made or taken to any term of a date subsequent to the time when this act shall take effect, shall be held to be made and taken for the second Monday of February A. D., 1857.

Amendment  
to act attach-  
ing Columbia  
county to  
ninth judicial  
circuit.

**Sec. 2.** This act shall be published in all newspapers published in Columbia county, immediately after its passage. To publish.

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

Approved January 23, 1856.

## CHAPTER 2.

*Published January 26.*

An Act to defray the Postage Expenses of the Senate and Assembly.

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

Appropriation  
to pay postage.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated, to be paid to the post master of Madison, of any moneys in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, to defray the postage expenses of the senate and assembly at the present session, the accounts for such postage to be verified by the affidavit of said postmaster, and audited by the secretary of state.

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

Approved January 23, 1856.

## CHAPTER 3.

*Published February 12.*

An Act to amend section seventy-five of chapter ten, of the Revised Statutes of this State.

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

Amended so  
as to appoint  
court commis-  
sioners.

SECTION 1. The circuit judges in each of the judicial circuits of this state, may appoint in each of the organized counties in their respective circuits, two court commissioners, and each court commissioner so appointed, shall hold