

No. 55.

**AN ACT** relating to the duties of the Registers of Deeds of the Counties of Sheboygan and Manitowoc.

*Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:*

**SEC. 1.** That it is hereby made the duty of the registers of deeds of the counties of Sheboygan and Manitowoc, to procure of the register of deeds of the county of Brown, true and exact copies of the records of all deeds, mortgages, and other instruments, recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said county of Brown, which relate to the lands, or real estate, situated within the present limits of their respective counties, and record the same in books to be procured by them for that purpose,

The register of deeds of certain counties required to procure certain copies.

**SEC. 2.** The copies of the records thus procured, shall have the same force, effect and validity, that records of deeds have, or may by law be entitled to, and shall be preserved in the offices of the said registers of deeds in the same manner that other records are preserved.

Force of said copies, & how preserved.

**SEC. 3.** The said registers of deeds, of the counties of Sheboygan and Manitowoc, shall be paid from the treasuries of their respective counties, for performing the duties of this act, such compensation as the board of county commissioners of their respective counties may allow.

Compensation of said register

**SEC. 4.** The registers of deeds of Brown county shall permit the register of deeds of the said counties of Sheboygan and Manitowoc to have access to his records for the purpose of procuring said copies, whenever it shall not interfere with the necessary use of the said records, free from expense.

Said registers to have access to certain records.

Approved, February 13th, 1841.