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CHAPTER 88.

AN ACT authorizing the placing of state records in the custody of the State Historical Society, as trustee of the state.

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

SECTION 1. (376m.)

SECTION 2. (Following Sec. 376m.)

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

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CHAPTER 89.

AN ACT to appropriate to the governor's contingent fund a sum of money named therein.

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

Appropriation. Section 1. There is hereby appropriated to the governor's contingent fund, out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two thousand dollars per annum for the years 1907 and 1908.

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

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state historical library building there is hereby annually appropriated to said society * * * the sum of twenty thousand dollars. Any balance of said annual appropriation not expended in any one year may be added to the expenditures of the next ensuing year.

- 3. For the purpose of purchasing books, periodicals, maps, manuscripts, and kindred articles for its reference library, there is hereby [* * *] appropriated to the state historical society of Wisconsin, as trustee of the state, the sum of five thousand dollars, out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated. Any balance not expended in any one year may be added to the expenditures of the next ensuing year. This sum is in addition to the existing annual appropriation to said trustee.
- 4. The executive committee of said society shall keep a correct account of the manner of expenditure of the money hereby appropriated, and report annually to the governor a detailed statement of such expenditure.

(Ch. 533, 1907.)

Records of state offices to be transferred to historical society; certified copies. Section 376m. For the purpose of the permanent preservation and expert indexing of state records, any state official is hereby authorized and empowered to transfer to the custody of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin, in its capacity as trustee for the state, any records, documents, original papers, manuscripts, newspaper files, or printed books not specifically required by law to be retained in the office of such official as a part of the public records, five years after the current use of the same, or sooner in the discretion of the head of the department. After such transference of said records or other material, copies therefrom shall on application of any citizen of Wisconsin interested therein, be made and certified by the secretary and superintendent of said State Historical Society, or his authorized representative in charge, which certification shall have all the force and effect as if made by the. official originally in custody of them.

(Ch. 88, 1907. Numbered "376m" by Sec. 3, Ch. 676, 1907.)

Classification and publicity of the records. Said State Historical Society is hereby required, as soon as practicable, adequately and conveniently to classify and arrange such state records or other official material as may be transferred to its care, under the provisions of this act, and to keep the same accessible to all persons interested, under such proper and reasonable regulations as may be found advisable.

(Sec. 2, Ch. 88, 1907.)

Medical college in university. Section 385. The object of the University of Wisconsin shall be to provide the means of acquiring a thorough knowledge of the various branches of learning connected with literary, scientific, industrial and professional pursuits, and to this end it shall consist of the following colleges or departments, to-wit:

- 1. The college of letters and science.
- 2. The college of mechanics and engineering.
- 3. The college of agriculture.
- 4. The college of law.
- 5. The college of medicine.
- 6. Such other colleges, schools or departments as now are or may from time to time be added thereto or connected therewith.

 (Ch. 428, 1907.)

Free tuition in law school, state university. Section 388. No student who shall have been a resident of the state for one year next preceding his admission at the beginning of any academic year, shall be required to pay any fees for tuition in the university, except * * for extra studies; the regents may prescribe rates of tuition for any pupil * * who shall not have been a resident as aforesaid and for teaching extra studies. Attendance at the university shall not of itself be sufficient to effect a residence.

(Ch. 105, 1907.)

University women's building and men's dormitories, appropriation; governor's approval prerequisite. Section 391n. There is annually appropriated for the period of four years the sum of one hundred thousand dollars to the university fund income from the general fund of the state out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated to be used for the construction and equipment of a women's building, which shall include a women's gymnasium, and for men's dormitories, provided that the women's building is to be first constructed, and further provided that no plan or plans for any building shall be finally adopted, and no contract or contracts shall be entered into by the regents for the construction of any building until such plans