

of such village, and the office for which he desires to be candidate. Upon payment by such candidate of \$2.00 to the clerk or recorder of such village, the clerk or recorder shall place the name of such candidate upon the primary election ballot of such village.

Sec. 4. **Compensation of election officials.** The judges and clerks of said election shall receive the same compensation as is provided for the judges and clerks at the regular village election.

Sec. 5. **Election laws of state to apply.** All of the election laws of this State shall apply to elections held pursuant to this Act so far as the same are applicable.

Approved March 29, 1945.

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#### CHAPTER 180—H. F. No. 195

*An act relating to vacancy in the office of clerks of court and amending Section 485.12, Minnesota Statutes 1941.*

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

Section 1. Section 485.12, Minnesota Statutes 1941, is hereby amended to read as follows:

485.12. **Vacancy.** *“Vacancies in the office of the clerk shall be filled by appointment by the senior judge, of the county where there is more than one judge therein; in judicial districts containing more than one county and having more than one judge therein, such appointment be made by the resident judge in said county, or, if there be no resident judge, by the next nearest judge of said district; and by the judge of the district court in judicial districts having only one judge.*

The appointee shall give the bond and take the oath required by law, and shall hold his office *for the balance of such entire term for which he shall be appointed*, and until his successor qualifies. In case any such clerk is adjudged insane, the judge shall appoint a competent person to act as clerk in his place until he shall be duly declared restored to sanity. The person so appointed shall take the oath and give the bond required by law of clerks of the district court, and shall be entitled to the fees and emoluments of the office during the time he shall so act, and his acts shall have the same force and effect as if performed by such clerk.”

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