CHAPTER 36.

[Published March 2, 1869.]

AN ACT for the protection of buoys and beacons.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Any person mooring any vessel to any penalty for of the buoys or beacons placed in any of the waters of to or removing this state by the United States light house board, or in the buoys and beat any manner hanging on with a boat or vessel to any such buoy or beacon shall be beemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars, and be imprisoned in the county jail not exceeding thirty days; and any person who shall wilfully remove any such buoy or beacon shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding the sum of two hundred and fif y dollars, and be imprisoned in the county jail not exceeding ninety days.

SECTION 2. The district attorney of the county in District attorwhich said buoy or beacon shall be situated, shall cause cause. prosecution to be had, when requested in writing by

any United States officer.

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

Approved February 25, 1869.

CHAPTER 37.

[Published February 27, 1869.]

AN ACT relating to change of venue in criminal cases, and amendatory of section two (2), chapter 178 of the revised statutes.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section two (2) of chapter 178 of the Amended. revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the

end thereof as follows: "provided, such change shall not be awarded after the next term succeeding that at which the accused shall have been arraigned, unless such petition states facts showing the existence of prejudice on the part of the judge, unknown to the petitioner, at any term of the court prior to the making and filing of such petition: provided, that in all cases after a trial shall have been had without a verdict, the accuser shall be entitled to one change of venue if he or she desires it, and makes application therefor at the same term at which such trial was had."

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

Approved February 25, 1869.

CHAPTER 38.

[Published March 1, 1869.]

AN ACT to provide for the payment of the stationery of the legislative reporters.

. The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Superintendent of public property to furnish stationery to reporters.

Section 1. The superintendent of public property is hereby authorized to furnish annually to the reporters of daily newspapers publishing the proceedings of the legislature, stationery to the amount of twenty dollars, upon the certificate of the publishers of such daily newspapers, showing that they have employed the person named in such certificate as reporter, to report for their paper during the entire session of the legislature, and that they intend to publish in their paper the daily proceedings of the legislature, which certificate shall receive the endorsement of the presiding officer of the house in which such reporter is engaged, to the effect that he is present and in the discharge of his duties as such reporter. But one person shall be entitled to draw stationery as reporter of any newspaper, and no person shall draw stationery as reporter for more than one branch of the legislature.

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