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CHAPTER 353.

AN ACT to amend chapter 217, laws of 1929, section 16 3. and section 24, relating to compensation for persons serving in the absence of the judge of the superior court of Dane county and compensation for the reporter.

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

Chapter 217, laws of 1929, section 16 3. and section 24 are amended to read:

Section 16. 3. In case of the absence, sickness or temporary disability of said judge, he may, by order in writing to be filed in said court, appoint a justice of the peace or court commissioner of said county, to discharge the duties of such judge during such absence, sickness or disability, who shall have all the powers of such judge while administering such office, except the trial of informations, or appeals, and actions, over which a justice court or court commissioner has no jurisdiction. And the clerk shall make a like record of his proceedings. Such justice of the peace or court commissioner while presiding in said court shall receive * * * such per diem as may be fixed by the county board.

Section 24. The judge of said superior court shall, by an order in writing filed in court, appoint a regular phonographic reporter who shall serve until his successor is appointed or until removed by the said judge. Such reporter shall take and subscribe the constitutional oath, and shall be furnished with all necessary stationery, and shall attend, when required by said judge, and report the proceedings had in such court, and perform such duties as the said judge shall require. The compensation of the phonographic reporter so appointed shall be not less than \$250 per month, plus such additional compensation as the county board may provide, the same to be paid monthly, out of the treasury of the county of Dane. For transcribing testimony he shall receive the same compensation provided by law for the phonographic reporter of the circuit court for Dane county. The appointment of said reporter shall be filed in writing with the county clerk of Dane county. The reporter so appointed may appoint a deputy as provided in the circuit court for Dane county.

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