

ceeds thereof shall be paid into the general fund and credited back to this appropriation.

SECTION 2. Any unexpended balance remaining on July 1, 1917, in the appropriations made by subsection (1) of section 20.22, subsection (1) of section 20.09, subsections (1), (3) and (4) of section 20.10 and section 20.64 of the statutes, shall revert to the general fund.

SECTION 3. Of the balance remaining in the appropriation made by subsection (1) of section 20.21, on July 1, 1917, any amount in excess of the amount needed for printing ordered prior to such date, shall revert to the general fund.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon July 1, 1917.

Approved July 6, 1917.

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CHAPTER 588

AN ACT to create subsection 24 of section 670 of the statutes, relating to special powers of county boards, so as to authorize counties having a population of two hundred and fifty thousand or more to erect, establish and maintain isolation hospitals.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. A new subsection is added to section 670 of the statutes to read: (Section 670) 24. In counties having a population of two hundred and fifty thousand or more to erect, establish and maintain isolation hospitals or places for the care and treatment of all persons afflicted with infectious, contagious and communicable diseases, requiring isolation and quarantine under the laws of the state, who shall be inmates of the charitable, penal, correctional and other institutions of said county or who are required to be cared for and treated at the expense of said county; also to provide for the care and treatment therein of all persons so afflicted, who are required to be cared for by the various towns, cities, villages in said counties, under such terms, conditions, rules and regulations, as to apportionment of cost of erection of such buildings and places and the expense of care and treatment of such persons afflicted, as may be agreed upon between the county board of supervisors and the common council of such cities and the boards of such villages and towns, and each of such councils and boards are hereby vested with power and authority to enter into such contracts and to appropriate such funds as may be necessary to carry into execution all contracts so made. All isolation hospitals and other places, when

so erected or established, shall be conducted under the control and management of the county board of administration of such counties wherein such board of administration has been established in the same manner and to the same extent as institutions now under the control of such boards are controlled and managed.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 589

AN ACT to amend subsections 1, 2, 5 and 6 and to create subsection 6a of section 573f of the statutes, relating to dependent children.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subsections 1, 2, 5 and 6 of section 573f of the statutes are amended to read: (Section 573f) 1. If any person shall have knowledge that any child is dependent upon the public for proper support * * * or that the interest of the public requires that such child be granted aid, such person may bring any such fact to the notice of a judge of a juvenile court or of a county court of the county in which such child resides.

2. The said judge may make or cause to be made such investigation and examination before the granting of aid for such child as he may deem necessary. *To assist in making investigations and examinations the judge of the juvenile court or of the county court may on July 1, 1917, appoint a board of child welfare for his county to consist of three members, who shall hold office at the pleasure of the judge making the appointment. No salary or wages shall be paid to the members of said committee but they shall be reimbursed their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties, such expenses to be approved by the appointing judge and to be audited and paid by the county as other claims against such county are audited and paid. Such board shall advise and consult with the judge regarding the best method of investigating cases under the provisions of this section; establish a basis of household expenses to compute the amount of aid to be extended to needy families; help needy mothers to expend aid granted economically, and advise them how to keep accounts of expenses; recommend discontinuance and reductions in aid and generally to act, consult and confer with each other and the court relative to any and all*