

States census, is authorized to appoint for said court a shorthand reporter, whose duty it shall be to attend upon each term of said court when required by the judge, for the purpose of reporting the oral testimony of the witnesses and such other matters as the judge of said court may direct, the said shorthand reporter to be a sworn officer of the court and fully competent to discharge the duties thereof. He shall hold his office at the pleasure of the judge and shall receive for his services a salary, * * * *to be fixed by the county board*, payable * * * out of the treasury of said county, *as other county employes are paid*. The county judge may, in his discretion, order a transcript of the testimony of the witnesses examined in said court or any part thereof, and of the proceedings therein, to be made and certified by the reporter and filed with the register of probate, and the cost thereof, * * * *to be fixed by the county board*, shall be paid by the county treasurer upon the certificate of the register of probate. In case any person desires a transcript in long-hand of the evidence taken in any proceeding in said court, or any part thereof, said reporter shall make such transcript duly certified by him to be correct, and he shall be entitled to receive * * * *the fee allowed to circuit court reporters for similar work* * * *.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 131.

AN ACT relating to the special committee on drainage, and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the general fund to the executive department, for the special committee on drainage appointed by the governor, not to exceed two thousand two hundred fifty dollars, to pay for services of and expenses incurred by said committee, and the members thereof, in preparing and revising the drainage laws.

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

Approved April 30, 1919.