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CHAPTER 142.

AN ACT to amend subsection (3) of section 64.11 of the statutes, relating to the powers of a city manager.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (3) of section 64.11 of the statutes is amended to read: (64.11) (3) The city manager shall have the power to appoint all heads of departments, all subordinate city officials and all city employes and to remove such appointees at any time their services or the conduct of their offices becomes unsatisfactory to him; *provided, that this subsection shall not be construed as depriving the board of fire and police commissioners of any city of all the powers conferred by section 62.13.*

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

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CHAPTER 143.

AN ACT to repeal and recreate section 331.20 of the statutes, relating to publishing legal notices.

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

SECTION 1. Section 331.20 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. A new section is added to the statutes to be numbered and to read: 331.20 No publisher of any newspaper in the state of Wisconsin shall be awarded or be entitled to any compensation or fee for the publishing of any legal notice, advertisement, or report of any kind or description required to be published by or in pursuance to any law or by order of any court unless such newspaper has all the requirements enabling it to be entered by the United States post-office department as entitled to second class mailing privileges and has a bona fide paid circulation to actual subscribers of not less than three hundred copies at each publication, if in villages or in cities of the third and fourth class, and one thousand copies in cities of the first and second class, and further that such newspaper shall have been regularly and con-

tinuously published in such city and county for at least two years immediately before the date of such notice, advertisement, or report, providing that the two years' requirement shall not apply to papers in existence at the time of the passage of this act. A newspaper in the contemplation of this section is a publication appearing at regular intervals, which shall be at least once a week, containing reports of happenings of recent occurrence of a varied character, such as political, social, moral and religious subjects, and designed for the information of the general reader. Such definition shall include a daily newspaper published in a county having a population of five hundred thousand or more, devoted principally to business news and publishing of records, which has been designated by the courts of record of said county for publication of legal notices for a period of six years or more immediately prior to January 1st, 1931.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 144.

AN ACT to create subsection (13) of section 14.53 of the statutes, relating to the prosecution of Indian claims.

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

SECTION 1. A new subsection is added to section 14.53 of the statutes to read: (14.53) (13) The attorney-general shall designate an assistant attorney-general to investigate and prosecute to a conclusion all legitimate claims against the federal government of Indians residing in Wisconsin. If such investigation shall reveal the need for any changes either in state or federal legislation to more adequately safeguard the interests of the Wisconsin Indians, the attorney-general shall bring such need to the attention of the legislature and at the conclusion of his duties hereunder shall make a complete report to the legislature.

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

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