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CHAPTER 92.

AN ACT to make the superintendent or supervising principal of city or village schools, ex-officio a member of the local free library board.

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

Officers and government of school libraries.

SECTION 1. Section 932, of the revised statutes of Wisconsin, is hereby amended by adding to it the following words: Provided, that in any city or village which has established, or may establish, a free library under the provisions of section 931, that the city superintendent of schools, or the supervising principal of schools shall be ex-officio a member of the board of directors of such library, so that said section 932 when so amended shall read as follows: Section 932. For the government of such library and reading room, there shall be a board of nine directors, appointed by the mayor of such city, the president of such village or the chairman of such town, with the approval of the respective common council, village board, or town board, from among the citizens thereof at large; and not more than one member of the council, or village or town board shall at any one time be such director. Such directors shall hold their office for three years from the first day of July, in the year of appointment, and until their successors are appointed; but upon their first appointment they shall divide themselves, at their first meeting, by lot into three classes, one-third for one year, one-third for two years, and one-third for three years, and their terms shall expire accordingly. All vacancies shall be immediately reported by the directors to the proper council, town or village board, and be filled by appointment in like manner, and if in an un-

expired term, for the residue of the term only. No compensation whatever shall be paid or allowed any director; provided, that in any city or village which has established or may establish a free library under the provisions of section 931, that the city superintendent of schools, or the supervising principal of schools shall be ex-officio a member of the board of directors of such library.

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

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CHAPTER 93.

AN ACT to provide for the assessment for street improvements, sewers and water pipes of lands in cities owned or used by cemetery associations.

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

SECTION 1. All lands owned or used within the limits of any city of the first or second class by any corporation, society or association now or hereafter owning or using such lands for cemetery or burial purposes, shall be subject to all special assessments for the improvement of streets, or construction of sewers and the laying of water pipes in front of or adjoining the same, in the same manner as other lands abutting on such streets.

Lands that are subject to special assessments.

SECTION 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

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