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CHAPTER 403.

AN ACT to create section 392k—1 of the statutes, relating to a soil survey, and making an appropriation therefor.

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 392k—1. The geological and natural history survey of the state of Wisconsin is directed to cause a soil survey and a soil map of the state to be made for the purpose of ascertaining the character and fertility of the developed and undeveloped soils of the state, the extent and practicability of drainage of the swamp and wet lands of the state, and the means for properly conserving and increasing the fertility of the soil of the state, such work to be carried on in co-operation with the college of agriculture of the University of Wisconsin. The sum of ten thousand dollars annually for the biennial period ending June 30, 1911, is appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of such survey.

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

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CHAPTER 404.

AN ACT to amend section 7 and to create section 9 of chapter 29, laws of 1901, as amended, relating to the register of probate, assistant registers and other officers of the county court of Milwaukee county.

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

SECTION 1. Section 7 of chapter 29, laws of 1901, is amended to read: Section 7. The county judges may appoint a custodian and one entry clerk. The county judges may, whenever the business of the office requires it, appoint an additional clerk or clerks at a salary not exceeding * * one thousand dollars per annum for each. * * * All of said salaries shall be * * * payable monthly, at the end of each and every month, out of the treasury of said county.