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CHAPTER 234.

AN ACT to amend 343.15 and 343.16 of the statutes, relating to larceny from persons or corpses and stealing at fire or other catastrophe, and imposing penalties.

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

SECTION 1. 343.15 of the statutes is amended to read:

343.15 LARCENY FROM * * * PERSONS OR CORPSES. Any person who shall commit the crime of larceny by stealing from the person of another *or corpse of a deceased person* shall be * * * *imprisoned* in the state prison not more than 7 years nor less than one year, or * * * in the county jail not more than one year nor less than 3 months or * * * *fined* not exceeding \$200.

SECTION 2. 343.16 of the statutes is amended to read:

343.16 * * * LOOTING. Any person who shall steal the property of another in a building * * * or that is removed from such building or any other building * * * in consequence of an alarm caused by fire, *or in consequence of conditions arising by reason of war, conflagration, flood, blizzard, catastrophe, disaster, riot or civil commotion*, shall be * * * *imprisoned* in the state prison not more than 5 years nor less than one year, or * * * *fined* not exceeding \$500 or * * * *imprisoned* in the county jail not more than one year.

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