

course, to its former state, or in a sufficient manner not to impair the usefulness of said road, highway, stream of water, or water course, to the owner or the public.

FREDERICK W. HORN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

DUNCAN C. REED,

President pro tempore of the Senate.

Approved, March 17th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to vacate a certain alley in the village of Greenbush, Sheboygan County.

Chap. 391

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

SECTION 1. The alley laid out on the section line between the lands of D. B. Conger and the town plat of the village of Greenbush, Sheboygan county, is hereby declared vacated. Declared vacated.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. When to take effect.

FREDERICK W. HORN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

SAMUEL W. BEALL,

Lt. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved, March 17th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to establish the minimum price of the University Lands, and granting pre-emption rights thereon.

Chap. 392

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

SECTION 1. The minimum price of the University lands shall be, and the same is hereby reduced to seven dollars per acre: Provided, that none of said lands shall be sold for less than their appraised value: and provided further, that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to prevent any person occupying any of said lands from proving up his or her pre-emption, and purchasing the same in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Statutes. Price reduced. Proviso. Pre-emption guaranteed

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the commissioners for the sale of School and University lands, to remit to all persons who have heretofore purchased any of the University lands by pre-emption, the excess that any such person may have paid, or contracted to pay, over and above the appraised value of such lands, and the amount of such excess shall be paid to such Commissioners to remit excess paid by former purchasers.

person, or endorsed upon any such contract as remitted by the provisions of this act.

Conflicting acts repealed.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

When to take effect.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

FREDERICK W. HORN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

SAMUEL W. BEALL,

Lt. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved March 17th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

Chap. 393 An Act authorising the Register of deeds of Manitowoc County to obtain from the Register of Brown County certain instruments therein mentioned.

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

Authority granted.

SECTION 1. The register of deeds of Manitowoc county is hereby authorised to procure from the office of the register of deeds of Brown county a copy of all deeds, mortgages, assignments, satisfactions, bonds, and other instruments that are recorded in said office, wherein the county of Manitowoc may be interested, the expense of which shall be paid by the county of Manitowoc.

FREDERICK W. HORN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

SAMUEL W. BEALL,

Lt. Governor and President of the Senate .

Approved March 17th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

Chap. 394 An Act to incorporate the Madison Mutual Insurance Company.

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

Incorporation.

SECTION 1. Leonard J. Farwell, Simeon Mills, Nathaniel B. Eddy, Franklin G. Tibbits, Benjamin F. Hopkins, and their associates, and all such persons as shall hereafter have property insured by the said company, shall be, and hereby are ordained, constituted and declared to be a body corporate and politic in fact and in name, by the name of "The Madison Mutual Insurance Company."

Powers of corporation.

SEC. 2. The said corporation hereby created shall have power and authority to make contracts of insurance with any person or persons, or any body corporate or politic, against