

chapter, the following: "When the parties do not consent to a reference, the court may, upon the application of either party, or of its own motion, direct a reference in the following cases: 1st. When the trial of an issue of fact shall require the examination of a long account on either side, in which case the referees may be directed to hear and decide the whole issue, or to report upon any specific question of fact involved therein; or, 2d. When the taking of an account shall be necessary for the information of the court, before judgment, or for carrying a judgment or order into effect; or, 3d. When a question of fact other than upon the pleadings, shall arise upon motion or otherwise, in any stage of the action."

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

Approved April 1, 1864.

CHAPTER 289.

[Published April 18, 1864.]

AN ACT to amend the charter of the "St. Croix and Lake Superior railroad company."

(See supplement to local laws.)

CHAPTER 290.

[Published April 19, 1864.]

AN ACT to amend the record of a public highway in the town of Hebron, Jefferson county.

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

SECTION 1. The public highway in the town of Hebron, in Jefferson county, recorded and described as follows, viz.: "Beginning at the center of section twelve, Road declared three rods wide.

town five, range fifteen east, and running thence north on the quarter line one hundred and thirty-five chains, intersecting the Milwaukee and Fort Atkinson territorial road on section thirty-six, town six, range fifteen east, to be four rods in width," is hereby made and declared to be three rods in width; and the town clerk of said town is hereby authorized and directed to make a new record of said highway, to comply with the provisions of this act, and said record when so made, shall be deemed the valid and authentic record of said highway, for all purposes.

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

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CHAPTER 291.

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AN ACT to vacate certain blocks and streets in the village of Waucoma, in the county of Rock.

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

Vacated.

SECTION 1. All of blocks five, six, thirteen and fourteen, and the streets adjoining the same, in the village of Waucoma, in the county of Rock, are hereby declared vacated, and shall be the same as though they had never been platted.

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

Approved April 1, 1864.