Jurisdiction. menced in justices' courts. But the provisions of this section shall not extend to actions commenced in the oircuit court wherein real estate shall be attached, nor to actions wherein the amount claimed by the plaintiff in his complaint on oath shall exceed the sum of one hundred dollars, although the amount recovered by such plaintiff shall be less than one hundred dollars.

Take effect.

SEC. 2. This act shall be printed by the state printer immediately after its passage, and shall then take effect. Approved March 1, 1859.

## [Published March 3, 1859.]

## CHAPTER 36.

AN ACT to repeal chapter one hundred and twenty-three of the general laws of 1858, entitled "An Act to increase the civil jurisdiction of the county court of Pierce County."

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

Section 1. Chapter one hundred and twenty-three of

Repealed.

Proviso.

Actions pend-

ing.

the general laws of 1858, entitled "An act to increase the [civil] jurisdiction of the county court of Pierce county," is hereby repealed: Provided, that all judgments heretofore rendered by said court, and all orders. decrees and proceedings heretofore made or had in said court shall be as valid and binding in all respects as though this act had not passed; and all such judgments. orders, and proceedings, as well as all such other judgments and proceedings as may be rendered or had in said court prior to the first day of March, 1859, may be enforced by said court in the manner now provided by law, and for that purpose the jurisdiction and powers of said court are hereby continued in full force, notwithstanding the repeal of said chapter one hundred and twenty three aforesaid: Provided, further, that all actions and proceedings of every nature which may be pending in said county court and undetermined on the first day of March. 1859, shall be considered and deemed to be pending in the circuit court in and for said county of Pierce, and the said circuit court is hereby authorized and required to take jurisdiction of all such actions and proceedings, and to hear, try, and determine the same, in all respects as though the same had been commenced in such circuit court. And it is hereby made the duty of the judge of said county court to certify all actions and proceedings that may be pending in said county court and undetermined on said first day of March, 1859, to the said circuit court; and such certificate shall be sufficient evi-Certificate to dence to authorize said circuit court to take jurisdic-be evidence. tion of, and try and determine all such actions and proceedings.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from Take effect.

and after its passage.

Approved March 1, 1859.

## [Published March 4, 1859.]

## CHAPTER 37.

AN ACT in addition to chapter eighty-six of the Revised Statutes, entitled "Of alienation by deed, of the proof and recording of conveyances, and the cancelling of mortgages."

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

SECTION 1. Deeds executed within this state, of lands Deeds, how or any interest in lands therein, owned by a corporation signed. created under the laws of this state, shall be signed by the president or other authorized officer of the corporation, sealed with the seal of the corporation, and countersigned by the secretary or clerk thereof; and the person signing such deed may acknowledge the execution the reof before any officer authorized by law to take acknowledge. Acknowledgements; and every such deed shall be admitted to record a in the same manner and with like force and effect as if the same had been executed in conformity with the pro-How recorded visions of chapter eighty-six of the revised statutes, entitled "Of alienation by deed, of the proof and recording of conveyances, and the cancelling of mort-gages."

SEC. 2. This act shall be published immediately, and Take effect. shall take effect and be in force from and after its publi-

cation.

Approved March 2, 1859.