bate," and the notice given accordingly, when so signed by the register in probate, shall have the same force and effect as if signed by the county judge.

County judge may annui. SECTION 3. The appointment of such register in probate may, at any time, in the discretion of such county judge be revoked and annulled by said county judge, and whenever, from any cause, a vacancy shall exist in said office of register in probate, such vacancy may be filled by appointment by said county judge.

Tees allowed.

SECTION 4. Said register in probate shall receive for all services rendered and performed by him under the provisions of this act, in the administration of the estates of deceased persons, in the appointment of guardians to minors and all other matters, the same fees as are allowed by law for similar services in the circuit court to be paid from the county treasury; provided, that the aggregate amount of such fees to be taxed and paid in any one year shall not exceed two hundred dollars.

Section 5. This act shall take effect and be (in) force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 1, 1887.

[No. 608, A.]

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CHAPTER 221.

AN ACT to provide a penalty for damage done to levees.

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

Penalty for damage to leveus. SECTION 1. Any person who shall wilfully injure, damage or tear down any levee or embankment in this state, built by or under the direction of any town, village, city, county, or the state, for the protection of property from the overflow of any stream, or who shall knowingly suffer his stock to do any damage to such levee or embankment, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon

conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than six months, or by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 1, 1857.

[No. 553, A.]

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CHAPTER 222.

AN ACT in relation to town insurance companies.

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

SECTION 1. It is hereby made lawful for the May change board of directors of any town insurance come meeting. pany, by a majority vote, to change the place of its annual meeting to any town within the territory in which it insures, although its by-laws may mention some particular town where such meeting is to be held.

Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 1, 1887.

[No. 475, A.]

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CHAPTER 223.

AN ACT to authorize G. A. Torinus, and others, to build and maintain a dam across Tatogatic river, in Washburn county, Wisconsin.

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

Section 1. G. A. Torinus, his heirs, successors and assigns, are hereby authorized to erect and