

11. For the construction or purchase of electric or gaslight plants for lighting streets and public buildings.

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12. For refunding existing indebtedness.

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13. For doing such dredging and docking and making such other harbor improvements as any such city can lawfully do or make.

For dredging and docking.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 136.

AN ACT to amend section 2432, of Sanborn and Berryman's annotated statutes, relating to circuit courts.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2432, of Sanborn and Berryman's annotated statutes, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section 2432. Any circuit judge may hold court or perform any other judicial act in any other circuit than that for which he was elected or appointed, in case of the absence, sickness or other disability of any one of the judges, or upon the request of any other judge; and when there shall be a vacancy in the office of judge in any circuit, the governor shall appoint some circuit judge to hold any term fixed by law to be held in the circuit in which such vacancy exists, until such vacancy shall be filled. Whenever the causes at issue on the calendar at any term of

Circuit judge may hold court in another circuit when called upon.

a circuit court, for any county, shall exceed one hundred in number, the judge holding such court may enter an order that some other circuit judge, naming him therein, be called in to aid in the trial of causes; provided, that no judge shall be so named till he shall have consented to attend the court of the judge making such order. Whenever any judge shall attend any such term outside of his circuit, both he and the judge of the circuit whose court is attended may hold court at the same time, in the same county, and exercise all the powers of presiding judge at the term, and they may try cases separately at the same time; provided, that both shall not try cases by jury at the same time. It shall be the duty of any circuit judge, upon an order and request made as herein provided, to attend and aid in the transaction of business at such terms so far as in his judgment the proper discharge of his duties in his own circuit will permit him to do so. Whenever a circuit judge shall, pursuant to this or any other section of these statutes, hold court outside of his own circuit, his expenses in going to and returning from the place where he holds court, and while in such place in the discharge of his duty, shall be paid by the county treasurer of the county in which the court is held upon the certificate of the clerk of the circuit court in which such judge presides."

His expenses
to be paid.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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