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CHAPTER 520.

AN ACT relating to the salaries of judges.

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

Salaries increased. SECTION 1. The judges of the circuit courts shall receive as salary, in addition to the amount now received, the sum of six hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly, out of the state treasury.

To whom payable. SECTION 2. The increase of salaries hereby provided for shall be paid only to the circuit judges of said courts for terms of office hereafter to commence.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 521.

AN ACT to provide for the termination and forfeiture of franchises in certain cases.

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

Must be exercised within four years. SECTION 1. All franchises heretofore granted by the legislature for the building and maintaining of a dam or dams across any navigable stream in this state which have not been exercised by the commencement in good faith of the work of building such dam or dams within four years from the date of the passage and publication of this act shall be forfeited and terminated.

Franchise, when forfeit. SECTION 2. All franchises hereafter granted by the legislature for the building and maintaining of a dam or dams across any navigable stream in this state which shall not be exercised by the commencement in good faith of the building and maintaining of such dam or dams within four years from the date of the passage and publication of the act granting such franchise shall be forfeited and terminate at the expiration of such period of four years.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 522.

AN ACT to provide for the use of the pocket ballot and coupon voting system and to amend section 45, statutes of 1898.

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

Ballots, how constructed. SECTION 1. All ballots hereafter used at any general election shall be of substantially the following form, to-wit: A ballot, comprising a sufficient number of contrastingly colored sheets, stapled or fastened together at the top, each sheet composed of the requisite number of individual coupons, bearing the names of all the candidates of a certain political party, each coupon shall bear the designation of the office and the name of the political party, and said coupons shall be consecutively numbered or lettered. Each sheet shall have an exposed portion where they are attached together, bearing respectively the names of the different political parties. And a folder or envelope, having designated spaces or pockets to receive and corresponding to the several individual coupons, and means for sealing said envelope or folder to enclose certain selected sheets or coupons; the coupons of each sheet shall be designated to correspond with coupons for the same office of each and every other sheet by the use of numbers or letters. And