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CHAPTER 449.

- AN ACT to amend chapter 295, laws of 1941, section 1, relating to the examination and commitment of persons who are insane either at the time of the commission of an offense or at the time of trial by judges of district courts which are courts of record.
- The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Chapter 295, laws of 1941, section 1, is amended to read:

(Chapter 295, laws of 1941) Section 1. There is conferred upon the judge of the district court in any county having a district court which is a court of record, all of the powers with respect to the examination of persons alleged to be insane either at the time of the commission of an offense properly within the jurisdiction of said district court or at the time of trial thereof, as provided by sections 357.11 and 357.13 of the statutes, except that persons charged merely with the violation of local ordinances and found insane shall be committed * * * as provided by section 51.05 of the statutes.

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CHAPTER 450.

AN ACT to amend the introductory paragraph of section 60, chapter 423, laws of 1923, relating to the firemen's annuity and benefit fund of Milwaukee, and the period of service required for retirement of firemen in said city.

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

The introductory paragraph of section 60, chapter 423, laws of 1923 is amended to read:

(Chapter 423, Laws of 1923) Section 60 (Introductory paragraph) Notwithstanding the provisions of any other subsection of this section, any present employe who shall have been a member of the fire department of such city on December 31 of the

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year before the year in which this section shall come into effect in such city, who shall resign or be discharged from the service (either before or after he shall have become 50 years of age) after he shall have completed 22 or more years of service and for whom the amount of annuity provided in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this section shall be less than 50 per cent of his salary as such salary shall be at the time of his resignation or discharge from the service, shall receive annuity from and after the date of such resignation or discharge of an amount equal to 50 per cent of his salary as it shall be at the time of such resignation or discharge; and provided that any employe who shall have become a member of the fire department of such city on or after January 1, 1924, who shall resign or be discharged from the service after he shall have completed 25 or more years of service and for whom the amount of annuity provided in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this section shall be less than 50 per cent of his salary as such salary shall be at the time of his resignation or discharge from the service, shall receive annuity from and after the date of such resignation or discharge of an amount equal to 50 per cent of his salary as it shall be at the time of such resignation or discharge; and provided further, if any present employe while engaged in the performance of his duties be injured or disabled from any cause, or if any such present employe after 10 years of service shall be injured or disabled from any cause whatever, the said retirement board shall order such present employe to be examined by a duly licensed physician appointed by said board, and if such present employe is found upon such examination to be physically or mentally permanently disabled so as to render necessary his retirement from service in such department the said board shall retire said member from service, upon such retirement (and for whom the amount of annuity provided in accordance with the foregoing provision of this section shall be less than 50 per cent of his salary at the date of injury or disability) such member shall receive annuity of an amount equal to 50 per cent of his salary as it shall be at the date of his injury or disability, or if any such member disabled to the extent aforesaid under the conditions aforesaid be thereafter discharged, such discharged person shall receive annuity according to the above provisions.

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