

the provisions of any such ordinance; and all such ordinances are hereby declared to be and have the force of law, provided that they be not repugnant to the constitution of the United States or of this state. Such ordinances shall be written in the ordinary form of legislative enactments commencing as follows: "The County Board of Supervisors of..... County does ordain as follows:" and they shall take effect and be in force within the county enacting the same, upon their being passed by the vote of a majority of all the members of the board of supervisors of such county, at any legal meeting thereof and their publication in the proceedings of said board and in such newspaper published in said county as said board shall prescribe.

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

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CHAPTER 322.

AN ACT to amend section 1494t—3 of the statutes, and to create section 1494t—3m, of the statutes, relating to the powers of the state park board

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

SECTION 1. Section 1494t—3 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1494t—3. The director of the state geological survey and the state forester shall meet with such state park board at all of their meetings, when required by said board, and shall consult with and advise said board on all matters as requested by said board. * * *

SECTION 2. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1494t—3m. 1. The said board shall have charge and supervision of all lands that the state may acquire for parks, and the supervision of all state parks except in so far as said supervision has been or may be by law placed in other persons or boards.

2. The board shall have power to lay out and ornament any state park and to govern and manage the same, and to lay out and construct all proper roads and bridges therein, grant rights to permit people to camp, and use the state parks under the restrictions and rules made by said park board, and to make such rules and regulations with the gov-

ernor's approval as may be necessary to manage and control the same.

3. The board shall have power to accept in the name of the state devises of land, and bequests and donations of money to be used for park purposes.

4. The board shall enforce laws for the prevention of destruction of any shrubs and trees in such parks and shall make rules for the prevention of forest fires.

5. The board may from time to time employ such agencies and subordinates to make such contracts as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

6. No member of the board, nor any person employed by said board, shall have power to create any debt or obligation to bind said board except by the express authority of the board, granted at a meeting duly convened.

7. Said board is authorized and empowered to purchase or acquire for and in the name of the State of Wisconsin in the manner hereinafter provided and for the purposes hereinafter designated, title to such tracts of land as it may select, which in the opinion of said board shall most adequately and suitably fulfill the requirements of a state park, and shall duly take into consideration in the acquirements of such lands, their relative cost and value for park purposes, out of any moneys appropriated to or received by the said state park board.

8. The land so purchased or acquired and the title thereto shall be held by the State of Wisconsin and be devoted to public use for park purposes for all times under such regulations as the legislature may from time to time prescribe.

9. Whenever said state park board shall require any of such lands for use for a public park and shall be unable to agree with the owners thereof upon the amount of compensation to be paid therefor, or, when for any reason no such agreement can be made without, in the opinion of said board, unreasonable delay, the said board is authorized to determine the value of said lands and the damages resulting to the owner from the taking thereof in the manner and with the effect provided as to commissioners appointed by the judge of the circuit court under the provisions of sections 605, 606, 607, statutes of 1898, and acts amendatory thereto.

10. The report of said board as to the value of such lands and the damages resulting to such owner shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county wherein said lands are located as provided in section last referred to

and thereafter all proceedings shall be as provided in said section and the sections referred to and with like effect.

11. If the said state park board in negotiating for the purchase of lands for the establishment of parks shall ascertain that on certain lands or premises situated within the limits of a proposed state park, there are dwellings, cottages, or any other buildings or improvements, or any orchards, vineyards, or cultivated fields, and that by reason of such or for any other reason said lands or premises have a value which in the opinion of said board is incommensurate with their value for the purpose of said park, said board may and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a mutual and friendly agreement with the owner or owners of such land or premises for such control or supervision by the state over such lands or premises, deemed necessary to the reasonable requirements of said park.

12 That said board is authorized and directed to extend with the consent and agreement of the owner or owners such protective, police, and other powers conferred upon said board by this enactment as it may deem advisable over the lands and premises of said owner or owners, provided that said owners convey by written contract to the said board such control or supervision of their said lands and premises as may be agreed upon between the said board and said owner or owners.

13. The said park board is authorized to remove or cause to be removed in such manner as they may deem advisable wood, timber, rocks, stone, earth, or other products or attributes from said park. Such wood, timber, rock, earth, or other products or attributes shall be sold to the highest bidder upon contracts executed and signed by said state park board.

14. All money received from the sale of wood, timber, rocks, or other products or attributes of the park lands shall be paid into the state treasury and shall constitute the state park reserve fund.

15. The said park board is authorized to allow the state agricultural and horticultural societies to establish and maintain, upon any portions of the lands of the said park that said park board shall deem suitable, nurseries, experimental stations, and buildings in such manner as to best serve the requirements of said societies, all of which shall be under the general supervision of said park board.

16. The attorney general shall act as counsel and attorney

for said state park board, both in proceedings and litigation, and in giving advice and counsel.

17. The respective district attorneys of the county or counties where said parks shall be located shall prosecute for all violations of the terms of this act occurring within their respective counties as provided in section 1494—55 of the statutes, and acts amendatory thereto.

18. Such assistants as may be appointed by said board shall have all the powers of state and town fire wardens as provided in sections 1494—48 to 1494—51, inclusive, of the statutes, and acts amendatory thereof, and such powers shall apply to said parks.

19. The penalties for the destruction of any notices, posted by the said board within the boundaries of any state park, shall be the same as those provided in section 1494—56.

20. The said state park board is empowered and authorized to summon and examine witnesses and to administer oaths to such witnesses in any manner of proceedings relative to their duties.

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CHAPTER 323.

AN ACT to repeal sections 2349, 2350, 2351, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2359, and 2360 of the statutes; to amend sections 2330, 2362, 2366, 2370, 2371, and 2373 of the statutes; and to create sections 2351, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2360, and 2360f, 2360g, 2360h, 2360h—1 to 2360h—4, inclusive, 2360i, 2360j, 2360k, 2360l, 2360n, 2360r, and 2360s of the statutes, providing for divorce laws uniform with those of other states.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 2349, 2350, 2351, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2359, and 2360 of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 2. Section 2330 of the statutes is amended to read: "Section 2330. 1. No marriage shall be contracted while either of the parties has a husband or wife living, nor between * * * persons who are nearer of kin than first cousins, computing by the rule of the civil law, whether of the half or of the whole blood; and no insane person or idiot shall be capable of contracting marriage.

2. * * * It shall not be lawful for any person * * * who is a party to an action for divorce from the bonds of matri-