

cers or employes, and they shall have and possess the power and authority to arrest any person or persons which they, or either of them, shall find in the act of gaming, as mentioned in section one of said act, and bring him or them before any court of competent jurisdiction, upon his or their complaint, forthwith, without warrant. And it shall be the duty of and be lawful for any sheriff, constable, marshal, police officer, or any citizen of the state, or either of them, and they shall have and possess the power and authority to arrest any person or persons, which they or either of them shall find in the act of gambling as mentioned in section one of said act, and bring him or them before any court of competent jurisdiction upon his or their complaint forthwith, without warrant, and any such person or persons so convicted shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not less than one year nor more than five years, and a fine of not less than one hundred dollars, nor more than five hundred dollars.

Duty of conductors, brakemen, etc.

Duty of peace officers.

SECTION 2. Section three of said act is hereby amended to read as follows: Any person or persons giving information and making complaint of violation of the provisions of this act, shall be entitled to one half of the fine recovered.

Complainant to have half of fine recovered.

SECTION 3. This act shall be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 8, 1876.

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## CHAPTER 168.

AN ACT to amend section six (6), of chapter eighty-seven (87), of the general laws of 1873, entitled, "An act granting to Albert Taylor the right to establish and maintain a ferry across the Mississippi river, from some point above the limits of the village of Alma, in Buffalo county, and the mouth of the Chippewa river, in Buffalo county, to the opposite shore, in the State of Minnesota."

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

SECTION 1. Section 6, of chapter eighty-seven (87), of the laws of 1873, entitled, "An act granting to Albert Taylor the right to establish and maintain a ferry across the Mississippi river, from some point above the limits of the village of Alma, in the coun-

Amended.

ty of Buffalo, and the mouth of the Chippewa river, in Buffalo county, to the opposite shore, in the State of Minnesota," is hereby amended, by striking out the word "two," in the sixth (6) line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one."

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 8, 1876.

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## CHAPTER 169.

[Published April 5, 1876.]

AN ACT to amend section two (2) of chapter two hundred and forty-eight (248), of the laws of 1875, entitled, "An act relating to the fencing of railroads."

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

Amended.

Time to be excluded.

SECTION 1. Section two (2) of chapter two hundred and forty-eight (248), laws of 1875, is hereby amended, by adding to the end of said section the words, "*provided*, that the time between the first day of November and the first day of May succeeding in any year, shall be excluded from and not included in the six months aforesaid.

SECTION 2. This act shall be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 8, 1876.

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## CHAPTER 170.

[Published March 15, 1876.]

AN ACT to amend section 2, of chapter 9, of the general laws of 1872 in relation to special terms of court for Door county.

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

Amended.

SECTION 1. Section 2 of chapter 9, of the general laws of 1872, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: "*provided*, that this section shall not