Section 15. Section 1021 of the statutes is renumbered to be section 68.14 COMPENSATION OF CLERKS.

Section 16. Section 1021a of the statutes is renumbered to be section 68.15 PAUPERISM AND CRIME.

SECTION 17. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 26.

AN ACT to amend paragraph (o) of subsection (1) of section 27.01 of the statutes, relating to public parks and providing a penalty.

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

SECTION 1. Paragraph (o) of subsection (1) of section 27.01 is amended to read: (27.01) (1) (o) The penalties for the destruction of any notices, posted by the said commission, or for the breaking, tearing up, or marring, of trees, vines, shrubs, or flowers, the dislocation of stones or the disfigurement of natural conditions within the boundaries of any state or county parks or state fish hatchery grounds shall be the same as those provided in section 26.19.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved March 14, 1921.

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CHAPTER 27.

AN ACT to amend paragraph (e) of subsection (9) of section 925-133 of the statutes relating to the rate of interest on municipal refunding bonds.

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

SECTION 1. Paragraph (e) of subsection (9) of section 925—133 of the statutes is amended to read: (Section 925—133) (9) (e) For the funding of judgments against the city, which cannot in the judgment of the council be paid by current taxation. Such funding or refunding bonds may run not exceeding twenty years from the time of their issue and may be negotiable coupon bonds payable to bearer at a rate of interest not exceeding * * *

six per cent per annum. Such bonds may be sold at not less than par and accrued interest and the proceeds used to pay the liability for which they were issued or may be exchanged for the evidence of liability replaced by them. No such bonds shall be issued unless authorized by an ordinance adopted by a vote in favor of the same by at least three-fourths of all the members of the common council elect, said vote to be at a regular meeting not less than one week after the proposed ordinance shall have been published in the official paper of the city. All such bonds issued shall be payable at the option of the city in annual installments, the last installment being payable not more than twenty years after their Before or at the time of issuing said bonds the council shall provide for the collection of a direct annual tax, sufficient to pay the interest thereon as it falls due and to pay and discharge the principal thereof within twenty years from the time of the issue of such bonds. Said funding or refunding bonds need not be authorized by a vote of the people, and shall be signed by the mayor, countersigned by the city clerk and sealed with the corporate seal. Said officers before executing said bonds shall ascertain that they do not exceed the limit prescribed by the constitution of the state of Wisconsin and that all provisions required by the constitution and laws of Wisconsin have been duly complied with. Refunding bonds whose issuance, by ordinance heretofore adopted has been directed to be made in the manner provided by section 925-133 of the statutes, shall be issued, and further proccedings in regard thereto shall be taken, in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved March 14, 1921.

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CHAPTER 28.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money therein named to the treasurer of the board of managers of the Wisconsin Veterans' Home, for operation of said Home, for the year ending June 30, 1921.

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

SECTION 1. There is appropriated to the treasurer of the board of managers of the Wisconsin Veterans' Home, upon