

actions in such circuit court, and judgment rendered and enforced as in other actions in which persons and municipal corporations are parties.

SECTION 2. All acts and parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 31, 1887.

[No. 92, S.]

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CHAPTER 211.

AN ACT relating to the incorporation of villages, and amendatory of section 854, of the revised statutes of Wisconsin, as amended by chapter 203, of the laws of 1880, and chapter 92, of the laws of 1881.

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

SECTION 1. Section 854, of the revised statutes of Wisconsin, as amended by chapter 203, of the laws of 1880, and chapter 92, of the laws of 1881, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 854. Any part of any town or towns, not less than one-half square mile in area, and not included in any village, and all lying in the same county, which shall contain a resident population of not less than three hundred persons thereon, or any part of any town or towns, not less than one square mile in area, and not included in any village, and lying in two adjoining counties, and which shall contain a resident population of at least four hundred persons to every square mile thereof, may, upon compliance with the conditions of this chapter, become incorporated as a village, by such name as may be designated in the order of the court for its incorporation, with the ordinary powers of a municipal corporation, and such as are conferred by these statutes.

Amending sec.
854, R. S.

SECTION 2. All villages heretofore incorporated under the provisions of section 854, of the revised

Certain villages declared to be legally incorporated.

statutes, as amended by chapter 203, of the laws of 1880, are hereby declared to be duly and legally incorporated as such villages, notwithstanding the provisions of chapter 92, of the laws of 1881, and all the official acts of the president and trustees, and all the official acts of the police justice, village justice, and other officers of any village heretofore organized, and lying in two adjoining counties, and that have complied with the provisions of chapter 203, of the laws of 1880, are hereby declared to be legal and valid.

Appeal from justice of peace of certain villages may be taken.

SECTION 3. In all actions before any police justice or justice of the peace of any village lying in two or more counties, appeals may be taken to the circuit court of the county wherein the offense was committed, and all commitments for offenses shall be also made to the common jail of the county wherein the violation of such ordinance occurred.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 212.

AN ACT to amend section 1275, of the revised statutes, relating to highways and bridges.

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

Amending section 1275, R. S.

SECTION 1. Section 1275, of chapter 52, of the revised statutes of 1879, is hereby amended by inserting after the word, "therefor," where the same occurs in the twelfth line of said section the words, "and after giving at least five days' previous notice of such time and place to all of the occupants of the lands, through which such highway may pass, which notice shall be served personally, or by leaving a copy thereof at the usual place of abode of each occupant of such lands," so that said section 1275, when so amended shall