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board may from time to time prescribe. It shall be under the care of a superintendent, who shall be elected by such board at * * * *an* annual meeting thereof, and hold his office for * * * *two* years from the first Monday of January following his election, unless sooner removed by such board for incompetency, improper conduct or other cause. His duties shall be prescribed and his salary fixed by such board at such meeting, except that when any workhouse is completed before the annual meeting of the county board such superintendent may be chosen for the period intervening between the time of its completion and the next annual meeting at any meeting of the board, and his salary be then fixed. Such superintendent shall, before entering upon his duties, execute to the county a bond in such sum and with such sureties as shall be directed by the county board, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties and that he will account for all moneys which shall come into his hands as superintendent. At each annual meeting of the board of any county which has established and maintains a workhouse, the chairman thereof shall appoint three members who shall be the committee on workhouse, and who shall, not less than once every sixty days, inspect such workhouse and its management, and report at each session of the board concerning the same, and recommend such rules and regulations as they may deem proper for the government thereof. If a vacancy occurs in the office of superintendent it shall be filled by such committee until the next session of the county board, and may be by them approved, in which case the appointee shall hold for the unexpired portion of the term. The county board may allow the committee on workhouse such compensation as they may determine.

Section 697h. Such workhouse shall be under the care and management of a superintendent, who shall be elected * * * by the commission hereinbefore provided for; his term of office shall commence on the first Monday of January next after his election, and continue for * * * *two* years unless sooner terminated by removal by such commission for incompetency, improper conduct or other cause satisfactory to the same. A vacancy occurring from any cause may be filled by the commission for the residue of the term, and the compensation of the superintendent shall be fixed by them. Said superintendent shall, before entering upon his duties, execute to such counties a bond in such sum as the commission shall direct, with sureties to be approved by them, conditioned for the faithful execution of the duties of his office and compliance by him with all such

regulations, rules and by-laws as shall be prescribed by the commission for the government, management and discipline of the workhouse under his charge and of the persons who may be confined therein. The superintendent shall appoint and be responsible for the acts of all necessary assistants, but the commission may fix their number and the duties and compensation of each. The compensation of the superintendent and his assistants shall be paid upon orders issued by the chairman of the commission out of a fund previously created, at such times as the commission shall direct, and out of the several county treasuries in the proportion hereinafter prescribed.

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

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No. 240, A.]

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CHAPTER 121

AN ACT to detach certain territory from the town of Hawkins, Rusk county, and to create the town of South Fork, to detach certain territory from said town of Hawkins and attach the same to the town of Lawrence, to detach certain territory from the towns of Hawkins and True and to create the town of Richland, to provide for town meetings therein, and for a final settlement between said towns.

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

SECTION 1. Township thirty-six north, range three west is detached from the town of Hawkins, Rusk county, and is created and constituted as a separate town to be known and designated as the town of South Fork.

SECTION 2. Sections five, six, seven, eight, seventeen and eighteen of township thirty-four north, range three west are detached from the town of Hawkins in said county and attached to and constituted a part of the town of Lawrence in said county.

SECTION 3. Sections twenty-one to twenty-eight, inclusive, and sections thirty-three to thirty-six, inclusive, of township thirty-four north, range three west are detached from the town of Lawrence in said county and attached to and constituted a part of the town of Hawkins in said county.

SECTION 4. Sections five, six, seven, eight, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one and thirty-two of township thirty-five north, range three west are detached from the town of Hawkins in said county and sections one, two,

eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, thirty-five and thirty-six, of township thirty-five north, range four west, excepting such parts thereof within the corporate limits of the village of Ingram, are detached from the town of True in said county; and such territory detached from the towns of Hawkins and True, is created and constituted as a separate town to be known and designated as the town of Richland.

SECTION 5. 1. The first town meeting of the town of South Fork shall be held at the schoolhouse located on section twenty-two of township thirty-six north, range three west, on the first Tuesday in May, 1917; and the qualified electors of such town shall, by ballot, elect town officers for their town, and exercise all other powers and make such provisions for the town government of such town as are now authorized by statute to be exercised and made at the annual town meeting of any town.

2. For the purpose of the election hereinbefore provided, the qualified electors of the said town of South Fork, assembled at the place aforesaid, shall, between the hours of nine and eleven o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, choose three of their number to act as inspectors of said election and one as clerk, and such inspectors and clerk shall, before entering upon their respective duties, severally take the usual oath of office and file the same with their returns. The inspectors shall canvass and return the votes cast at such election in all respects as provided by law for inspectors at annual town meetings.

3. Notice of such town meeting shall be given by the posting of a copy of this act in at least six public places in said town of South Fork, at least five days before the time of holding such meeting, which notice may be posted in such town by any qualified elector thereof, who shall make a proper affidavit of such posting and file the same on the day of said first town meeting with the inspectors chosen to conduct such meeting.

4. When such town meeting of the town of South Fork shall have been held as herein provided, and the town officers as required by law duly elected the said town of South Fork shall be deemed to be, and shall be duly organized, and shall possess all the rights, powers, and liabilities of other towns in this state.

SECTION 6. 1. The first town meeting of said town of Richland shall be held at the schoolhouse in the village of Ingram on the first Tuesday in May, 1917; and the qualified electors of such town shall, by ballot, elect town officers for their town, and exercise all other powers and make such provisions for the town government of such town as are now authorized by statute to

be exercised and made at the annual town meeting of any town.

2. For the purpose of the election hereinbefore provided, the qualified electors of the said town of Richland, assembled at the place aforesaid, shall, between the hours of nine and eleven o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, choose three of their number to act as inspectors of said election and one as clerk, and such inspectors and clerk shall, before entering upon their respective duties, severally take the usual oath of office and file the same with their returns. The inspectors shall canvass and return the votes cast at such election in all respects as provided by law for inspectors at annual town meetings.

3. Notice of such town meeting shall be given by the posting of a copy of this act in at least six public places in said town of Richland, at least five days before the time of holding such meeting, which notice may be posted in such town by any qualified elector thereof, who shall make a proper affidavit of such posting and file the same on the day of said first town meeting with the inspectors chosen to conduct such meeting.

4. When such town meeting of the town of Richland shall have been duly held as herein provided, and the town officers as required by law duly elected the said town of Richland shall be deemed to be, and shall be duly organized, and shall possess all the rights, powers, and liabilities of other towns in this state.

SECTION 7. The assets and liabilities of the said town of Hawkins, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, shall be apportioned to the said town of South Fork pro rata in such proportion as the valuation of all taxable property detached from said town of Hawkins and created and constituted as the town of Lawrence, bears to the whole of the assessed valuation of the said town of Hawkins, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, according to the assessment roll for the year A. D. 1916.

SECTION 8. The assets and liabilities of the said town of Hawkins, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, shall be apportioned to the said town of Lawrence pro rata in such proportion as the valuation of all taxable property detached from said town of Hawkins and attached to the town of Lawrence, bears to the whole of the assessed valuation of the said town of Hawkins, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, according to the assessment roll for the year A. D. 1916.

SECTION 9. The assets and liabilities of the said town of Lawrence, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, shall be apportioned to the said town of

Hawkins pro rata in such proportion as the valuation of all taxable property detached from the said town of Lawrence and attached to the said town Hawkins, bears to the whole of the assessed valuation of the said town of Lawrence, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, according to the assessment roll for the year A. D. 1916.

SECTION 10. The assets and liabilities of the town of Hawkins, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, shall be apportioned to the said town of Richland pro rata in such proportion as the valuation of all taxable property detached from the said town of Hawkins and created and constituted a part of the town of Richland, bears to the whole of the assessed valuation of the said town of Hawkins, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, according to the assessment roll for the year A. D. 1916.

SECTION 11. The assets and liabilities of the said town of True, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, shall be apportioned to the said town of Richland pro rata in such proportion as the valuation of all taxable property detached from said town of True and created and constituted a part of the town of Richland, bears to the whole of the assessed valuation of the said town of True, as constituted immediately preceding the passage and publication of this act, according to the assessment roll for the year A. D. 1916.

SECTION 12. The supervisors of the town of Hawkins and the supervisors of the town of South Fork shall on the twenty-second day of May, 1917, meet at the town hall of the town of Hawkins, for the purpose of making a settlement between the said two towns, according to the provisions of this act; and at such meeting or at any subsequent or adjourned meeting held by said town boards of supervisors, any three of the supervisors shall have full power and authority to send for any persons, books, papers and records necessarily involved in the settlement between said two towns. The town clerk of the town of Hawkins shall be and act as clerk of such joint meeting, and the town clerk of the town of South Fork shall be present and assist; sufficient duplicates or copies of all proceedings had shall be made in order that each town may have at least one for the use and information of the town clerk and town board of supervisors thereof. Each town shall be chargeable with the expense and for the services and per diem of its own officers only.

SECTION 13. The supervisors of the town of Hawkins and the supervisors of the town of Lawrence shall on the eighth day

of May, 1917, meet at the town hall of the town of Hawkins, for the purpose of making a settlement between the said two towns, according to the provisions of this act; and at such meeting or at any subsequent or adjourned meeting held by said town boards of supervisors, any three of the supervisors shall have full power and authority to send for any persons, books, papers and records necessarily involved in the settlement between said two towns. The town clerk of the town of Hawkins shall be and act as clerk of such joint meeting, and the town clerk of the town of Lawrence shall be present and assist; sufficient duplicates or copies of all proceedings had shall be made in order that each town may have at least one for the use and information of the town clerk and town board of supervisors thereof. Each town shall be chargeable with the expense and for the services and per diem of its own officers only.

SECTION 14. The supervisors of the town of True and the supervisors of the town of Richland shall on the eighth day of May, 1917, meet at the office of the town clerk of the town of True, for the purpose of making settlement between said two towns, according to the provisions of this act; and at such meeting or at any subsequent or adjourned meeting held by said town boards of supervisors, any three of the supervisors shall have full power and authority to send for any persons, books, papers and records necessarily involved in the settlement between said two towns. The town clerk of the town of True shall be and act as clerk of such joint meeting, and the town clerk of the town of Richland shall be present and assist; sufficient duplicates or copies of all proceedings had shall be made in order that each town may have at least one for the use and information of the town clerk and town board of supervisors thereof. Each town shall be chargeable with the expense and for the services and per diem of its own officers only.

SECTION 15. The supervisors of the town of Hawkins and the supervisors of the town of Richland shall on the fifteenth day of May, 1917, meet at the office of the town clerk of the town of Hawkins, for the purpose of making a settlement between the said two towns, according to the provisions of this act: and at such meeting or at any subsequent or adjourned meeting held by said town boards of supervisors, any three of the supervisors shall have full power and authority to send for any persons, books, papers and records necessarily involved in the settlement between said two towns. The town clerk of the town of Hawkins shall be and act as clerk of such joint meeting, and the town clerk of the town of Richland shall be present and assist; suffi-

cient duplicates or copies of all proceedings had shall be made in order that each town may have at least one for the use and information of the town clerk and town board of supervisors thereof. Each town shall be chargeable with the expense and for the services and per diem of its own officers only.

SECTION 16. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved April 25, 1917.

No. 114, A.] [Published April 27, 1917.

CHAPTER 122

AN ACT to provide campaign badges for the officers and enlisted men who served in the army or navy of the United States during the Spanish-American war, and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. The adjutant general shall cause to be prepared and shall distribute to the officers and enlisted men who served honorably in the army or navy of the United States during the Spanish-American war, and who enlisted from the state of Wisconsin, or who were citizens of Wisconsin and enlisted in United States volunteer regiments at large, and who are not eligible to receive the war department medal given for foreign service, appropriate campaign badges commemorative of their services. If any such officer, soldier or sailor be deceased, the badge to which he would be entitled shall be delivered to his proper legal representatives.

SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of fifteen hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes of this act. Such money shall be paid by the state treasurer, on the warrant of the secretary of state, issued upon a requisition signed by the adjutant general.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved April 25, 1917.

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CHAPTER 123

AN ACT to create section 1411g of the statutes, relating to the employment of public health nurses.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new section to read: Section 1411g. 1. The local board of health, health commissioner or health officer of any town, village or city may employ public health nurses within the limits of the appropriation made therefor by such town, village or city. The public health nurses shall work under the direction of the health officer, or health commissioner, and may be assigned to investigate infant mortality, the examination or visitation of children excluded from school, the investigation or visitation of cases of tuberculosis, the visitation of the sick, who may be unable otherwise to secure adequate care, the instruction of members of households where sickness exists, or to such other duties as may be appropriate in improving the public health.

2. Towns, villages and cities may through their proper officials employ public health nurses jointly. The salary and other expenses of such public health nurses shall be paid jointly by the towns, villages and cities so employing public health nurses in proportion to the population of each such town, village or city, as determined by the last federal census, or in such manner as may be agreed upon by the common councils, village boards and town boards adopting this plan.

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

Approved April 25, 1917.

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CHAPTER 124

AN ACT to amend section 4 of chapter 357, laws of 1891, relating to the county court of Portage county.

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

SECTION 1. Section 4 of chapter 357, laws of 1891, is amended to read: (Ch. 357, laws of 1891) Section 4. In all cases arising in said court under this act, or in which the said court shall obtain jurisdiction as in this act specified, * * * trial by jury may be had in the same manner and process as in justice court.

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

Approved April 25, 1917.