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CHAPTER 198.

AN ACT to amend section 5 of chapter 181 of the laws of 1889, as amended by section 4 of chapter 61 of the laws of 1891, as amended by section 4 of chapter 112 of the laws of 1893, as amended by section 1 of chapter 261 of the laws of 1897, as amended by section 1 of chapter 291 of the laws of 1903, relating to the municipal court of Douglas county.

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

SECTION 1. Section 5 of chapter 181 of the laws of 1889, as amended by section 4 of chapter 61 of the laws of 1891, as amended by section 4 of chapter 112 of the laws of 1893, as amended by section 1 of chapter 261 of the laws of 1897, as amended by section 1 of chapter 291 of the laws of 1903, is amended to read: (Chapter 181, laws of 1889) Section 5. The said municipal judge shall keep separate dockets for civil and criminal matters respectively. They shall be kept in the same manner, as far as practicable, as dockets of the justices of the peace are required to be kept; provided, however, said municipal judge may appoint and remove at pleasure, a suitable person who shall be a stenographer, as clerk of said court. It shall be the duty of said clerk to keep said dockets and make all entries therein, in the same manner as is required of justice of the peace, and to take in shorthand the testimony given in all actions, both civil and criminal, and to transcribe all, or any portion, of the testimony in any action or examination, when and as requested in writing so to do by any party or attorney in such action. Said clerk shall execute to Douglas county an official bond in the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, and take an oath of office in the same manner as is required of clerks in the circuit courts; said person shall be known as the clerk of the municipal court, and receive an annual salary of * * * twenty-seven hundred dollars to be paid in equal monthly installments, one-half from the treasury of Douglas county and one-half from the treasury of the city of Superior, at the end of each month, upon the delivery of a certificate, signed by said municipal judge, certifying that said clerk is entitled to said salary; provided, however, the county board of supervisors of Douglas county may at any time increase or diminish the salary of said clerk. Said clerk may charge and collect as fees from every person requesting a transcript of testimony, as hereinbefore provided, the sum of ten cents per folio, and he shall not be required to deliver said transcript until said fees are paid. Nothing herein shall be construed to affect the fees to be charged and collected by said municipal judge or the duties by him to be performed as provided by law. The clerk of said court may, with the approval of, and subject to removal at the pleasure of the judge of said court, appoint a suitable person to act as temporary deputy clerk of said court. The said deputy clerk shall take and subscribe to the oath of office prescribed by the constitution. Said appointment and oath of office to be filed as for the clerk of said court. The deputy clerk of said court shall receive as compensation one hundred and fifty dollars for each month of service. Said salary to be paid in the manner provided in this section for the payment of the clerk of said court.

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

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CHAPTER 199.

- AN ACT to amend subdivision (2) of section 944 of the statutes, relating to liability of territory detached from any municipality for debts of such municipality.
- The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subdivision (2) of section 944 of the statutes is amended to read: (Section 944) (2) If any such territory shall be set off or taken therefrom after such indebtedness is incurred, the authority making the division shall apportion to the municipality to which such detached territory is attached or of which it becomes a part a pro rata portion of the amount of such indebtedness together with all other indebtedness, in the ratio which the taxable property in such detached territory bears to the taxable property remaining liable to such total indebtedness in such municipality, according to the assessed valuation made last prior to such detachment, and such municipality to which such territory is attached or of which it becomes a part shall annually cause to be levied upon and collected from the taxable property of such municipality the amount of tax necessary to be raised in such year for payment of principal and interest, in addition