

take the same at the price fixed by said commissioners, or by a jury upon appeal from the award of said commissioners, said board, or *the governor and adjutant general*, may within thirty days after the filing of the award of said commissioners, or within thirty days after assessment of damages by said jury, discontinue such proceedings upon such terms as to the court shall seem equitable and just.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 552

AN ACT to amend subdivision (2) of section 2271 and section 2984a of the statutes, relating to definition and descent of homesteads.

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

SECTION 1. Subdivision (2) of section 2271 and section 2984a of the statutes are amended to read: (Section 2271) (2) If he shall leave a widow and issue, to his widow during her widowhood, and upon her marriage or *her* death to his heirs according to the next preceding section, *provided, that the limitation as to value of the homestead in section 2983 of the statutes shall not apply between a widow and the heirs of her husband, during her widowhood.*

Section 2984a. Wherever the word homestead is used in the statutes or in any law of this state, it shall be defined to be the estate or interest in land as defined and set forth in section 2983, *except as provided in subdivision (2) of section 2271 of the statutes.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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