

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

Section 1. Salary and clerk hire of county treasurers.—That in each county in this State having an assessed valuation of less than one hundred millions dollars and an area of less than sixty congressional townships, full or fractional, and having a population of less than 40,000, according to the last preceding State of Federal Census, the County Treasurer shall be allowed for clerk hire one-twelfth of a mill on each dollar of assessed valuation as fixed by the Tax Commission for the previous year; provided that in counties having seventy-five or more platted subdivisions such allowance shall be not less than \$85.00 per month; provided also that the County Board of any county covered by this act may by resolution, approved by the Attorney General and Public Examiner allow such additional sum for clerk hire as may be deemed necessary. Such allowance for clerk hire shall be paid monthly out of the county treasury to the person or persons actually rendering the service as such clerk, upon the warrant of the County Auditor accompanied by a certificate of the Treasurer that the service has been rendered and no allowance for such clerk hire shall be made or received in any case except for service actually rendered.

Sec. 2. Inconsistent acts repealed—exceptions.—All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith, except Chapters 437 and 446, Laws 1921, and Chapters 5, 82 and 91, Laws 1925, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect as of Jan. 1, 1927.

Approved April 22, 1927.

CHAPTER 375—H. F. No. 1101

An act to amend Section 1, Chapter 470, General Laws 1921, providing for a clerk for the judge of the juvenile court, or if there is more than one judge, for each of the judges of the juvenile court, in counties now or hereafter having a population of 400,000 or more inhabitants.

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

Section 1. Salary of Judge of Juvenile Court in certain counties.—That Section 1, Chapter 470, General Laws 1921, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

“Section 1. In counties now or hereafter having a population of 400,000 or more inhabitants the deputy clerk assigned to the juvenile court shall receive a salary of \$2,400.00 per annum payable monthly. When not engaged in the duties pertaining to the

juvenile court the deputy shall do such work in the clerk's office as the clerk may direct. In counties where more than one judge of the juvenile court has been designated a deputy clerk may be assigned for each judge. The clerk of said district court may from time to time change the assignment of such deputy or deputies with the approval of the judge or judges as the case may be."

Approved April 22, 1927.

CHAPTER 376—H. F. No. 1104

An act providing for a tract index of all lands registered under the Torrens system of land titles to be kept in the office of the Register of Deeds in counties which now have or which may hereafter have a population of 400,000 inhabitants or over, in certain cases.

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

Section 1. Registrar of Titles to provide tract index.—The Register of Deeds in counties now having or which may hereafter have a population of 400,000 inhabitants or over, and in which the business of the Register of Titles is conducted in a separate place from that of the Register of Deeds, shall provide a tract index of all lands registered under what is known as the Torrens System of land titles, and the same shall be kept in the office of the Register of Deeds in such county or counties for the use of receiving clerks in checking the properties listed therein with the properties described in the instruments presented for record.

Sec. 2. Additional help.—The Register of Deeds of such county or counties may assign the duty of compiling such index to one or more of his deputies, which deputy or deputies shall be paid for extra time so employed additional salary and compensation at the same rate and in the same manner as is paid them for regular service, providing, however, that the total sum for such extra service shall not exceed \$1,600.00.

Sec. 3. County Auditor to draw warrants.—The County Auditor of such county or counties shall, upon request of the Register of Deeds, issue his warrant or warrants in payment for such additional service, in amounts designated by such Register of Deeds and the same shall be drawn on the county revenue fund.

Approved April 20, 1927.

CHAPTER 377—H. F. No. 1107

An act to amend Sections 18 and 26 of Chapter 419 of the Laws of Minnesota for the year 1923 as amended by Sections 4