

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 50.

AN ACT to amend section 4 of chapter 57 of the laws of 1917, relating to the county court of Iowa County.

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

SECTION 1. Section 4 of Chapter 57, laws of 1917, is amended to read: Section 4. Section 10 and subsections 1, 3 and 5 of section 16 of chapter 339, laws of 1915, are amended to read: Section 10. There shall be held at the county seat of said county \* \* \* *four general terms of said court, to be held \* \* \* as follows, to wit: on the fourth Tuesday in February; the last Tuesday in May; the last Tuesday in August and the second Tuesday in December of each year. \* \* \* Every term of such court continues from its commencement to the commencement of the next succeeding term.* After an action or proceeding commenced or pending in said court has been noticed and placed on the calendar it shall not be necessary for either party to notice the same for trial at any subsequent term, but the clerk shall place the same on the calendar according to the nature and date of the issue or issues then or thereafter formed therein until it shall be tried or otherwise finally disposed of. Any trial, hearing, argument or assessment which shall have been commenced during any term, but shall not have been concluded before the commencement of any subsequent term, shall be continued and proceeded with at any subsequent term in the same manner and with like effect as though it had been commenced at such subsequent term.

(Section 16) 1. Jurors shall be chosen for each term of said court by the \* \* \* *clerk thereof* from the same list of names and in the same manner as jurors in the circuit court and all provisions of law, rules and practice relating to the selection, qualifications, duties and compensation of jurors in the circuit court shall be applicable to said county court, except as otherwise provided herein.

(Section 16) 3. At least six days before each term, unless otherwise ordered by the judge, the clerk shall, in the presence of the judge, draw from the list of persons provided therefor, thirty-six jurors for such term and the list so selected shall

forthwith be filed in the office of said clerk. If the name of any person known to be disqualified or no longer liable to jury duty in said county be drawn, such name shall be cast out and the name of another juror drawn to take his place.

(Section 16) 5. In case the whole panel is not summoned for the trial of any criminal action or for the trial of any action or proceeding in which a jury trial is demanded or ordered,  
 \* \* \* *the clerk shall draw by lot from the regular panel for said term twenty names, and from the names so drawn the parties shall strike a jury for the trial of such action or proceeding.* The district attorney or the plaintiff or plaintiffs shall be entitled to \* \* \* *four* peremptory challenges and the defendant or defendants to a like number of challenges to be made alternately, the district attorney or plaintiff first challenging. When either party shall decline to challenge in his turn such challenge shall be made by the clerk by lot. When a jury shall have been selected as aforesaid, or otherwise agreed upon, a venire therefor returnable at such time as the judge may direct shall be issued by the clerk to the sheriff of said county.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 51.

AN ACT to create section 959—81s of the statutes, granting to cities, towns and villages of this state the power to grant the gratuitous use of their public buildings for patriotic affairs. *The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 959—81s. 1. The words "patriotic affairs," when used in this section, shall mean affairs given for the encouragement and support of the government in time of war, and shall also include affairs given for the benefit or support of soldiers, sailors or marines who have been or are at the time in the service of the United States government, including memorial exercises, exhibitions, fairs, reunions, entertainments or barracks for such soldiers, sailors or marines, and to all of which affairs the citizens of such city, village or town are admitted without charge. Such affairs are hereby declared to be public uses and public purposes.