mon the number of persons therein named from the county at large, qualified by law to serve as jurors in a court of record, who shall not be of kin to the defendant nor interested in the case.

SECTION 7. The trial, except as otherwise pro- Trial, how convided in this act, and all proceedings therein and ducted. subsequent thereto, shall be conducted as near as may be in conformity with the practice in the circuit court in criminal cases, and the clerk of the circuit court of the county shall act as clerk of the county court in all cases under this act, and he shall receive the same fees as he is entitled to receive for like services in the circuit court.

SECTION 8. In all cases arising under the pro- wife compevisions of this act, the wife shall be a competent tent witness for witness to testify for or against her husband.

Section 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 2, 1887.

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CHAPTER 319.

AN ACT relating to forms for, and statements of licensed insurance companies, and amendatory of section 1971, of the revised statutes, entitled, " of insurance corporations."

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

SECTION 1. Section 1971, of chapter 89, of the Amending secrevised statutes of 1878, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 1971. The commissioner of insurance shall prepare and furnish to each insurance corporation organized under the laws of this state, and to the attorneys of corporations, incorporated in other states and countries, doing any business of insurance in this state, printed forms of annual and other statements as required by the laws of this state, to be made by such corporations, and he may make such changes in such forms as shall seem best adapted to elicit

from them a true exhibit of their condition in relation to the matters required by law to be reported to the commissioner of insurance; and all such corporations are required to make their annual and other statements as required by said commissioner of insurance; and he may, for such reasons as he shall deem sufficient, extend the time for filing such annual statements not exceeding sixty days. He shall cause the information contained in such annual statements to be arranged in tabular form, and publish the same with his annual report as commissioner of insurance; and he shall cause such statements to be in his discretion condensed and summarized, showing briefly but intelligibly the capital, assets, liabilities, income, expenditures and business done within the state, of, and by such corporations, and cause such condensed statements to be published in the official state paper for six successive days, and for a like period in a newspaper of general circulation published in the city of Milwaukee, at the expense of such corporations.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and he in force form and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 2, 1887.

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CHAPTER 320.

AN ACT relating to public administrators, and amendatory of section 3819, of the revised statutes.

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

Amending section 3819, R.S., public administrations.

SECTION 1. Section 3819, of the revised statutes, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 3819. When any person shall die intestate, leaving property in this state, but leaving no widow or next of kin known to the county court living therein, or when any administrator of an estate, or executor of a will which has been duly proved in this state, or guardian of the estate of