

and other household furniture shall not exceed in value two hundred dollars, and also growing crops.

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

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## CHAPTER 293.

AN ACT, relating to public libraries, and amendatory of chapter 41, of the statutes of 1898, and creating a new section to be known as section 936a.

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

**Disposition of gifts, bequests, etc.; treasurer or financial secretary, bond.** SECTION 1. In all cases where any gift, bequest, devise or endowment shall have been or shall be made to any public library, organized under section 931 of the statutes of 1898, the library board of such library may pay or transfer such gift, bequest or endowment, or the proceeds thereof, to the treasurer of the city, village or town in which such library is situated, or may in the same manner pay or transfer such gift, bequest or endowment to any member of such board to be elected by them and thereafter to be known as financial secretary. Such financial secretary shall hold his office only during his membership of such library board, and shall be elected annually at the same time and in the same manner as the other officers of the library board. In all cases of any such treasurer or financial secretary holding any moneys or property whatever belonging to such library, such library board shall require a bond from such treasurer or financial secretary to the library board in such sum, not less than double the amount of such money or property so held by him, and with such sureties, as the said library board shall require and approve. Such bond shall be conditioned in substantially the same form as the ordinary bond required from the treasurer of such city, village or

town, with the necessary verbal changes to make the same applicable to the moneys and property so held by him.

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

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## CHAPTER 294.

AN ACT, to prevent conflict of dates of agricultural fairs, that receive specific or fixed appropriations from the state.

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

**No state aid to fairs, held during state fair.** SECTION 1. Any agricultural fair association of the state of Wisconsin, receiving from the state a specific or fixed appropriation, in aid of its fair, that shall hold its annual fair during the same week as the Wisconsin state fair, provided the Wisconsin state board of agriculture shall have fixed and published the dates of such state fair on or before January 20th of such year, shall forfeit its appropriation from the state for such year.

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

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