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## CHAPTER 36.

AN ACT amendatory of section 1931 of the statutes of 1898, as amended by chapter 352 of the laws of 1903, relating to town insurance companies.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1931 of the statutes of 1898, as amended by chapter 352 of the laws of 1903, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

**May insure what; against cyclones, etc., when.** SECTION 1931. No such corporation shall insure any property out of the town or towns in which it is located; provided, that it may, at its annual meeting, authorize its directors to insure any farm property or detached dwelling house and contents in any adjoining city or village, town or towns or in any city or incorporated village which is located in such town or towns. No such corporation shall insure any property other than detached dwellings and their contents, farm buildings and their contents, live stock in possession, use or running at large, farm products on premises and farming tools, implements and machinery; but it may, at any annual meeting, authorize its directors to insure country stores and their contents, school houses, town and society halls, churches, country hotels, water mills, *blacksmith shops*, cheese factories and creameries, but no such last mentioned risk shall exceed twenty-five hundred dollars. And it may at such time authorize its directors to insure any of the classes of property herein mentioned against damage or loss by wind storms, cyclones and tornadoes under the same rules and restrictions as relate to insurance by it against damage or loss by fire; provided that a request in writing, signed by at least ten members of the corporation be filed with the secretary at least thirty-five days before the next annual meeting of the corporation requesting that the question of insuring against damage or loss by wind storms, cyclones and tornadoes be submitted at such meetings, and that the secretary give thirty days' notice by mail to each member of the corporation at his post office address, that said question will be submitted at such meeting.

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

Approved March 27, 1905.