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CHAPTER 292.

AN ACT to amend 157.08 (4) of the statutes, relating to notices on petition of cemetery associations to vacate or replat a portion of its cemetery.

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

157.08 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

157.08 (4) The board may vacate or replat any portion of its cemetery upon the filing of a verified petition by a majority of the trustees with the county court describing the portion and setting forth the facts and reasons therefor. The court shall by order fix a time for hearing upon not less than 30 days' notice by publication in a newspaper at least 3 weeks successively * * * and the court shall order a copy of the notice to be mailed to not less than one interested person, as to each separate parcel involved, whose postoffice address is known or can with due diligence be ascertained, at least 20 days before such hearing. If the court finds that the proposed vacating or replatting is for the best interest of the association and that the rights of none to whom lots have been conveyed will be injured, it shall enter an order reciting the jurisdictional facts and its findings and authorizing the vacating or replatting of the lands of the cemetery. The order shall be effective when recorded by the register of deeds.

Approved June 6, 1951.