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## CHAPTER 260.

AN ACT to amend chapter 25 of the statutes of 1898 relating to the university, to provide for the custody of its funds by the state treasurer and the method of their disbursement upon the warrant of the secretary of state.

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

**Powers of board; officers.** SECTION 1. Section 379 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended by striking out the words "The state treasurer shall be the treasurer of the board and perform all the duties of such office" where they occur in the last sentence of said section, and by inserting instead thereof the following words: "It shall be the duty of the state treasurer to have the charge of all securities for loans and all moneys belonging to the university or in any wise appropriated by law to its endowment or support; to collect the interest on all securities held by him; to pay out moneys only upon the warrant of the secretary of state as provided by law; to keep the same and the accounts thereof separate and distinct from other public funds and particularly distinguish the accounts of every fund, according to the nature thereof, coming to his charge, whether created by law or by private bounty; and to discharge these and other appropriate functions relating thereto," so that said section as amended, shall read as follows: Section 379. The board of regents and their successors in office shall constitute a body corporate by the name of "the regents of the university of Wisconsin," and shall possess all the powers necessary or convenient to accomplish the objects and perform the duties prescribed by law, and shall have the custody of the books, records, buildings and all other property of said university. The board shall elect a president and a secretary, who shall perform such duties as may be prescribed by the by-laws of the board. The secretary shall keep a faithful record of all the transactions of the board and of the executive committee thereof. It shall be the duty of the state treasurer to have the charge of all securities for loans and all moneys belonging to the university or in any wise appropriated by law to its endowment or support; to collect the interest on all securities held by him; to pay out

moneys only upon the warrant of the secretary of state as provided by law; to keep the same and the accounts thereof separate and distinct from other public funds, and particularly distinguish the accounts of every fund, according to the nature thereof, coming to his charge, whether created by law or by private bounty; and to discharge these and other appropriate functions relating thereto subject to such regulations as the board may adopt not inconsistent with his official duties; and he and his sureties shall be liable on his official bond as state treasurer for the faithful discharge of such duties.

**Accounts, how made, etc.** SECTION 2. Section 383a of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 383a. All moneys which shall be derived to the university from gifts or other bounties, from fees of students in any form less any rebates allowed under authority of the board, from sales of farm products or any articles of personal property of whatever kind, from publications or advertisements in publications of the university, from fees for services rendered in any manner, from sales or rents of real property, or from any source whatever other than in cases by law required to be paid to the state treasurer, may be paid to the secretary of the board in all cases where the board shall authorize him to receive the same; and such secretary shall at least as often as once a week pay into the state treasury the entire amount of such receipts by him and shall on or before the tenth day of each calendar month deliver to the state treasurer an itemized account of such receipts during the preceding calendar month showing the amount of each sum so received by him, the date thereof, the person from whom received, for what received, and the particular fund or account to which the same belongs; save that the details of small receipts may be omitted and the account made summary in such cases and to such extent as the secretary of state shall prescribe by forms therefor; and shall verify the correctness thereof by his affidavit thereto appended; and a duplicate thereof he shall at the same time file with the secretary of state. Such account shall be made upon forms to be prepared and furnished by the secretary of state. The regents may require of their secretary such bond, in such sum and with such sureties as they shall think fit and its renewable when deemed desirable; and may prescribe regulations for the discharge of all such duties not inconsistent with law. The secretary of state shall audit and give his warrant on the state treasurer for all accounts certified to him by the board or its executive committee, in the manner herein provided. All salaries for instruc-

tional or administrative service, and also allowances to fellows and scholars, which have been fixed by the board, shall be certified at periodical intervals according to the laws of the board upon rolls showing the name of the person entitled to receive the same, the amount of his fixed annual salary or allowance and that the sum so certified is then due him according to the method of periodical payment established by the board; upon which certified roll the secretary of state shall issue his warrant to each person therein named for the amount so certified to be due to him. Payments to janitors, laborers and all other employes and also to all persons from whom milk and products for the dairy are purchased shall be made upon rolls showing the name of the party entitled, for what service or object, to what fund chargeable, and the amounts respectively due each; which shall be likewise certified to the secretary of state to be correct and due and he shall issue thereon his warrant for the amount due each person upon such roll to each such person. Every other claim or account shall state the nature and particulars of the service rendered or material furnished and be verified by the affidavit of the claimant or his agent and filed with the secretary of the regents, and a roll, showing the name of each such person, for what service or object, to what fund chargeable, and the amount allowed to and due him, shall be certified as aforesaid to the secretary of state; upon which he shall issue his warrant for the proper amount to the person entitled thereto. The board may enact laws to govern all such business not inconsistent with law; and all forms shall be prepared and furnished by the secretary of state. All warrants issued pursuant to this section shall be labeled "University Warrant" and numbered in consecutive order. All gifts, bounties, and moneys paid in and appropriations made by law for the university, its endowment, aid, or support, when received by the state treasurer shall be at once credited to the proper fund, and if received as part of the general fund shall be forthwith transferred by warrant to the proper university account, and shall all thenceforth be held solely for the respective uses to which the same is by law appropriated, and shall never be employed, diverted to, or paid out for any other use or purpose.

SECTION 3. Section 389 of the statutes of 1898 is amended by striking out the words "by transfer to the treasurer of said board" in the ninth line thereof.

**Conflicting laws repealed.** SECTION 4. All acts or provisions of law inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 261.

AN ACT making an appropriation to the Wisconsin Butter-makers' association.

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

**Annual appropriation.** SECTION 1. There is hereby annually appropriated to the Wisconsin Buttermakers' association out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five hundred dollars.

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

Approved May 14, 1903.