

writing, advertising or setting forth any such contests, fail to state definitely the nature of the prizes so offered; or who shall fail to state clearly upon all evidences of value issued as a result of such contest in the form of credit certificates, credit bonds, coupons, or other evidences of credit in any form whatsoever, whether the same are redeemable in money or are of value only as a credit upon the purchase of merchandise; or who shall issue to any person as a result of any such contest, any instrument in the form of a bank check or bank draft or promissory note or any colorable imitation of any of the foregoing; or who shall refuse or fail to award and grant the specific prizes offered to the persons determined to be entitled thereto under the terms of such contest, or fail to redeem any credit certificate, credit bonds, coupons, or other evidences of credit issued as a result of any such contest, according to the terms thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and every act done in violation of any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed a separate offense hereunder.

(Am. 1911, c. 664, s. 140.)

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

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CHAPTER 608.

AN ACT to amend section 959—46e of the statutes, relating to the pension fund for members of the fire department in cities of the second, third and fourth class.

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

SECTION 1. Section 959—46e of the statutes is amended to read: Section 959—46e. In all cities of the second, third, and fourth class within this state, having paid fire departments,

* * all sums collected or received by the treasurers of such cities, under the requirements of any law of this state or of the charter of any such city relating to and providing for the taxation of fire insurance companies, or agents, shall be set apart by the common council and comptrollers of such cities, and retained and set apart by the treasurers of such cities, which shall be and constitute a pension fund to be used for the pensioning of disabled and superannuated members of the fire departments,

and the widows and orphans of deceased members thereof; and the treasurers of such cities shall be ex-officio treasurers of such funds.

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

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CHAPTER 609.

AN ACT to amend section 111b, section 169b, and subsections 5, 6, 10, 14, and 22 of section 170, and section 4890 of the statutes, relating to compensation to be paid for various officers and employes of the state, and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. Section 111b, section 169b, and subsections 5, 6, 10, 14, and 22 of section 170, and section 4890 of the statutes are amended to read:

Section 111b. The sergeant at arms of the senate and assembly elected at the beginning of every regular session of the legislature, shall perform such duties as are now by law and custom devolved upon those officers, including direct supervision by each of the work of the assistants, postmaster, document room attendants, janitors and messengers of the house of which he is a sergeant at arms. His compensation shall be * * * eight hundred dollars for the full term of a regular session and in case of service at an extra or special session, seven dollars a day for such service.

Section 169b. 1. The governor is authorized to employ, for his office, one stenographer and one messenger, and such additional help as he may from time to time deem necessary, and fix their compensation; and the superintendent of public property is authorized, by and with the approval of the governor, to employ such extra help in and about the capitol and public grounds as may be necessary, and fix their compensation. Provided that the compensation so fixed by said superintendent shall not exceed the amount now fixed by law for similar service, and that the total amount expended for such purpose in any one year shall not exceed six thousand dollars.

2. *Whenever written request is made to the governor secretary of state, and state treasurer, (who are hereby constituted a board for the purposes of this section) by any state officer or head of department in the capitol for additional help therein, and it shall appear to them that the good of the public service*