

inquest after the first day on which the body was viewed, and ten cents per mile to and from the place where such inquest shall be held; in cases where more than one day is required in making an examination of a dead body, coroners shall receive the same compensation as in case of inquest.

There shall be allowed to physicians called by the coroner to make any professional examination, post mortem, six dollars per day and ten cents per mile for actual distance traveled in going to and from the place of holding such inquest or examination: *provided*, that whenever it shall be made to appear satisfactorily to the board of county commissioners that such post mortem examination was attended by great and unusual difficulties, the said board of county commissioners may allow such further sum to the physicians who made such post mortem examination as, in the opinion of the board, may be a just and fair compensation for the services rendered.

Physicians' fees.

SEC. 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 10th, 1901.

CHAPTER 201.

S. F. No. 287.

An act providing a method for the payment of the debts of dissolved municipalities.

Debts of dissolved municipalities.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That in all cases in which the legislature of the State of Minnesota has repealed, or may hereafter repeal the charter of any city, village, borough, or other municipality, or the special law under which the same is, or was, organized or created, against which municipality there are outstanding bonds or other written obligations which are, at the time of such repeal, a legal and enforceable claim against the municipality affected by such repeal, without making, or having made, any provision for the payment of such indebtedness, and the effect of such repeal is to attach the territory of the municipality so dissolved to one or more municipalities existing at the time of such repeal, said indebtedness shall be and continue to be enforceable solely against the territory which was responsible for the payment of the same at the time of said repeal, and it shall be the duties of the

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proper officers of the municipality, or municipalities, which acquire the territory of the dissolved municipality, to levy such tax or taxes upon the property and territory coming within its or their jurisdiction, by reason of such repeal, for the payment or discharge of such outstanding indebtedness, and to collect, receive and apply the same in such payment of such indebtedness in practically the same manner as would have been the duty of the proper officers of the dissolved municipality to levy taxes for the payment of said indebtedness, and to collect, receive and disburse the same, had there been no repeal of said charter or special law. And the territory so attached to such municipality or municipalities shall not be liable for any of the debts of such municipality or municipalities existing at the time of the repeal of said charter or special law, but all such debts shall continue a demand solely against the municipality or territory which was liable for the payment of the same at the time of said repeal.

Provided.

SEC. 2. This act shall apply to all cases falling within its provisions in which judgment has not already been recovered by the owner or holder of such bonds, or other forms of indebtedness as are described in section one of this act, against the municipality or municipalities acquiring the territory of the dissolved municipality.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 10th, 1901.

S. F. No. 343.

CHAPTER 202.

Amendment.
Township
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village
limits.

An act to amend section one (1) of chapter two hundred and thirty-nine (239) of the General Laws of 1897, the same being an act to permit voters of any township in this state to hold their elections within an incorporated village when such village is located in said township.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of chapter two hundred and thirty-nine (239) of the General Laws of 1897 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That whenever a majority of the legal voters of any township in this state shall petition the board of supervisors of such town to change the place of holding elections from where last held to an incorporated village located within such town, then said supervisors may pro-