

CHAPTER 201.

[Published April 12, 1860.]

AN ACT concerning the transcribing of records.

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

When record books may be transcribed.

SECTION 1. In all cases where any book or public records shall, by use, or from any other cause, become so worn or dilapidated, as likely soon to become unintelligible or unfit for use, in whole or in part, it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors of the county within which such record may be, to make an order, by resolution, that such record book be transcribed by the officer having charge of such records; and thereupon it shall be the duty of such officer to so transcribe the same, in a book or books by him procured therefor; and when the same is so transcribed, such officer shall carefully compare the same with the copy record made by him, and correct any and all errors that may be found in such copy record; and when found correct, over his official signature, he shall certify that he has carefully compared the matters therein contained and written, and that the same is a correct and literal copy of the book from which the same was transcribed—naming such book. Such copy record, so certified, is hereby declared a public record, and as such shall, in all respects, have the same effect as the book from which the same was transcribed.

Errors to be corrected. Shall certify.

Public record.

Order to be recorded.

SEC. 2. The order required to be made by the board of supervisors, as provided in the first section of this act, shall be recorded in the office of the register of deeds where such transcribing is done, in one of the books into which such records are transcribed.

Shall not apply to state records. Fee.

SEC. 3. The provisions of this act shall not apply to State records.

SEC. 4. The fee of the officer, for the transcribing provided for in this act, shall be five cents a folio; and the same shall be paid by the county of which or in which he is an officer.

Index included.

SEC. 5. The word record, as used in the first section of this act, shall include indexes to the recorded matter.

Original book.

SEC. 6. The original book of records, so dilapidated, shall be deposited with the county treasurer of the proper county, and carefully preserved.

SEC. 7. This act shall, immediately after its passage, be printed by the State Printer, and when so printed, shall take effect and be in full force.

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CHAPTER 202.

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AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and sixty (160), of the General Laws of 1859, entitled "An act to prescribe and limit the rate of interest."

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

SECTION 1. Section one, of chapter 160, of the General Laws of 1859, entitled "An act to prescribe and limit the rate of interest," is hereby amended by striking out the word "twelve," where it occurs in said section, and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten." Rate of interest limited to 10 per ct.

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

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CHAPTER 203.

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AN ACT to amend chapter 104, of the Private and Local Laws of 1858, relating to a certain state road therein named.

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

SECTION 1. Section one of an act, entitled "An act to provide a special tax to improve a road therein named, in the county of Manitowoc," approved March 25th, A. D., 1858, is hereby amended as follows: strike out the name of Lindsey Dunham, in second line of section one, and insert in lieu thereof, the name of James Cahill. Amendment.

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

Approved March 26, 1860.