

No. 206, S.]

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CHAPTER 223.

AN ACT to repeal section 297.20 (3541) of the statutes relating to evidence of title acquired under mortgage foreclosure.

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

SECTION 1. Section 297.20 (3541) of the statutes is repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 224.

AN ACT to repeal section 252.145 of the statutes relating to the appointment of a special court commissioner for the first branch of the circuit court of Milwaukee county, which section is now obsolete.

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

SECTION 1. Section 252.145 of the statutes is repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 225.

AN ACT to amend sections 121.32 and 121.38 of the statutes, relating to uniform sales act.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 121.32 and 121.38 of the statutes are amended to read: 121.32 A negotiable document of title may be negotiated * * * by any person in possession of the same, however such possession may have been acquired if, by the terms

of the document, the bailee issuing it undertakes to deliver the goods to the order of such person or if at the time of negotiation the document is in such form that it may be negotiated by delivery.

121.38 The validity of the negotiation of a negotiable document of title is not impaired by the fact that the negotiation was a breach of duty on the part of the person making the negotiation, or by the fact that the owner of the document was * * * *deprived of the possession of the same by loss, theft, fraud, accident, mistake, duress or conversion*, if the person to whom the document was negotiated or a person to whom the document was subsequently negotiated paid value therefor, * * * *in good faith without notice of the breach of duty or loss, theft, fraud, accident, mistake, duress or conversion*.

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

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CHAPTER 226.

AN ACT to amend sections 119.21, 119.42 and 119.49 of the statutes, relating to warehouse receipts.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 119.21, 119.42 and 119.49 of the statutes are amended to read: 119.21 A warehouseman shall be liable to the holder of a receipt *issued by him or on his behalf by an agent or employe, the scope of whose actual or apparent authority includes the issuing of warehouse receipts*, for damages caused by the nonexistence of the goods or by the failure of the goods to correspond with the description thereof in the receipt at the time of its issue. If, however, the goods are described in a receipt merely by a statement of marks or labels upon them, or upon packages containing them, or by a statement that the goods are said to be goods of a certain kind, or that packages containing the goods are said to contain goods of a certain kind, or by words of like purport, such statements, if true, shall not make liable the warehouseman issuing the receipt, although the goods are not of