

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved June 6, 1917.

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CHAPTER 350

AN ACT to create subsection 2a of section 573—5 of the statutes, relating to proceedings in juvenile courts.

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

SECTION 1. A new subsection is added to section 573—5 of the statutes to read: (Section 573—5) 2a. In case the summons or notice of hearing cannot be served upon and there shall be no appearance at the hearing in said proceeding by the parents, legal guardian or other person entitled to the custody of such child, no order shall be entered permanently depriving such person of the care and custody of such child, except upon a hearing and publication of notice in the manner provided by section 4022 of the statutes; provided, however, that this subsection shall not be construed as depriving the court of jurisdiction to make a temporary disposition of the case as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 351

AN ACT to legalize the acts of the county board of Rusk county, Wisconsin, relating to the detaching of certain territory from the town of True in said county and creating the town of Cedar Rapids.

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

SECTION 1. All acts and proceedings of the county board of supervisors of Rusk county, state of Wisconsin, heretofore had relating to the detaching of township thirty-six north, range four west, from the town of True in said county and creating and constituting such detached territory as the town of Cedar Rapids in said county, are hereby ratified, confirmed and validated.

SECTION 2. All proceedings and acts of every annual town meeting, and of all adjourned or special town meetings of the

town of Cedar Rapids, as purported to be constituted, held prior to the passage and publication of this act, are hereby ratified, confirmed and validated.

SECTION 3. All officers, elected at any annual town meeting or at any adjourned or special town meeting of the town of Cedar Rapids, as purported to be constituted, are hereby declared to be legal officers of said town of Cedar Rapids, and all acts of the officers so elected, performed or taken prior to the passage and publication of this act, are hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and given the same force and effect as though said town of Cedar Rapids had been properly created and constituted.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 352

AN ACT to create section 959—81r of the statutes, granting to cities, villages or towns the power to grant gratuitous use of its public buildings to encourage and aid conventions within such cities, villages or towns.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read:

Section 959—81r. (1) The word "convention" when used in this section shall mean a state or national assembly of duly authorized, chosen or elected delegates or representatives meeting to accomplish some specific commercial, industrial, labor, civil, social, scientific or educational object or such objects as are mentioned in section 1 of chapter 354, laws of 1909, which shall prove a public benefit to the city, village or town, and promote the welfare and public interests of its citizens, to which convention the citizens of such city, village or town are admitted without charge; but shall not include exhibits or trade shows if a charge is made for space occupied by any exhibitor or when an admission fee is exacted. Such conventions are hereby declared to be public uses and public purposes.

(2) Any city, village or town in this state, whether organized under general or special charter, is hereby authorized and empowered by its common council, or village or town board, to grant the use, however, to the extent that it shall not interfere