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CHAPTER 47.

AN ACT to amend subsection (4) of section 20.11 and section 35.305 of the statutes, relating to printing for Wisconsin organizations of service men and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (4) of section 20.11 and section 35.305 of the statutes are amended to read: (20.11) (4) Annually, beginning July 1, * * * 1929, a sum not exceeding * * * six hundred dollars to carry out the provisions of section 35.305.

35.305 Upon receiving the necessary printer's copy, the state printing board shall have * * * printed and bound in suitable form, by the state printer, and delivered to the proper officer of each organization, all required copies of department orders, reports of officers, * * * other historical matter and * * * the annual proceedings of * * * the following Wisconsin organizations of service men: United Spanish War Veterans and their auxiliary, the Wisconsin Department of the American Legion and its auxiliary, the Wisconsin Department of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and its auxiliary. Not to exceed two hundred dollars shall be expended annually for each of the three veterans' organizations named, together with their auxiliaries.

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

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CHAPTER 48.

AN ACT providing for the appointment of a special joint committee to investigate campaign expenditures and election methods and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. There is created a special joint committee consisting of two senators and three assemblymen, to be appointed in the manner that standing committees are appointed, to investigate the campaign expenditures and election methods employed

in the primary, general and special elections in this state including and subsequent to the year 1924.

SECTION 2. This committee shall inquire into violations of law and abuses which have occurred in connection with these several elections and shall have authority to go into the expenditures, methods and practices employed by any candidate, party or faction participating in such primary, general or special elections. It shall also give attention to the problem of clarifying, modernizing and strengthening the corrupt practices act. The specific mention of any line of inquiry herein, however, shall not in any way limit the field of investigation which said committee is empowered to enter upon and which it shall deem expedient to go into in connection with the general subject matter assigned to it for consideration.

SECTION 3. Said committee is authorized to hold such meetings and at such places and at such dates as it may deem expedient, and any member of said committee shall have power to administer oaths to persons appearing before it.

SECTION 4. (1) Said committee may by subpoena issued over the signature of its chairman or acting chairman and served in the manner in which circuit court subpoenas are served, summon and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of all books, papers, documents and records necessary or convenient to be examined or used by them in the course of the discharge of their duties.

(2) If any witness subpoenaed to appear before such committee shall refuse to appear to answer inquiries propounded, or shall fail or refuse to produce books, documents, papers and records, within his possession or control, applicable or germane to said investigation, when the same are demanded by said committee, such committee shall report the facts to the circuit court of Dane county and it shall be the duty of said court to compel obedience to such subpoena by attachment proceedings for contempt, as in case of disobedience of the requirements of a subpoena issued from such court, or a refusal to testify therein.

SECTION 5. The said committee shall have power to employ such reporters and other assistants as may be necessary for the proper discharge of its duties and to fix the compensation of such employes.

SECTION 6. There is appropriated from the general fund to

the committee created in this act, for the discharge of its duties hereunder, not to exceed ten thousand dollars.

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 49.

AN ACT to amend subsections (1) and (2) of section 155.02 of the statutes, relating to distribution of dead bodies.

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

SECTION 1. Subsections (1) and (2) of section 155.02 of the statutes are amended to read: (155.02) (1) If he be located in the Western United States judicial district, at the expense of the University of Wisconsin, shall notify immediately its demonstrator of anatomy by telegraph, if practicable, or in other expeditious manner. The demonstrator when generally authorized by the regents shall immediately inform the officer whether the corpse is desired, and if it is, the officer shall deliver it properly encased for transportation without charge to the agent of the express company at the nearest railroad station, consigned as the demonstrator directs. If previous application for bodies shall have been made to the regents of the university by any incorporated college or medical school, in said district, the demonstrator shall under the direction of the president of the university, equitably distribute such corpses between the university and the applicants, the institution receiving the corpse paying the transportation expenses. If the demonstrator shall not desire the corpse in such district he shall immediately notify Marquette University or the Goodman College of Embalming at Milwaukee or any accredited college of embalming in this state, and the public officer upon immediate notice shall, in like manner consign the corpse to Marquette University or the Goodman College of Embalming or any accredited college of embalming in this state, which shall first present him an order therefor signed by its president or secretary, stating that the corpse shall be used only for the promotion of anatomical science within this state, and that the remains not so used, shall be decently buried or cremated in compliance with regulations by the state board of health.

(2) If he be located in the eastern United States judicial dis-