

ates, descent and distribution of property, acknowledgment of deeds, execution and probate of wills, commercial papers and other legal subjects on which uniformity of legislation is desirable; to ascertain the best means to effect uniformity in the laws of the states; to represent this state in conventions of like commissioners of other states; to consider and draft bills to be submitted to the legislatures of the several states; and to devise and recommend such other course of action as shall best accomplish the purpose for which it is appointed.

3. No member of said board shall receive any compensation for his services, but each member shall be repaid from the state treasury the amount of his actual traveling and other expenses incurred in the discharge of his official duty, after the same shall have been audited by the secretary of state as provided in section 145 of the statutes.

4. There is annually appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated a sufficient sum to pay the expenses of said commissioners when so audited, not exceeding five hundred dollars. *The commissioners are authorized to appropriate annually one hundred dollars of said sum to the national conference of commissioners on uniform state laws. Any balance remaining at the end of any year may be expended by the commissioners during the next ensuing year.*

5. Said board shall report to the governor before the time fixed for the meeting of the legislature, an account of its transactions and its advice and recommendations to the legislature, which report shall be communicated to the legislature by the governor.

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

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CHAPTER 463.

AN ACT to amend subsection 40, of section 1038, of the statutes, relating to property exempt from taxation.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subsection 40, of section 1038, of the statutes, is amended to read: (Section 1038) 40. All real property, not exceeding * * * *one hundred and twenty acres, and personal property of the Evangelical Lutheran Home for Feeble Minded, located at Watertown, Wisconsin, so long as said prop-*

erty is actually used and occupied for * * * *a home for feeble minded.*

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

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CHAPTER 464.

AN ACT to amend section 439 of the statutes, relative to the powers of school boards and board of education.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 439 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 439. *The school board of any school district or the board of education of any city may make all rules needful for the organization, graduation and government of the school or schools under their jurisdiction, such rules to take effect when a copy * * * signed by a majority of the board is filed with the clerk; may establish and maintain an ungraded department when in the discretion of the board such department may be deemed advisable; may suspend any pupil from school for noncompliance with the rules made by themselves or by the teacher with their consent; may expel any pupil whenever, upon due examination, they find him guilty of persistent refusal or neglect to obey the rules of the school and become satisfied that the interests of the school demand his expulsion; and may admit free of tuition any person between twenty and thirty years of age residing in the district to any school under their control, when in their judgment it will not interfere with the pupils of school age.*

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

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CHAPTER 465.

AN ACT to amend section 1416—19 of the statutes, relating to public health.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1416—19 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1416—19. It shall be the duty of the health officer, or a representative of any local board of health, to attend a local conference called by the secretary of the state board of