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CHAPTER 101.

AN ACT to amend section 3982, of Sanborn and Berryman's annotated statutes of Wisconsin, relating to guardians and wards.

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

SECTION 1. Section 3982, of the annotated statutes of Wisconsin, is hereby amended by inserting after the words "as provided by law," and before the words, "such guardian," the following: "All proceedings for the presentation, allowance and adjustment of claims and demands against persons under guardianship must be had and made as required by the provisions of the statutes relating to the estates of decedents so far as applicable, unless otherwise specially provided," so that said section 3982, shall read when so amended as follows: "Section 3982. Every guardian appointed under the provisions of this chapter, whether for a minor or any other person, shall pay the just debts of the ward out of his personal estate and the income of his real estate, if sufficient, and if not, then out of his real estate upon being licensed to sell and selling the same as provided by law. All proceedings for the presentation, allowance and adjustment of claims and demands against persons under guardianship must be had and made as required by the provisions of the statutes relating to the estates of decedents so far as applicable, unless otherwise specially provided. Such guardian shall also settle all accounts of the ward and may demand, sue for, collect and receive all debts due to him, or may, with the approbation of the county court, compound and discharge the same on receiving a fair and just dividend from the debtor's estate, and he shall appear for and repre-

Relating to adjustment of claims against persons under guardianship.

sent his ward in all actions and proceedings, except where another person is appointed for that purpose.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication and shall apply to all cases now pending in the county courts of this state.

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CHAPTER 102.

AN ACT to abolish the fees of, and to fix the salary of the county judge of Dane county.

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

Salary of county judge to be \$2,500 annually.

SECTION 1. From and after the first Monday in January, A. D. 1898, the county judge of Dane county shall receive an annual salary of two thousand five hundred dollars, to be paid monthly out of the treasury of said county, which shall be in full compensation and in lieu of all fees for all official services rendered by him as such county judge.

Fees to be paid into the county treasury.

SECTION 2. The fees allowed by law for certified copies of records or papers in the office of the county judge of said county, and for certified copies of records and papers on appeal in probate, and other matters, shall be collected by such county judge and paid to the treasurer of said county, monthly.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 26, 1897.