

CHAPTER 113.

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A PHONOGRAPHIC REPORTER FOR THE DISTRICT COURT OF HENNEPIN COUNTY AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HENNEPIN COUNTY TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF SUCH PHONOGRAPHER," APPROVED FEBRUARY SEVENTEENTH (17TH), ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE (1883).

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

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of chapter two hundred and ninety-eight (298) of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (1883) is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The judges of the district court of Hennepin county may appoint a phonographic reporter, who shall be a sworn officer of said court, and shall hold his office during the pleasure of said court. The salary of said reporter shall be thirty-six hundred (3,600) dollars per annum, payable in like manner as the salaries of other officers of said county are now paid.

SEC. 2. That section two (2) of said act be amended so as, to read as follows:

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of said phonographic reporter to furnish, subject to the approval of said judges, and without charge to the county therefor, two (2) or more skillful phonographic assistants, who shall also be sworn officers of said court. It shall be the duty of said phonographic reporter to take, or cause to be taken, full phonographic notes of all trials and proceedings in said court, whenever so directed by either of the judges thereof, and also like notes of any findings, decisions or orders of either of said judges, whether given or rendered in open court, or dictated at chambers, to said reporter; and he shall, when requested by either of said judges, without charge therefor, transcribe said notes or any part thereof for the use of said judges, or for such other purpose in furtherance of justice as said judges or either of them may order; and said phonographic reporter shall furnish a free hand copy of said notes or any part thereof, at the request of any party to an action in said court, for which copy he shall be entitled to charge at the rate of ten (10) cents per folio, or for every one hundred (100) words so written out, and the amount paid by any party for such copy to be used upon a motion for a new trial or appeal may be taxed and allowed as other disbursements are taxed and allowed in the action; and such sums for stationery for the use of such reporter as the presiding judge of said court shall determine and certify, shall be a charge upon the county and shall be paid from the county treasury in like manner as other charges are allowed and paid therefrom.

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

SEC. 4. All acts heretofore in force relative to the appointment of a phonographic reporter for the district court of Hennepin county are hereby repealed.

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AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS TWO (2), THREE (3), FOUR (4) AND FIVE (5) OF CHAPTER TWO (2), AND REPEALING SECTIONS FOURTEEN (14) FIFTEEN (15) AND SIXTEEN (16) OF CHAPTER FOUR (4) OF AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO DEFINE THE BOUNDARIES OF AND ESTABLISH A MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT FOR THE VILLAGE OF DULUTH," APPROVED MARCH EIGHTH (8TH), ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE (1881), AND PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A MUNICIPAL COURT IN THE VILLAGE OF DULUTH, ST. LOUIS COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA.

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

SECTION 1. That sections two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) of chapter two (2) of an act entitled "An act to define the boundaries of and establish a municipal government for the village of Duluth, so far as said sections refer to the election of a justice of the peace, who shall be styled 'the village justice,' and so far as they refer to the election of other justices in said village be, and the same are, repealed; also all of sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of chapter four (4) of said act," approved March eighth (8th), one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (1881), and instead thereof there is hereby enacted the following: There shall be established in the village of Duluth, in the county of St. Louis and state of Minnesota, a municipal court for the transaction of all such business as may lawfully come before it. Said court shall be a court of record, and shall have a clerk and a seal, and shall have jurisdiction to hear, try and determine civil actions at law where the amount in controversy does not exceed three hundred (300) dollars, excepting causes involving title to real estate. It shall also have exclusive jurisdiction to hear all complaints and conduct all examinations and trials in criminal cases arising or triable within the village of Duluth heretofore cognizable before the village justice. It shall not have jurisdiction of