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CHAPTER 1

AN ACT relating to student army training corps in the University, Normal Schools, and Stout Institute, and making appropriations.

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

SECTION 1. Subject to the approval of the Governor and of the State Board of Education, the Board of Regents of the State University are hereby authorized:

1. To contract with the various departments of the United States Government for the purpose of furthering the plans of the United States in its conduct of the present war.

2. To utilize their buildings, grounds and equipment in co-operating with the federal government in its plans for the conduct of the present war.

3. To advance moneys from their appropriations for operation, maintenance, and capital for the purpose of expediting its contracts with the various departments of the federal government in their plans for the conduct of the present war; such funds, however, to be refunded to the proper appropriations from which they have been advanced upon their receipt from the federal government.

SECTION 2. Subject to the same limitations, similar powers are granted to the Board of Normal School Regents as are conferred upon the Regents of the State University by section 1 of this act.

SECTION 3. Subject to the same limitations, similar powers are granted to the Board of Trustees of Stout Institute as are conferred upon the Regents of the State University by section 1 of this act.

SECTION 4. (1) There is hereby appropriated to the State Board of Education from any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated an amount not to exceed ninety thousand dollars to be used for the construction of barracks at such of the state normal schools as may be necessary in order to properly house the students enrolled in the student army training corps; such barracks to be constructed in accordance with the plans approved by the United States Government, and on file in the State Department of Engineering.

(2) There is hereby appropriated to the State Board of Education from any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated an amount not to exceed fifty-five thousand dollars to be used for the construction and equipment of mess halls and barracks to be used for students enrolled in the student army training corps at the several normal schools and Stout Institute. Of this amount fifty thousand five hundred dollars is to be available only for the normal schools and four thousand five hundred dollars for Stout Institute.

(3) There is hereby appropriated to the State Board of Education from any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated an amount not to exceed fifty thousand dollars to be used as a revolving appropriation for the operation of mess halls and barracks at the University, the several normal schools and Stout Institute; this sum to be allotted in such manner as the State Board of Education deems proper.

(4) All moneys received by each and every person for or on account of subsistence or operating expenses of housing students enrolled in the student army training corps or similar work at the state university shall be paid within one week of receipt into the university fund income and are appropriated therefrom for the operation of mess halls and barracks at the University.

(5) All moneys received by each and every person for or on account of subsistence or operating expenses of housing students enrolled in the student army training corps or similar work at the several normal schools shall be paid within one week of receipt into the normal school fund income and are appropriated therefrom for the operation of mess halls and barracks at the several normal schools.

(6) All moneys received by each and every person for or on account of subsistence or operating expenses of housing students

enrolled in the student army training corps or similar work at Stout Institute shall be paid within one week of receipt into the general fund and are appropriated therefrom for the operation of mess halls and barracks at Stout Institute.

SECTION 5. All moneys received from the United States Government on account of contracts for student army training corps or similar work shall be treated as a repayment of moneys advanced by the state and shall not increase the several appropriations of the educational institutions with the exception of moneys received for the furnishing of subsistence and operating expenses of housing which are distinctly appropriated to the respective institutions in subsections 4, 5, and 6 of section 4 of this act.

SECTION 6. The Board of Regents of the State University, the Board of Normal School Regents, and the Board of Trustees of Stout Institute, shall file a monthly report with the State Board of Education giving such information concerning the receipts, expenditures, fees, tuitions, costs of subsistence, amounts due from the United States Government for student army training corps or similar work as the State Board of Education may require.

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 2

AN ACT authorizing counties, towns, cities and villages to invest funds in bonds or other securities of the United States.

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

SECTION 1. The county board of any county, the town board of any town, the city council of any city, whether organized under general or special charter, and the village board of any village may from time to time authorize and direct the treasurer of any such county, town, city or village to invest any of the funds of any such county, town, city or village in bonds or other securities of the United States.

SECTION 2. All investments heretofore made by any county,