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**CHAPTER 513.**

AN ACT to appropriate the sum of four hundred eighty-five dollars to J. W. Stone to reimburse him for money deposited in the state treasury on account of payment of fishing licenses on Lake Michigan, Lake Superior and Green Bay, collected by him under mistake of law, and to appropriate to him the sum of sixty dollars, to reimburse him for duplicate deposit of money in the state treasury.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four hundred eighty-five dollars to J. W. Stone, to reimburse him for money deposited in the state treasury on account of payment of fishing licenses on Lake Michigan, Lake Superior and Green Bay, collected by him under mistake of law.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of sixty dollars, to reimburse him for duplicate deposit in the state treasury.

SECTION 3. Provided that no money shall be paid under the provisions of section 1 and 2 of this act until the accounts of J. W. Stone as Fish and Game Warden have been fully audited by competent authority and it is found upon such audit that there is nothing due the state, or if any sum be found due that only the excess over the sum thus found due, shall be paid.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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**CHAPTER 514.**

AN ACT to submit to the people an amendment to section 10 of article 8 of the constitution, relating to internal improvement.

WHEREAS, At the biennial session of the legislature in the year 1907 an amendment to the constitution was proposed and agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses, which amendment was in the following language:

*“Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That section 10 of article VIII of the Constitution be amended by adding at the end of said section the following: ‘Provided that the state may appropriate moneys for the purpose of acquiring, preserving, and developing the water-power and the forests of the state; but there shall not be appropriated under the authority of this section in any one year an amount to exceed two-tenths of one mill of the taxable property of the state as determined by the last preceding state assessment.’”*

WHEREAS, The foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution was duly ratified and agreed to by the legislature at the biennial session in 1909, by a majority of all the members elected to each of the two houses, therefore,

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

SECTION 1. The foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution of this state shall be submitted to the people at a general election to be held on Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November, 1910, and if the people shall approve and ratify the said amendment by a majority of the electors voting thereon, said amendment shall become a part of the constitution of this state.

SECTION 2. The form of the ballot to be cast on the question of adopting or rejecting said amendment shall be “For the amendment providing for the appropriation of moneys for the purpose of acquiring, preserving, and developing the water-power and forests of the state.” Opposite said words shall be two spaces over one of which shall be printed the word “yes” and over one the word “no.” The voter may mark his ballot in the space under whichever of said words indicates his intention. The marks made shall be such as the law now provides for. Said form of ballot shall be printed upon the ballot to be voted at such election after the names of the candidates and separated therefrom by an appropriate line or rule. The votes cast on the adoption of said amendment shall be canvassed and returned in the same manner as other votes cast at such election, and the result shall be determined and published in the manner provided by law.

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

Approved June 16, 1909.