

for his approval, and such approval having been withheld, said act was returned by him to the house of the legislature in which it was originated; it was then passed over his veto by a vote of 21 ayes, and 8 noes in the senate; it was refused passage over governor's veto in the assembly by a vote of 56 ayes, and 31 noes; said vote in the assembly was reconsidered and action of the senate concurred in by a vote of 52 ayes, and 26 noes. Said act has been deposited in this department as a law without the governor's approval, as prescribed in the constitution.

HENRY CASSON,
Secretary of State.

August 21, 1897.

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CHAPTER 376.

AN ACT to fix the salary of the city clerk in all cities in this state having a population of one hundred and fifty thousand or more, and to require all city officers to file sworn pay rolls for the disbursement of all moneys appropriated for clerk hire or other service.

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

SECTION 1. In all cities in this state which shall have a population of one hundred and fifty thousand or more, according to the latest national or state census, the city clerk of such city shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), to be payable in the same manner as the salaries of other city officers are paid.

Act applies to cities of 150,000 or more inhabitants.

SECTION 2. Such salaries shall be in full compensation for all services performed by him in his official duties as such city clerk. He shall keep an account of all fees received by him for the filing of chattel mortgages, bills of sale, conditional sale contracts, releases, and all documents required by law to be filed with the city clerk, and for the filing of which fees are collectible. He shall every three months turn over to the city treasurer all moneys received by him for the filing of such documents, together with his sworn statement as to the accuracy of such amount, and he shall file a certified copy of such statement with the city comptroller. The city treasurer shall return a receipt for such money to the city clerk, and the city comptroller shall thereupon charge that amount to the city treasurer, and account for the same in the general city fund.

Shall turn over fees to city treasurer.

Duties of city clerk.

City clerk may employ expert assistants.

To file sworn pay rolls.

Repealing clause.

SECTION 3. The city clerk shall make the tax roll of such city as required by law, but he shall receive no compensation for the same other than that provided in section one of this act, but he is hereby authorized to employ such expert assistants as he may deem necessary, the aggregate amount to be paid for such service to be determined by the common council and appropriated for such service from year to year.

SECTION 4. Every city officer of such city who shall employ clerical or other service in discharging the duties of his office shall file with the proper officers of such city, sworn pay rolls for the disbursement of all funds appropriated for such service, and such pay rolls shall explicitly state the name and residence of persons employed, with the exact time of service in days or hours, and the rate paid therefor, and it shall be unlawful for the common council of such city to appropriate money for clerical or other service to be disbursed otherwise than herein provided.

SECTION 5. All acts or parts of acts contra-

vening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the third Tuesday in April, 1898.

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CHAPTER 377.

AN ACT to provide for an additional circuit judge in and for the second judicial circuit.

Whereas, section seven, of article seven, of the constitution of Wisconsin has been amended so as to read as follows:

of Constitutional provision relating to circuit courts.

“Section seven. For each circuit there shall be chosen by the qualified electors thereof one circuit judge, except that in any circuit composed of one county only, which county shall contain a population according to the last state or United States census of one hundred thousand inhabitants or over, the legislature may, from time to time, authorize additional circuit judges to be chosen. Every circuit judge shall reside in the circuit from which he is elected, and shall hold his office for such term, and receive such compensation as the legislature shall prescribe;”

And whereas, The second judicial circuit is composed of one county only, to wit, the county of Milwaukee, containing more than one hundred thousand inhabitants according to both the last United States and the last state census;