

Remedies; condemnation after taking; limitations. SECTION 9. This act shall not apply to any proceeding or action now pending, nor to any claim or cause of action existing prior to the passage of this act, nor shall the right of the land owner to bring or maintain any action of trespass, trespass on the case, nuisance or ejection be impaired, but all such actions or proceedings pertaining to such rights, easements or interests over bridges and streams and in public highways, roads, streets or alleys shall be brought before July first, 1903, and not thereafter. The proceedings herein authorized, pertaining to such rights, easements or interests over bridges and streams in public highways, roads, streets or alleys, may be taken in respect to telegraph, telephone and power lines now existing before July first, 1903, and not thereafter. In case of rights or easements taken or used by any such corporation after the publication of this act, the proceedings herein authorized shall not be taken nor other action commenced against the corporation in respect to its rights to use or possess such rights or easements, unless begun within six years after the commencement of the construction of any such line over, along, or across any property. Section 1329a of the statutes of 1898 is not affected by this act, and is continued in full force.

SECTION 10. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved May 8, 1901.

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CHAPTER 320.

AN ACT to amend section 1459 of the statutes of 1898 relating to the State horticultural society and Dairymen's association and making and [an] appropriation.

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

Society, a body corporate; duty of; annual appropriation to, increased. SECTION 1. Section 1459 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended by striking out the words "seventeen hun-

dred and fifty dollars," in the twelfth and thirteenth lines of said section 1459, and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-two hundred and fifty," so that said section when so amended shall read as follows: "Section 1459. The Wisconsin State Horticultural society is a body corporate by that name, with the general powers and privileges of a corporation so far as applicable. It shall be the duty of the society to aid in the formation and maintenance of county and local horticultural societies, to promote the horticultural interests of the state by holding meetings for discussion thereof, by the collection and dissemination of information in regard to the cultivation of fruits, flowers and trees adapted to the soil and climate of this state, and in other proper ways to advance the fruit and tree growing interests thereof; and for such purposes only it may take, hold and convey real and personal property, the former not exceeding five thousand dollars in value. For the purpose of aiding in the accomplishment of such objects the society shall be entitled to receive twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars annually from the state treasury, two hundred and fifty dollars of which shall be for the maintenance of experiment stations.

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

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CHAPTER 321.

AN ACT providing for the appointment of deputy county superintendents of schools.

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

Deputy, how appointed; duties of. SECTION 1. The county superintendent of schools of any county or superintendent district may, by and with the consent of the county board, appoint a deputy, provided he has under his jurisdiction not less than one hundred schools. Such deputy shall at the time of his appointment hold at least a first grade county certificate and shall have taught in the public schools of the state for a period of not