

for his maintenance shall be made against any county; if so admitted to any other public institution for the insane, *if not indigent*, * * * the trustees thereof shall, in like manner, fix the compensation to be paid for such maintenance and the times of payment thereof, and no part thereof shall be paid by the state. Otherwise *all voluntary patients* * * * shall have the same standing and be subject to the same laws, rules and regulations as *insane persons*, * * * except that *they* * * * shall have the right to leave such hospital at any time if in the judgment of the superintendent *they are* * * * in fit condition, on giving five days' notice to the superintendent of *their* * * * desire to do so.

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

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CHAPTER 527.

AN ACT to amend section 1498—1, and to repeal subsection 2, of section 1498s—1, of the statutes, and to repeal chapter 419, of the laws of 1909, appropriating certain moneys derived from fishing licenses to the commissioners of fisheries.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1498—1 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1498—1. 1. All moneys sent to the state treasurer in payment of hunting and fishing licenses, *except as provided in sections 1498v and 1498w of the statutes*, and all moneys sent to the state treasurer by any game warden as the proceeds of any sale of confiscated fish or game shall be * * * *turned into and become a part of the general fund, and all moneys now in the state treasury credited to the hunting license fund, shall be turned into and become a part of the general fund.*

2. *The appropriations heretofore made for maintaining a fish and game department shall not in any fiscal year exceed the amount paid into the state treasury in payment of hunting and fishing licenses and as the proceeds of the sale of confiscated fish and game.*

3. *There is annually appropriated to the state commissioners of fisheries, out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of sixty thousand dollars annually for the maintaining and operating of state fish hatcheries.*

(Am. 1911, ch. 664, s. 311.)

4. *There is appropriated to the state commissioners of fisheries, out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting and equipping two fish hatcheries on or near the shores of Lake Michigan, one-half of which shall be available during the fiscal year commencing July first, 1911, and one-half of which shall be available during the fiscal year commencing July first, 1912.*

5. *There is appropriated to the state commissioners of fisheries, out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand dollars for making repairs and improvements on the state fish hatcheries, one-half of which sum shall be available during the fiscal year, commencing July first, 1911, and one-half of which shall be available during the fiscal year commencing July first, 1912.*

6. *Any of the moneys so appropriated to the commissioners of fisheries, not used in any one year, shall be available for use the following or subsequent years.*

7. *The commissioners of fisheries are authorized, if the funds in their hands are sufficient, to construct a cottage for the foreman of the state hatchery at Delafield.*

SECTION 2. Chapter 419, of the laws of 1909, and subsection 2, of section 1498s—1, of the statutes, are hereby repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 528.

AN ACT to create section 1862h of the statutes, providing for the forfeiture of street railway companies' franchises and permits.

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: Section 1862h. 1. When any street railway company shall fail, for a period of five years, to operate its cars for regular passenger service over any street in any city, village, or town, upon which a franchise or permit shall have been granted it, the common council of such city, the village board of such village, or the board of supervisors of such town, may by a two-thirds vote declare such franchise or permit forfeited as to the street or portion thereof so neglected; provided that tracks upon any street, not exceeding two blocks, used for switching and emer-