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## CHAPTER 418.

AN ACT relating to employes of the state, amending sections 170, 288 and 630 of the statutes of 1898 and repealing section 169a of said statutes.

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

Reducing labor force. Section 1. Section 288 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended by striking out the word "eighteen" where the same occurs in the seventh line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve;" also by striking out of said seventh line the words "a storekeeper," and out of the eighth line the words "a foreman of the labor force," also by inserting after the word "in," in the fifteenth line of said section the words, "the executive residence and in,"

Abolishing volunteer clerk. Section 2. Section 630 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended by striking out the words "and volunteer service clerk," where the same occur in the third line of said section.

Salaries abolished. Section 3. Section 170 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended by striking out the word "eighteen" where the same occurs in the first line on page 261 of said statutes, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve." Said section is hereby further amended by striking out the words "the storekeeper, seven hundred and forty-four dollars," where the same occur in the second and third lines on said page 261, and the words "the foreman of the labor force, nine hundred dollars," where the same occur in the fourth line on said page 261. Said section is further amended by striking out the words "the volunteer service clerk, twelve hundred dollars," where the same occur in the fifth line on page 262 of said statutes.

State draughtsman, abolished. Section 4. Section 169a of "the statutes of 1898" is hereby repealed.

Employes in governor's office. Section 5. Section 1 of chaptre 290 of the laws of 1899 is hereby amended by striking out of said section the words "to the discharge of his duties in keep-

ing the same in a proper state of cleanliness and repair," and by striking out the word "nine" where it occurs in the last line of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

Section 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 419.

AN ACT to amend chapter 290 of the laws of 1899 relating to employes, in the governor's office.

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

Office force of governor; extra pay roll. Section 1. Section 1 of chapter 290 of the laws of 1899 is hereby amended by striking out of said section the words "to the discharge of his duties in keeping the same in a proper state of cleanliness and repair," and by striking out the word nine where it appears in the last line of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six" so that said section when so amended will read as follows: The governor is authorized to employ, for his office, one stenographer and one messenger, and such additional help as he may from time to time deem necessary, and fix their compensation; and the superintendent of public property is authorized, by and with the approval of the governor, to employ such extra help in and about the capitol and public grounds as may be necessary, and fix their compensation. Provided, that the compensation so fixed by said superintendent shall not exceed the amount now fixed by law for similar service, and that the total amount expended for such purpose in any one year shall not exceed six thousand dollars.

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

Approved May 14, 1901.