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## CHAPTER 137.

AN ACT to amend chapter two hundred and twenty-seven of the laws of Wisconsin for 1877, entitled, "An act to amend chapter three hundred and sixty-four of the laws of Wisconsin for 1876, entitled, 'An act in relation to sheriff's fees.'"

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

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter two hundred and twenty-seven of the laws of Wisconsin for 1877, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 1. The salary of the sheriff of Milwaukee county shall hereafter be \$5,000 per annum, payable quarter yearly, out of the treasury of Milwaukee county, which compensation shall be in lieu of all fees, per diem or other emoluments of whatever kind or nature heretofore allowed said sheriff by law. Said sheriff shall also, on the 31st day of March, 30th day of June, 30th day of September and 31st day of December in each year during the term of his office, and while receiving the salary herein provided, collect from all parties other than the county of Milwaukee for whom services are performed by him or any of his deputies, in his or their official capacity, all fees, per diem and emoluments of every kind and description, and pay the same into the treasury of Milwaukee county. Said sheriff shall also keep a true and accurate account so as to show the income of said office as it would exist if the fees, charges and emoluments thereof were returned, charged and collected under the general laws of the state, and shall also on the days heretofore mentioned make report to the board of supervisors of said county, in writing and under oath, of all fees, per diem and other emoluments of every kind and description so charged or collected by him, for services performed by him or any of his deputies, in his or their said official capacity, which report shall also state fully for what services said fees, per diem and emoluments were charged: *provided, however,* that said sheriff or his deputies shall be entitled to actual traveling expenses incurred when in the discharge of his or their official duties, beyond the corporate limits of the city of Milwaukee. Said sheriff shall render an itemized account of such expenses to the board of supervisors of the county of Milwaukee, and after said board of supervisors shall have audited the said account, the same shall be paid out of the county

Amended.

Compensation.

Duties of sheriff.

treasury of said county, in the same manner as other accounts are paid.

Special duty.

SECTION 2. Any court of record in said county may require any of the deputy sheriffs assigned to such court to perform special service as interpreter for such court; but no deputy sheriff so assigned shall be allowed any additional salary, per diem or other compensation, or any fees whatsoever, in consideration of such service.

Repealed.

SECTION 3. All acts and parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed. This act shall be published immediately, and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 138.

AN ACT to amend chapter 133 of the private and local laws of 1857, entitled "an act to consolidate and amend the act to incorporate the city of Kenosha, and the several acts amendatory thereof."

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

Amended.

SECTION 1. That chapter 133 of the private and local laws of 1857, entitled "an act to consolidate and amend the act to incorporate the city of Kenosha, and the several acts amendatory thereof, be amended by

Auditing board

adding thereto the following sections: The mayor of the city of Kenosha shall annually appoint one alderman from each ward of said city to constitute a member of a committee to be known as "the auditing board," and said mayor shall, in case of any vacancy in said board, have power at any time to fill such vacancy by appointment, provided that the alderman so appointed shall have been elected from the same ward as the member whose place he is appointed to fill. The mayor shall constitute a member of said board, and may preside over the same. Said board may elect a chairman to preside in the absence of said mayor. The city clerk shall act as the clerk of said board, and shall keep a record of its proceedings.

Powers and duties of auditing board.

SECTION 2. Whenever, for any reason, vacancies shall occur in the common council so that there are not