

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 304.

AN ACT authorizing the erection of monuments in the National Park at Vicksburg, Mississippi, in accordance with the recommendations of the commission heretofore appointed and appropriating a sum of money to carry out the provisions of this act.

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

**Commission; who may be appointed; expenses.** SECTION 1. The governor of the state of Wisconsin is hereby authorized to appoint a commission on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1903, consisting of three members, all of whom shall have participated in the siege and capture of Vicksburg, one of such number of whom shall have been under General Sherman's command on the right, one of such number of whom was in that part of the army that occupied the center of the line, and one of such number of whom was in the left wing of the army so engaged in the siege and capture of Vicksburg. The duties of said commission shall be to select and have erected monuments upon the positions occupied by Wisconsin troops on the siege line of Vicksburg and at such other positions adjacent thereto as such commission shall select. The said commission thus appointed shall serve without compensation, provided, however, that the expenses and necessary disbursements incurred by said commission in the performance of their duties as such commissioners shall be paid, upon presentation to the secretary of state of proper vouchers, out of any moneys hereafter appropriated by the provisions of this act.

**\$30,000 appropriated.** SECTION 2. For the purposes of erecting suitable monuments upon the grounds occupied by the several regiments and batteries of Wisconsin troops that par-

ticipated in the siege and capture of Vicksburg, now a national park, and in commemoration of the valor of the Wisconsin troops engaged in said siege and capture from the nineteenth of May to the fourth of July, 1863, or at such other points adjacent thereto as said commission shall select, and to defray the expenses of said commission heretofore referred to, there is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

**Report.** SECTION 3. The commission to be thus appointed shall report in writing to the governor upon the thirty-first day of December of each year and shall make a final report covering the entire work done, upon the completion of their labors.

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## CHAPTER 305.

AN ACT amendatory of section 7 of chapter 301 of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1899, entitled "An act amending chapter 107 of the Wisconsin statutes of 1898, relating to marriages."

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

**Fee for authorizing marriage without license.** SECTION 1. Section 7 of chapter 301, of the laws of 1899, is hereby amended by adding to the end of said section the following: "The judge or court making such order shall not receive any compensation therefor from the county, except that where the order is made by a county judge or a county court, the judge may charge the party applying for such order the sum of two dollars," so that said section when so amended shall read as follows: Section 7. Upon application of either of the parties to a proposed marriage, any county judge, court of record or presiding judge thereof, in his discretion, by order may au-