

the date of the making of such declaration; and it shall be the duty of such clerks to register in such book, in like manner, the names of all persons who may hereafter make such declaration.

Compensation.

SECTION 2. Such clerks shall be entitled to receive from their several counties, as compensation for making such register, three (3) cents for every name so registered, where the declaration was made before the time of the passage of this act, and ten (10) cents for every name thereafter registered, as required by section one of this act.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 6, 1866.

CHAPTER 61.

[Published April 14, 1866.]

AN ACT to amend section 3 of chapter 43 of the revised statutes, in relation to strays.

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

How notice may be given, if owner is unknown.

SECTION 1. Section three of chapter forty-three of the revised statutes, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: "Section 3. If the owner of any stray be unknown, the finder shall, within ten days after taking up the same, file a notice thereof with the town clerk of the town, and if the stray or strays so taken up are of the value of less than five dollars, he shall also post up notices of the taking up of such stray, in two or more public places in such town; but if the stray or strays so taken up are of the value of more than five dollars, he shall cause such notice to be published for four weeks successively in some newspaper printed in the county in which he resides, unless there shall be one printed still nearer his place of residence, in an adjoining county, in which case he may publish it in either paper, at his option; and in case there shall be no newspaper printed within twenty miles of the residence of the finder of such stray or strays, he shall

Notice may be published in another county.

post up written notices in three of the most public places in the county in which he resides. All said notices shall contain a brief description of the stray, describing the same by giving marks, natural and artificial, and as near as practicable, the name and residence of the finder, and, as near as may be, the time at which the same was taken up. The said town clerk shall transmit a copy of every such notice to the clerk of the board of county supervisors; and any person taking up or finding any such stray or strays, who shall neglect or refuse to post up and publish such notices, as provided in this section, shall be liable to the owner of such strays in double the amount of damages sustained by reason of such neglect or refusal."

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

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CHAPTER 62.

[Published April 14, 1866.]

AN ACT to amend chapter 22 of the laws of 1859, entitled "an act relative to the sale of lands for unpaid taxes, and the conveyance and redemption thereof."

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

SECTION 1. Section thirty-eight of chapter twenty-two of the laws of 1859, entitled "an act relative to the sale of lands for unpaid taxes, and the conveyance and redemption thereof," is hereby amended, by inserting after the word "sale," in the twelfth line thereof, the following words: "or that the land was redeemed from the operation of such sale as provided by law, or that the title to said land has become vested adversely to the plaintiff in the action, under and by virtue of another tax deed." Amendment.

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

Approved April 6, 1866.