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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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## PUBLIC LAWS

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Chap. 170

#### Chapter 170.

An Act to amend sections thirty-five and thirty-six of chapter sixty-three of the Revised Statutes, relating to the publication of notices in probate proceedings.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Sec. 35, ch. 63, R. S., amended.

SECT. 1. That section thirty-five of chapter sixty-three of the revised statutes be amended by inserting the words 'or published' after the word "printed" in the third line, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Notice in probate proceedings defined. 'Secr. 35. In all laws relating to probate courts and proceedings, the words, "public notice," denote notice published three weeks successively in a newspaper printed or published in the county, or, if none, in the state paper; the words, "personal notice," denote service by a copy given in hand or left at the place of last and usual abode, seven days at least before the time of hearing; and the words, "due notice," denote public or personal notice, at the discretion of the judge.'

Sec. 36, amended.

SECT. 2. That section thirty-six of chapter sixty-three of the revised statutes be amended by inserting the words 'or published' after the word "printed" in the second line, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Parties may select newspaper for notices. 'Sect. 36. Any notice to be published in a newspaper, shall be published in such paper printed or published in the county as the party required to publish it, selects, unless the judge deems such paper unsuitable from want of circulation or other substantial reason.'

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 7, 1883.

### Chapter 171.

An Act relating to Immigration.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Overseers of poor to be designated to take charge of local affairs of immigration. Whenever the governor of the state shall have knowledge that, under the provisions of an act of congress approved August three, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, officers are necessary in any town or city to take charge of the local affairs of immigration in the ports of this state and to pro-

vide for the support and relief of immigrants who shall fall Chap. 172 into distress, he shall designate for such duty the board of overseers of the poor and their successors in such town or city, or any member or members of such board.

Approved March 7, 1883.

### Chapter 172.

An Act to amend section three of chapter twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes of eighteen hundred and seventy-one, relating to bowling alleys and billiard rooms.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section three of chapter twenty-nine of the revised statutes of eighteen hundred and seventy-one, is hereby amended by inserting the words 'pool, bagatelle,' after the word "alley," in the first line of said section, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Sec. 3, ch. 29, R.

'Sect. 3. No person shall keep a bowling alley, pool, bagatelle, or billiard room, without a license, under a penalty of ten dollars for each day such alley or room shall be so kept, to be recovered upon complaint before a judge of a municipal or police court or trial justice, or by indictment, to the use of the person prosecuting.

Penalty for keepetc., without

Approved March 7, 1883.

#### Chapter 173.

An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to amend section fifty-five, chapter fortynine of the Revised Statutes, relating to foreign insurance companies."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

That section fifty-five, chapter forty-nine of the revised Sec. 55 ch. 49, R. statutes, as amended in eighteen hundred and seventy-four, amended. section two hundred and seven, shall be amended by striking out the word "the," in the third line of said section, and inserting the words 'each and every,' so that said section shall, as amended, read as follows: