

be audited by the secretary of state and paid by the state treasurer out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated; provided, however, that the governor may appoint a messenger for the state library who shall receive for his services a compensation of seventy-five dollars per month. He may also appoint one or more janitors when necessary, for service in and about the library rooms, pertaining to the supreme court, and fix his or their compensation.

Governor to  
appoint  
messengers.

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

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## CHAPTER 242.

AN ACT designating the seventh day of June, 1898, as a public holiday, authorizing the governor to secure an official observance thereof, and appropriating a sum of money sufficient therefor.

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

SECTION 1. The governor is hereby authorized to set apart by proclamation, the seventh day of June, in the year 1898, as a day upon which to observe the fiftieth anniversary of the taking the oath of office by the first state officers under the constitution of the state, and said day is hereby declared to be a legal holiday.

June 7, 1898,  
declared a  
legal holiday.

SECTION 2. The governor is hereby authorized to take such action towards an official ob-

Governor authorized to take action toward official observance of same.

servance of said anniversary at the seat of government of this state, as may by him be deemed advisable; and to officially invite to such observance the governors and staffs of the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota and Iowa, and such other distinguished guests as he may deem proper.

Appropriation of \$2,500 for expenses.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated to the governor, out of the general fund in the state treasury not otherwise expended, a sufficient sum of money to defray the proper and necessary expenses of such official observance, said expenditures to be vouched for in the usual manner; providing, however, that the amount hereby appropriated shall not exceed the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 243.

AN ACT relating to vaults in the state capitol building, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

\$7,000 appropriated for rendering rooms in capitol fireproof, etc.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the governor and secretary of state, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of seven thousand dollars, to be used by them for the purpose of making rooms numbered four and six, in the state capitol building, fireproof,