

No. 903, A.]

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CHAPTER 367.

AN ACT to amend section 925—98 of the statutes, relating to water works in cities under general law.

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

SECTION 1. Section 925—98 of the statutes, is amended to read: Section 925—98. When cities own the water works or lighting works the water rates or charges for lighting shall be collected by the treasurer and be first devoted to the expense of maintaining and operating the works, paying the principal and interest of any indebtedness created in the construction *or purchase* thereof, and the balance, if any, shall be paid into the general fund. The common council of every city which shall construct or own and operate lighting works *or water works* to supply the city and its inhabitants with light *or water* may, by ordinance, fix the rates to be charged for light *or water* furnished the inhabitants thereof, and provide for the collection of the same either quarterly or semi-annually in advance or otherwise provided, such rates, shall be uniform for like services in all parts of the city. The provisions of the next following section shall apply to the listing and collection of unpaid rates or charges for light *or water* so furnished, so far as they are applicable.

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

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No. 760, A.]

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CHAPTER 368.

AN ACT to repeal chapter 295 of the laws of 1905, relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal court for Lincoln county.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 295 of the laws of 1905 is repealed.

SECTION 2. All actions, proceedings and matters pending in the superior court of Lincoln county, Wisconsin, or before the judge thereof, within the additional jurisdiction of said court conferred by said chapter 295 shall be, by this act, transferred at the date this act becomes of effect to the circuit

court for said Lincoln county, and the said actions, proceedings and matters shall be thereafter considered in said court the same as other actions, proceedings and matters regularly pending in said circuit court.

SECTION 3. After this act shall take effect the circuit court of Lincoln county and the judge and clerk thereof shall have the same jurisdiction, power and authority over all actions, proceedings, judgments, orders, records and files in said superior court as if the same were in said circuit court.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first Monday in May, 1911.

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CHAPTER 369.

AN ACT to amend section 16 of chapter 459, laws of 1907, relating to school boards and common and high schools in cities of the first class.

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

SECTION 1. Section 16 of chapter 459, laws of 1907, is amended to read: Section 16. 1. The said board shall report to the common council of each city under this act, at or before the first meeting of the council in September in each year, the amount of money required for the next fiscal year for the support of all public schools in said city including high schools, and it shall be the duty of said common council to levy and collect a tax upon all the property subject to taxation in said city, at the same time and in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected by law, which, together with the other funds provided by law, and placed at the disposal of said city for the same purpose, shall be equal to the amount of money so required by the said board of school directors for school purposes, as provided in this act; the said board shall also report to the common council, at the same time as above, the amount of money required for the next fiscal year for the repair and keeping in order of school buildings, fixtures, * * * and the repair of broken or worn out furniture, the making of material betterments to school property and the purchase of the necessary additions to school sites, in accordance with the provisions of this act, and it shall be the duty of the said common council to levy and