

## No. 58.

**AN ACT** relating to the duties of the Register of Deeds of the County of Dane.

*Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:*

**Sec. 1.** That it is hereby made the duty of the register of deeds of the county of Dane to procure from the records of the counties of Brown, Milwaukee, and Iowa, true and exact copies of the records of all deeds, mortgages and other instruments, recorded in the offices of the registers of deeds of said counties of Brown, Milwaukee, and Iowa, which relate to land or real estate, situated within the present limits of the said county of Dane, and record the same in a book to be procured by him for that purpose, at the expense of said county of Dane.

The register of deeds of Dane county to procure copies of certain records

**Sec. 2.** The copies of the records thus procured, shall have the same force, effect, and validity, that records of deeds have; or may by law be entitled to, and shall be preserved in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Dane, in the same manner that other records are preserved.

Force of said copies, & how preserved.

**Sec. 3.** The said register of deeds for the county of Dane, shall be paid from the treasury of said county, for performing the duties of this act, enjoined upon him, the same compensation which he would be entitled to receive for furnishing copies of deeds, mortgages, and other instruments recorded in his office, and eight cents per mile for all necessary travel.

Compensation of said register

**Sec. 4.** The register of deeds of said counties of Brown, Milwaukee, and Iowa, shall permit the register of deeds of the said county of Dane to have access to their records, for the purpose of procuring said copies, whenever it shall not interfere with their necessary use of said records.

Shall have access to the records of certain counties.

Approved, August 13th, 1840: