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CHAPTER 474.

AN ACT to amend section 693, statutes of 1898, as amended, relating to county depositories.

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

SECTION 1. Section 693, statutes of 1898, as amended by section 1, chapter 358, laws of 1903, is amended to read:

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

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CHAPTER 475.

AN ACT creating section 339 of the statutes, relating to the reprinting of session laws now out of print.

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

Section 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read:

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(In effect from and after date of publication.)

- 6. Fifteen hundred copies of the proceedings of the association of trustees and superintendent of county asylums of this state, five hundred copies to be bound in cloth and the remainder in pamphlet form; provided, that the whole number of printed pages shall not exceed two hundred and fifty, and the same shall be distributed by the president and secretary of such association.
- 7. * * Three thousand copies annually of the proceedings of the Wisconsin teachers' association, provided that the whole number of printed pages shall not exceed two hundred; and the same shall be distributed by the secretary of the said Wisconsin teachers' association.
- 8. Except as otherwise provided two thousand copies of each of said reports shall be bound separately in cloth, all others singly in paper.
- 9. Said commissioners may authorize the printing of halftone and other cuts in the bulletins and reports issued by authority of law from the state university and in such other documents as they deem proper. If the printing of these is not provided for in the contract with the state printer, the commissioners may fix the price thereof at the lowest current rates. They may also have made a reasonable number of cuts for illustrating such bulletins.
- 10. The commissioners of public printing shall in connection with the printing now done for the state board of agriculture, supply such secretary with the necessary blanks for such work, and cause to be published in pamphlet form, the reports issued by him; provided, that no more than five thousand copies of any single report shall be so published.

(Ch. 184, 1907.)

Laws out of print: republication from 1839. Section 339. 1. The secretary of state, under direction of the justices of the supreme court, is hereby authorized to cause to be republished six hundred copies of those general laws of the state of Wisconsin, the original editions of which are substantially exhausted, beginning with the year 1839.

Manner of printing; judicial effect. 2. The said laws shall be reprinted at the rate of about one volume annually in such manner as to substantially conform in size and appearance to the original volumes of the laws and to the volume of reprinted laws of the years 1836, 1837, and 1838. The laws

of two or more consecutive years may be reprinted and bound together in one volume as shall be determined by the said justices. The secretary of state shall annex to each volume his printed certificate stating that the laws published in said book have been compared with the laws of the years therein contained as the same appear in the printed laws for said years, and the same may be read and shall be received in all courts and places with the same effect as the printed laws for said years heretofore published.

Distribution; private sale. 3. The secretary of state shall deliver to the judges of the supreme, circuit, and county courts, to the clerks of the circuit courts and to the governor, secretary of state, attorney general and other state officers such volumes of the laws reprinted as may be necessary to make their official sets complete, and the officers so receiving them shall deliver them to their successors in office. Seventy-five copies thereof shall be delivered to the state library, sixty copies to the state historical society, as trustees of the state, and ten copies to the university law library, and the balance shall be delivered to the superintendent of public property, who may dispose of them at private sale at such price per volume as may be fixed by the justices of the supreme court, the proceeds thereof to be paid into the state treasury; provided, however, that not more than one copy shall be sold to any one person for one year after the same shall have been placed in the custody of the secretary of state.

(Ch. 475, 1907.)

Supreme court: reporter's assistant; salary. Section 346. The supreme court shall from time to time appoint, subject to removal, a competent person to report and publish such decisions and opinions of said court as they may deem important and expedient to be reported and published. Such reporter, before he enters upon the duties of his office, shall execute a bond with two sufficient sureties to the state of Wisconsin in the sum of two thousand dollars, to be approved by the secretary of state, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as such reporter. The justices of said court may appoint an assistant to the supreme court reporter. The persons so appointed shall receive such compensation as said justices shall deem reasonable, not exceeding, for said assistant, two thousand dollars per year. Said appointments shall be