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CHAPTER 31.

AN ACT to amend section 2, subsection (2) of section 3 and section 14 of chapter 7 of the laws of 1927, relating to the first municipal court for Washburn county.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2, subsection (2) of section 3 and section 14 of chapter 7 of the laws of 1927 are amended to read: (Laws of 1927, Chapter 7) Section 2. On the first Tuesday in April, 1927, and every four years thereafter, there shall be elected, in the county of Washburn in the same manner as county judges are elected a municipal judge, who shall hold his office for the term of four years from the first Monday of May next following his election and until his successor be elected and qualified; and in case of a vacancy occurring in the office of the municipal judge, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the governor, as provided in chapter 17 of the statutes. * * * *Any qualified elector* shall be eligible to the office of judge of said court * * * , and such judge shall hold no other county office during the time that he is judge of said municipal court. The county clerk of Washburn county shall give the same notice of the election of the judge of said municipal court as is given in other judicial elections.

Section 3. (2) Civil actions and special proceedings in law and equity where the value of the property in controversy or the amount of money claimed or sought to be recovered, after deducting all payment and setoffs, shall not exceed two thousand dollars * * * .

Section 14. The sheriff or any constable of Washburn county *or any person not a party to the action* shall have the same power to serve and to execute any process of said municipal court as of courts of justices of the peace of this state and be entitled to receive the same fee and be subject to the same liability and penalty, *as provided for sheriffs or constables in courts of justices of the peace*, however, no provision hereof shall be construed to prevent the service of summons or subpoena of said court by any competent citizen not interested in the cause.

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

Approved April 2, 1931.