

on weights and measures to be held in Washington in 1909. There is appropriated out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred dollars to pay the expenses of such delegate incurred in attending such conference. Such delegate shall file with the governor a sworn statement of such expenses. If such vouchers are approved by the governor the secretary of state shall issue a warrant therefor and they shall be paid by the state treasurer out of the fund hereby appropriated.

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

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## CHAPTER 298.

AN ACT to amend section 1492e—7, and to create section 1492e—8a of the statutes, relating to the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1492e—7 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1492e—7. Every *unlicensed* person who was engaged in the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in this state *continuously for a space of ten years or more prior to the first of January, 1909.* \* \* \* may continue such practice without examination \* \* \*, *providing such person produces endorsements of his qualifications as a skilled and competent veterinary physician and surgeon, subscribed and sworn to by two hundred and fifty freholders and owners of live stock residing in the county in which such veterinarian lives, and provided further that such person make application for license to the Board of Veterinary Examiners within thirty days after the passage and publication of this act, and upon the payment of three dollars for his first license, and annually thereafter causing his name and residence to be registered by the board who shall keep a book for that purpose.*

SECTION 2. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1492e—8a. The said board of examiners are hereby authorized and empowered to revoke any license heretofore existing or granted or which may hereinafter be granted for any professional misconduct or breach of duty by any licensed practitioner of veterinary medicine and surgery. Provided, however, that the said board before the revocation of

said license shall notify the said licensed practitioner of the hearing, and give to said licensed practitioner at least twenty days' notice in writing of the hearing for the revocation of the license.

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

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## CHAPTER 299.

AN ACT to amend subdivision 1 of section 946 of the statutes, relating to subscriptions by municipalities to railroad stock.

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

SECTION 1. Subdivision 1 of section 946 of the statutes, relating to subscriptions by municipalities to railroad stock, is amended to read: (Section 946). 1. Within three months after the filing of any such proposition with the proper clerk the railroad company may, by a written request, require notice to be given by such clerk, in the manner hereinafter provided for giving notice of an election to consider such proposition, that after a date in such notice named, not less than thirty nor more than sixty days from the date of notice, a petition to the proper authorities of such municipality, praying that such proposition may be accepted and carried into effect, will be presented for their signatures to the male resident taxpayers thereof, which petition, embracing a copy of such proposition, shall be appended as a part of such notice. If thereafter, within four months from the filing of such proposition with such clerk, the railroad company shall deliver to such clerk such petition, embracing a copy of such proposition and bearing the signatures of a majority of the male persons residing in such municipality who were assessed for taxes on real or personal estate therein as shown by the last assessment roll, *which majority so signing shall own more than one-half of the taxable property thereof as shown by the said assessment roll*, which signatures shall be verified by the affidavit of some person who witnessed the making of the same, then such proposition shall be deemed accepted after the same shall have been on file in the office of the said clerk at least ten days, and the proper county board, town board, village board, board of trustees or common council shall carry the same into effect in the manner hereinafter provided.