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CHAPTER 324.

AN ACT to create a new subsection to be known as subsection 3m of section 573—2, of the statutes, relating to juvenile courts.

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

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes a new subsection to read:

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CHAPTER 325.

AN ACT to repeal section 2931, of the statutes, and to amend section 2932, of the statutes, as amended, relating to compensation and liability of guardians ad litem.

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

SECTION 1. (Repeals Sec. 2931.)

SECTION 2. Section 2932, of the statutes, is amended to read:

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SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved June 21, 1907.

County special clerk for juvenile court. SECTION 573—2.
3m. In counties containing one or more cities of the second or third class the county judge is hereby authorized to appoint, in the manner provided in section 2464a, of the statutes, a clerk at a salary, to be fixed by the county board, which salary shall be seven hundred and twenty dollars (\$720.00) per annum until otherwise fixed by the county board, payable by said county as other county officers are paid, whenever said county judge shall have been designated to hear the cases coming under this act and there shall be no clerk of the county court other than the register in probate. Such clerk shall be a stenographer and shall perform the duties of clerk and stenographer of said court and such other duties as may be required.

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Probation officers: reports, investigations, attendance, powers. SECTION 573—3. 1. The court shall have authority to appoint or designate one or more discreet persons of good character to serve as probation officers during the pleasure of the court; said probation officers to receive no compensation from the public treasury. In case a probation officer shall be appointed by any court, it shall be the duty of the clerk of the court if practicable to notify said probation officer in advance when any child is to be brought before said court; it shall be the duty of said probation officer to make such investigation as may be required by the court; to be present in court in order to represent the interests of the child, when the case is heard; to furnish the court such information and assistance as the judge may require, and to take such charge of any child before and after trial as may be directed by the court.

2. *It shall be the duty of any probation officer appointed for a particular child, to become thoroughly conversant with the conditions surrounding the child; to be ready to report upon the child's progress at any time until dismissed from the case; and to file with the chief probation officer at least monthly, and at such other time as may be required written, particularized reports in regard to the case.*

3. *In counties where a chief probation officer is appointed, said officer shall have office hours daily during the same hours as the clerk of the courts, in an office which shall be furnished and equipped for the use of said officer and his assistants by the board of supervisors of said county, in the building in which said "juvenile court" is held.*

4. *It shall be the duty of said chief probation officer to at-*