(b) The consent of the child to be adopted or of any of the petitioners shall be in such manner as directed by the court.

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CHAPTER 329.

AN ACT to repeal and recreate 67.04 (4) (Introductory paragraph) and to create 67.04 (4) (a) of the statutes, relating to the issue of bonds by villages.

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

Section 1. 67.04 (4) (Introductory paragraph) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

67.04 (4) (Introductory paragraph) Villages shall not borrow money or issue bonds for any purpose except only for the following purposes and subject to the general limitation of amounts prescribed by section 67.03.

SECTION 2. 67.04 (4) (a) of the statutes is created to read:

67.04 (4) (a) For any purposes for which a city having a population of less than 500,000 is authorized to issue bonds pursuant to subsection (2), under the circumstances and subject to the limitations therein expressed, and except that the word "city" as used in subsection (2) shall be deemed to include the word "village" for the purposes of this paragraph.

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CHAPTER 330.

AN ACT to create 220.08 (14a) of the statutes, relating to limitations on claims against delinquent banks.

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

220.08 (14a) of the statutes is created to read:

220.08 (14a) (a) Any claims referred to in subsections (13) and (14) not presented within 6 years from the time of an order of final distribution made in the liquidation of any bank or seg-

regated trust shall be deemed to have been abandoned and shall be barred and the amount of the fund against which any claim or claims shall have become barred shall forthwith become the property of the state. The state treasurer shall in the 30-day period preceding the end of each fiscal year ascertain from the banking commission the amount in said fund against which claims shall have become barred during said fiscal year and shall transfer said amount to the general fund.

(b) This subsection shall be applicable to any amounts in said fund on its effective date as well as to any amounts placed in it subsequent thereto, provided, however, that where an order of final distribution was made in the liquidation of any bank or segregated trust 5 years or more prior to the effective date of this subsection (1945), the time for presenting claims against said fund shall not expire until one year from its effective date.

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CHAPTER 331.

AN ACT to repeal 361.24 and to amend 361.23 of the statutes, relating to security for witnesses' appearance on trial of criminal proceedings.

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

Section 1. 361.23 of the statutes is amended to read:

361.23 If the magistrate shall be satisfied that there is good cause to believe that any such witness will not perform the conditions of his recognizance unless other security be given, such magistrate may order the witness to enter into a recognizance with such sureties * * * and in such sum as the magistrate shall determine to be fair and reasonable in view of the nature of the offense committed by the prisoner and the probability that the witness may escape or flee or otherwise be prevented from appearing and testifying at the next court having cognizance of the offense in which the prisoner shall be held to answer.

Section 2. 361.24 of the statutes is repealed.

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