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CHAPTER 277.

AN ACT relating to the duties of the city clerk and city treasurer of the city of Watertown, in certain cases.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the clerk of the city of Watertown, in making the annual tax roll, and also of the city treasurer, in making out the tax receipts, to carry out opposite each assessed valuation, in separate columns, the percentage and amount of tax levied for each particular purpose, besides the aggregate amount as now required by law.

Duty of city clerk.

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

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CHAPTER 278.

AN ACT to provide for the establishment of a hospital and school for imbeciles, idiotic or feeble minded children.

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

SECTION 1. The state board of charities and reform is authorized and directed to inquire into the necessity and expediency of organizing a school for the instruction and training of feeble minded or idiotic children, and to ascertain as nearly as practicable the number of such children in this state who are of proper school age, and who could probably be benefited by a school adapted to their peculiar wants, with such other facts as may appear necessary, including the residence, condition, means of support and age of such children.

Duties of Board of Charities and Reform to make report upon education of feeble minded children.

Duties of county, town and school officers.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of all county, town and school district officers to furnish to said board of charities and reform any information in their possession having relation to the matters named in the first section hereof, when required so to do by the said board.

Duty of board to select site for school and report to legislature.

SECTION 3. Should the said board arrive at the conclusion that it is expedient and necessary that such school for feeble minded and idiotic children be established, then it shall be the duty of the said board to select a suitable site, to ascertain the price for which the same can be purchased, and to make a report to the next legislature, embodying the results of the investigations required by this act, with the reasons governing the board in the selection of a site. The said report shall also include or be accompanied by a bill providing for the erection of suitable buildings for said school, on the grounds selected for that purpose.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 279.

AN ACT declaring certain portions of Spring street road, in the town of Wauwatosa, a county highway, and providing for the improvement thereof.

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

Spring street road to be made county highway.

SECTION 1. That certain portions of the Milwaukee and Blue Mound road, commonly called Spring street road, in the town of Wauwatosa, between the present westerly city limits of the city of Milwaukee and the westerly boundary line of the Calvary cemetery, is hereby declared and henceforth made a county highway, and as such shall cease to be under the charge and superintendence of the officers of the town of Wauwatosa.

Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company required to build bridge.

SECTION 2. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company is hereby required to erect and maintain an iron bridge at the crossing of said Spring street road over its tracks, forty feet in width, thirty feet of which shall be for a roadway in the center, and