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CHAPTER 479.

AN ACT to repeal subdivision (b) of subsection 1 and subsection 2 of section 11—21, to amend subdivisions (a) and (c) of subsection 1 and subsection 5 of section 11—21, and to create a new subsection to be numbered subsection 2 of section 11—21 of the statutes, relating to party committeemen in counties containing a city of the first class.

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

SECTION 1. Subdivision (b) of subsection 1 and subsection 2 of section 11—21 of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 2. Subdivisions (a) and (c) of subsection 1 and subsection 5 of section 11—21 are amended to read: (Section 11—21. 1.) (a) At the September primary each voter, *except in counties containing a city of the first class*, may write in the space left on his ticket for that purpose the name of not to exceed one qualified elector of the precinct for his party precinct * * * *committeeman*. The person having the highest number of votes shall constitute such * * * *committeeman*.

(c) The official return made by the inspectors shall show the name and address of each *ward and party committeeman* chosen.

(Section 11—21) 5. The city committee of each political party shall consist of the several precinct *and ward* * * * *committeemen* in such city. It shall be the duty of the chairman of each party county committee to call, within ten days after the September primary, a meeting of such members of the city committee at a place to be designated by him. They shall at such meeting elect a chairman and such other officers as they shall deem necessary. The chairman of the precinct committees now in existence in any city shall constitute the city committee thereof, and it shall be the duty of the chairman of each party county committee to call a meeting of said chairmen at least sixty days prior to the next ensuing municipal election for the purpose of organization as aforesaid.

SECTION 3. There is added to section 11—21 of the statutes a new subsection to be numbered and to read: (Section 11—21) 2. In counties containing a city of the first class there shall be elected at the September primary one committeeman for each political party from each ward, town and village. Such committeemen shall be nominated by nomination papers to be signed by not less than three per cent and not more than ten per cent of the party vote for governor at the last preceding election in

such ward, town or village. Nomination papers shall be in substantially the same form as provided in section 11—5 of the statutes and shall be filed with the county clerk at least thirty days before the primary. The county clerk shall arrange the names of candidates for such committeemen, as provided in section 11—10 of the statutes, and place the names so arranged in the proper party column as candidates for such ward, town and village committeemen. Such committeemen shall constitute the county committee of the respective parties.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 480.

AN ACT to amend section 553 l—1 of the statutes, relating to the salaries to be paid to instructors of special branches in high schools.

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

SECTION 1. Section 553 l—1 of the statutes is amended to read as follows: Section 553 l—1. No state aid shall be granted to any school for instruction given in agriculture, domestic economy, manual training or industrial branches, unless the salary paid to every teacher instructing in such subjects be at least at the rate of sixty dollars per month; *provided, that no school district, offering instruction in such special branches shall be deprived of its right to share in the apportionment of state aid, that employs persons at a less salary per month to assist the legally qualified teachers in conducting such special work.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 481.

AN ACT to repeal subsection 1 of section 172—23 and to amend subsections 2 and 3 of section 172—23 of the statutes, making appropriations for the free library commission.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection 1 of section 172—23 of the statutes is repealed.