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## CHAPTER 291.

AN ACT to appropriate a certain sum of money to pay the salary of George R. Whitman, as agent of the state board of immigration, due at the time of his death.

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

**Appropriation.** SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of seventy-nine dollars to pay the personal representative of George R. Whitman, deceased, such salary as may have been due him as agent of the state board of immigration at the time of his death.

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

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## CHAPTER 292.

AN ACT to authorize Angus J. McGilvray, his heirs, associates and assigns to build and maintain a dam across the Flambeau river in Chippewa county, Wisconsin.

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

**Location of dam; log slides; heighth of.** SECTION 1. Angus J. McGilvray of Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, his heirs, associates and assigns, are hereby authorized to build and maintain a dam across the Flambeau river in Chippewa county, state of Wisconsin, at any point he or they may select, on section thirty-five in township thirty-six north, of range five west, and to use the water of said river for the purpose of operating any and all

kinds of machinery he or they may hereafter see fit to erect, and to sell or lease the right to use said water and the water power created by said dam, to any person or persons, whomsoever, provided that said dam shall be so constructed and maintained as not to obstruct or impede the running of logs or timber down said river and that a suitable log slide sufficient in width shall be maintained at the expense of the owner or owners of said dam, together with such piers and guide booms as may be necessary so as to pass all logs and timber down and over said log slide without delay, hindrance or waste. Said dam shall not be built to a height that will cause back flowage or a raise in the natural flow of water to extend over a mile above said dam.

**Operations to be commenced in two years.** SECTION 2. The provisions of section 1 of this act shall cease and be void unless operation shall have been commenced two years from its passage and publication.

**Right to amend or repeal.** SECTION 3. The right of the legislature to repeal or amend or extend this act is hereby reserved.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force, from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 293.

AN ACT to amend 1517 of the statutes of 1898, relating to the support of the poor by counties.

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

**Powers of county board in support of poor.** SECTION 1. Section 1517 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended by adding after the word "therein," which is the last word of said section, the following: and may also, by resolution adopted at its annual or special meeting, relieve and take care of at the expense of the county, all permanent poor persons who may be a charge upon any town in such county, and commit to the county poor