

bers a president and a secretary, and shall fill vacancies in such offices. The city treasurer shall be ex officio treasurer of such board, and as such, custodian of the fund and all securities and property belonging thereto. He shall keep books of account thereof in such manner as the board shall direct. Such books shall always be open to inspection by the board or a member thereof. The city treasurer shall be liable on his official bond for the performance of such duties.

(10) (c) When the amount in said fund shall be *one hundred* fifty thousand dollars it shall be retained as a permanent fund, and thereafter only the income therefrom, with the other revenues of said fund, shall be available for the payment of pensions. The council may then diminish the amount paid into said fund from taxation of fire insurance companies or agents, but to such extent only as will leave sufficient income to the said fund to meet the pension requirements.

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

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CHAPTER 167.

AN ACT to amend section 14.23 of the statutes, relating to Armistice Day.

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

SECTION 1. Section 14.23 of the statutes is amended to read: 14.23 The governor, by proclamation, may set apart one day each year to be designated as arbor and bird day, and may request its observance by all schools, colleges and other institutions by the planting of trees, the adornment of school and public grounds, and by suitable exercises having for their object the advancement of the study of arboriculture, the promotion of a spirit of protection to birds and trees, and the cultivation of an appreciative sentiment concerning them. He may also set apart, in said manner, one day in each year to be observed as labor day. *The governor shall annually issue a proclamation calling attention to the fact that the eleventh day of November is the anniversary of armistice day, and requesting the people*

throughout the state to observe by appropriate exercises the hour at which the armistice was concluded.

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

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CHAPTER 168.

AN ACT to create subsection (4a) of section 40.19 of the statutes, relating to the observance of Armistice day, in the schools.

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

SECTION 1. A new subsection is added to section 40.19 of the statutes to read: (40.19) (4a) On the 11th day of November, school shall be taught regularly for one-half of said day, but at least two hours of the other half of said day shall be devoted to the holding of appropriate exercises within the school or to the participation in appropriate public exercises in the vicinity of said school, to commemorate the historical event associated with Armistice day.

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

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CHAPTER 169.

AN ACT to repeal section 70.58, to amend subsection (2) of section 70.59 and paragraph 2 of subsection (4) of section 20.245 and to create section 20.246 of the statutes, relating to the manner of levying state taxes and to the public school fund income, and making appropriations.

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

SECTION 1. Section 70.58 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. Subsection (2) of section 70.59 and paragraph 2 of subsection (4) of section 20.245 of the statutes are amended