lic act, and shall be liberally construed in all courts of this state.

Approved March 5, 1875.

CHAPTER 259.

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AN ACT to amend section forty-nine (49,) of chapter thirteen (13,) of the revised statutes, entitled, "Of counties and county officers."

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section forty-nine (49), of chapter thirteen (13), of the revised statutes, entitled, "Of counties and county officers," is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section forty-nine (49). Each member of the board of supervisors shall be allowed and paid by the the county, a compensation for his service and expense in attending the meetings of the board, at the rate of two dollars (\$2.00) per day for the time Compensation of supervisors. he shall actually attend, and six cents for each mile traveled in going to or returning from the place of reeting, for any distance traveled, but no per diem allowance shall be made for any time occupied in traveling when mileage is allowed therefore; and no supervisor shall be allowed to draw pay for more than fifteen days attendance on the county board in any one year: provided, that in counties where the population exceeds fifteen thousand (15,000), the county board of supervisors may sit and receive pay for such a number of days in each year, not exceeding twenty, as they may deem necessary for the transaction of the business that may come before them.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 5, 1875.

Amended.

Proviso.