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CHAPTER 232.

AN ACT to create section 819c of the statutes, relating to powers of town boards to purchase books or manuals relating to duties of town officers.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 819c. The town board shall have power to purchase, or order the purchase for the use of the officers of the town, of any handbooks or manuals relating to the powers and duties of town officers, which, in the judgment of said board, will be of material assistance to such town officers in the performance of their official duties, and to pay for the same out of the general fund; providing, however, that all books thus purchased shall be and remain the property of the town.

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

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CHAPTER 233.

AN ACT to create section 3927m of the statutes, relating to the duties of trustees of a charitable trust.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 3927m. Every trustee of a trust bequeathed or devised for charitable uses or purposes shall render his account of his trust annually to the county court having jurisdiction thereof in the same manner as executors and administrators are required to render their account, and such account shall be rendered on the first Tuesday of January, 1910, and every year thereafter on the first Tuesday of January, and from time to time as may be required by the county court; and he may be examined by the court upon any matter relating to his account and his conduct of such trust.

The county court having jurisdiction of said matter shall annually, upon the hearing and allowance of such account, make an order directing such trustee to carry out the trust as pro-