

given or made in such garnishee proceeding, shall be thereby also stayed until the final determination of such principal suit or such appeal; further proceedings in such garnishee action may be had upon filing a certified copy of the judgment in the original action with the justice of the peace before whom the same is pending and three days notice to the opposite party.

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

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CHAPTER 268.

AN ACT requiring all promissory notes and other evidences of indebtedness, given as part consideration for a patent right, to express upon their face the consideration for which given.

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

Words to be printed on face of note. SECTION 1. All promissory notes and other evidences of indebtedness, taken or given for any lightning rod, patent, patent right or interest in patent right, shall have written or printed thereon the words, "The consideration for this note is the sale of a lightning rod, patent, patent right, or interest in the same, as the case may be."

Penalty for taking note without statement required. SECTION 2. Any person who shall sell a lightning rod, patent, patent right or any interest in a lightning rod, patent or patent right, who shall take a promissory note or other evidence of indebtedness for the whole or any part of the consideration of any lightning rod, patent, patent right or interest in a patent right, and which shall fail to state the consideration for said note as above provided, or in words of similar import, shall be liable to a penalty equal to the face value of said note so taken.

Notes taken for patent, etc., non-negotiable; innocent holder of. SECTION 3. All notes taken as a part of the consideration for any lightning rod, patent, patent right or interest in the same, which shall express upon their face the consideration for which

they are taken, as required in section 1 of this act, shall be non-negotiable, and subject to all the defenses in the hands of an innocent holder that the same would have been if not transferred.

Conflicting laws repealed. SECTION 4. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force, from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 269.

AN ACT to amend sections 2983 and 2984 of the statutes of 1898, and to add a new section to said statutes to be known as 2984a.

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

Homestead exemption. SECTION 1. Section 2983 of the statutes of 1898, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 2983. A homestead to be selected by the owner thereof consisting, when not included in any city or village, of any quantity of land, not exceeding forty acres, used for agricultural purposes, and when included in any city or village of any quantity of land not exceeding one-fourth of an acre and the dwelling house thereon and its appurtenances owned and occupied by any resident of this state shall be exempt from seizure or sale on execution, from the lien of every judgment and from liability in any form for the debts of such owner to the amount in value of five thousand dollars, except laborers', mechanics' and purchase money liens and mortgages lawfully executed, and taxes lawfully assessed and except as otherwise provided in these statutes, and such exemption shall not be impaired by temporary removal with the intention to reoccupy the same as a homestead nor by the sale thereof, but shall extend to the proceeds derived from such sale to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars, while held, with the intention to procure another homestead therewith,