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CHAPTER 102.

AN ACT to amend chapter [section] 1987, of the revised statutes of 1878, as amended by chapter 328, laws of 1889, relating to paid fire departments in cities.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1987, of the revised stat-Firedepart utes for 1878, as amended by chapter 328, of tion. the laws of 1889, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "families" where it occurs in the tenth line of said section as amended. the words "under and in accordance with such reasonable rules and regulations as may be adopted by such association and of paying to the representatives or beneficiaries of deceased members such sums of money as they may be entitled to receive in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of the association," so that said section, when amended, will read as Section 1987. The members of the paid fire department of any city now or hereafter organized, are constituted a body corporate in such city, under the name of the firemen's relief association of the city of for the purpose of giving relief to its sick and disabled members and their families, under and in accordance with such reasonable rules and regulations as may be adopted by such association, and of paying to the representatives or beneficiaries of deceased members such sums of money as they may be entitled to receive in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of the association, and in case any member of any such association shall cease to act with the fire department, of which he has been a member, he shall continue to enjoy all the advantages and benefits of the association so long as he complies with the rules, regula-

tions and by-laws of the same and pays his dues; and every such association shall have all the usual powers of a corporation necessary and proper for the purpose of its organization, and may take by gift, grant, purchase or otherwise, real and personal estate not exceeding fifty thousand dollars in value, and hold, enjoy, lease, convey and dispose of the same, subject to the by-laws and regulations of such corporation; and such property shall be devoted solely to the purposes of, and objects of such corporation.

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

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CHAPTER 103.

AN ACT to amend chapter 165, of the laws of 1889, entitled, "An act to regulate the election of supervisors in counties containing not less than one hundred thousand inhabitants."

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

Election of supervisors in counties of 100,000. SECTION 1. Section 1, of chapter 165, of the laws of 1889, is hereby amended by adding to the end of section 1, the following words: "Provided, however, that the supervisors elected in any odd-numbered year shall be elected for and hold their offices for the term of one year."

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

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