

from the 3 dominant political parties as shown by the returns of the last preceding general election in such precincts, and such ballot clerks shall be chosen from the 2 dominant *political* parties as shown by the returns of the last preceding general election in such precinct * * *.

(7) If any person holding the position of inspector or ballot clerk of election shall in the *opinion* or judgment of the board of election commissioners be found not to possess the qualifications prescribed in this section, or if any inspector or ballot clerk in the judgment of said board of election commissioners shall be guilty of neglecting the duties of his office, or of any official misconduct, then such inspector or ballot clerk shall be summarily removed from office by said board, and the vacancy immediately filled by the appointment of a person having qualifications required by law.

SECTION 2. Subsection (8) of section 10.04 of the statutes is created to read:

(10.04) (8) In case of the failure of the committeemen to furnish the list as provided in subsection (1) of section 10.04 on or before December 1, 1941, and on the same day biennially thereafter the board of election commissioners shall make said appointments.

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CHAPTER 166.

AN ACT to amend 16.17 (2) of the statutes, relating to the civil service status of employes engaged in the federal agencies. *The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Subsection (2) of section 16.17 of the statutes is amended to read:

(16.17) (2) The term of eligibility of applicants on original entrance and promotional lists shall be 6 months; but such term may be extended by the board after consideration of the recommendation of the director. The eligibility of individuals on reinstatement lists may be extended in like manner. But * * * *such* eligibility *may not* be extended for a period of

more than 3 years, except for such classified employes who have been transferred by a department head or officer to a federal agency or department which is administered in cooperation with the state provided that no reinstatement for any such employe shall be extended beyond or after January 1, 1942.

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

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CHAPTER 167.

AN ACT to create 188.15 of the statutes, relating to corporate powers of the Marine Corps League and affiliates.

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

SECTION 1. Section 188.15 of the statutes is created to read:

188.15 CORPORATE POWERS OF MARINE CORPS LEAGUE AND AFFILIATES. (1) Any detachment or state department of the Marine Corps League, organized and existing in this state pursuant to the acts of congress passed August 4, 1937, and the acts amendatory thereto, and any unit of the auxiliary of the Marine Corps League organized in this state and recognized by the local detachment, shall have full corporate power to transact business in this state, to take over the assets and liabilities of the existing detachments, units or departments, upon filing with the secretary of state a statement of its intent so to do and a full and complete list of its duly elected officers, and shall by so doing become a body corporate. Each such detachment, department, unit, their affiliated organizations or auxiliaries, shall during each succeeding year of its existence file with the secretary of state on or before January 1 of each succeeding year thereafter, a correct list of its duly elected officers. No filing fee shall be charged by the secretary of state for so doing.

(2) All acts done by any department, detachment, unit, their auxiliaries or affiliated organizations so incorporated, or its constituted authorities, shall be considered acts of said department, detachment, unit, their auxiliaries or affiliated organizations, as a body corporate, and no personal liability shall be attached to any member therefor.