

CHAPTER 311.

[Published April 14, 1862.]

AN ACT to fix the salary of the clerk of the circuit and county courts for the county of Milwaukee.

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

SECTION 1. The salary of the clerk of the circuit and county courts for the county of Milwaukee, is hereby fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars per annum, and the same shall be paid to him by the county of Milwaukee, out of the county treasury of said county. Said clerk is also hereby allowed, for clerk hire in his office, the sum of two thousand dollars per annum, which shall also be paid to him by said county of Milwaukee, out of the county treasury of said county. Said salary and compensation for clerk hire shall be paid to said clerk quarterly, at the end of each three months; and the same shall be in full for all services which said clerk is required by law to perform in any action or proceeding instituted in said circuit and county courts: *provided*, that in addition to said salary and allowance for clerk hire, said clerk shall be entitled to receive the same per diem allowance now given him by law, and he shall also be entitled to receive the same fees that are now provided by law for copies of records or papers, commissions, transcripts and exemplifications of judgments and record, [records.]

Salary \$3,000
per year, and
\$2,000 for clerk
hire.

Per diem.

SECTION 2. There shall be paid to said clerk, at the time of the commencement of each action or proceeding instituted in said circuit or county courts, the sum of two dollars, in addition to the state tax and county tax now required to be paid, to be denominated a tax for clerk's salary. No further sum shall be required to be paid as such tax for clerk's salary, if such action or proceeding be dismissed or otherwise discontinued, without the entry of final judgment therein. In case final judgment is entered in any such suit or proceeding, the following sums shall be paid to such clerk before the entry of such judgment, in addition to said sum of two dollars, in the following cases, to wit: 1. If the action be for the recovery of a money demand on contract, and judgment therein be entered on fail-

Tax for clerk's
salary.

Fees in case of
final judgment.

ure to answer the complaint, or on confession, the sum of one dollar. 2. If such judgment be entered upon a verdict of a jury, or a decision in writing by the court, after a trial by jury, or by the court respectively, the sum of four dollars, except in actions for the foreclosure of mortgages and for the partition of real estate. 3. If such action be for the foreclosure of a mortgage, or for the partition of real property, the sum of six dollars. 4. In all other cases not hereinbefore specified, the sum of four dollars.

Fees to be accounted for by clerk.

SECTION 3. The sums required to be paid by the foregoing section, shall be collected by said clerk, and shall be accounted for by him under oath to the treasurer of said county of Milwaukee, quarterly; and in case of his failure so to do, said clerk, together with his sureties, shall be personally responsible to said county of Milwaukee on his official bond, for all sums which he shall so neglect to collect and account for.

Repeal.

SECTION 4. All acts and parts of acts regulating the fees of the clerk of said circuit and county courts, inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 7, 1862.

CHAPTER 312.

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AN ACT to authorize the county board of supervisors of Milwaukee county to levy a tax to cover the necessary expenses [expenses] of printing for the use of the schools of said county, and apportion the same among the several towns of said county of Milwaukee.

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

Expense of printing for schools.

SECTION 1. The board of supervisors of Milwaukee county, having omitted, at the time of the levy of the county school tax for the year (*of*) 1862, to raise a sufficient amount by tax to cover all necessary expenses [expenses] of printing for the use of the schools in