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CHAPTER 53.

AN ACT relating to the compensation of sheriffs in certain

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

SECTION 1. The county board of supervisors of Change of any county in this state may by a resolution to be entered on its records, change the method now prescribed by law for compensating the sheriff for all services to be performed within such county, for which the said county shall be liable to pay.

SECTION 2. When a resolution to that effect shall County board have been duly passed by the county board of super- may fix salary. visors of any county, it shall be the duty of such county board at its next annual meeting in November, to fix a salary for the sheriff in the same manner as salaries are fixed for other county officers under the provisions of section six hundred and ninety-four of the revised statutes.

SECTION 3. Such salary, when so fixed, shall be in Under sheriff lieu of all fees and compensation for the sheriff, under sheriff. sheriff, and deputy sheriff, for all service rendered by such officers within the limits of such county, for which service the county is now liable, except compensation for keeping and maintaining prisoners in the common jail.

SECTION 4. This act shall not affect the fees of Fees in civil sheriffs in civil cases, except where the county is liable therefor, nor shall it have any effect upon the fees or compensation of any person now acting as sheriff of any county, during his present term of office.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 54.

AN ACT to provide compensation for completing the transcribing of the senate and assembly journals.

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

There is hereby appropriated to Charles Appropriation. Section 1. E. Bross, chief clerk of the senate, out of any money

in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars for completing the transcribing of the senate journal of the present session.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated to John E. Eldred, chief clerk of the assembly, out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars for completing the transcribing of the assembly journal of the present session.

SECTION 3. The money hereby appropriated shall be paid by the state treasurer on the warrants of the secretary of state, which warrants shall be issued when the duties and labor herein provided for shall have been respectively performed.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 55.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of the Spolecna Smlouva Kossuthske town fire insurance company, comprising the towns of Gibson, Cooperstown, Franklin and Kossuth in county of Manitowoc, and state of Wisconsin.

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

Legalized.

Section 1. All transactions of the said Spolecna Smlouva Kossuthske town fire insurance company, comprising the towns of Gibson, Cooperstown, Franklin and Kossuth, in county of Manitowoc, and state of of Wisconsin, being a town insurance company organized under the laws of the state of Wisconsin, and located in the town of Kossuth, county of Manitowoc, state of Wisconsin, and all acts of the officers and agents, are hereby legalized and declared valid and all policies or other evidence of insurance issued by said company or its authorized officers, and all bonds, notes, mortgages or other evidence of indebtedness, executed and delivered to said company, shall be valid and binding as if all the requirements and forms of the laws of the state had been fully complied with; and no misnomer of said company shall affect the validity of any of the transactions of said company, or of documents issued or executed by such company.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force,

from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 8, 1881.