

that in no case shall said attorney's fee be less than five dollars, nor more than twenty-five dollars, unless said judge shall fix some other amount for such attorney fee, not exceeding twenty-five dollars; and provided that said judge may disallow any attorney fee to be included in the costs. Provided, also, that in replevin, attachment and garnishment proceedings, said percentage shall be computed upon the value of the property or indebtedness involved. When a judgment for damages for less than one hundred dollars is entered upon confession or upon a note or bond and warrant of attorney, no more than five dollars shall be recovered for costs including disbursements. Costs may be allowed upon a motion in the discretion of the court or a judge, not exceeding ten dollars, and may be absolute or directed to abide the event of the action.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 168.

AN ACT to create section 670a of the statutes, to authorize county boards of counties therein prescribed to appoint and fix the compensation and duties of a county auditor.

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

SECTION 1. A new section is added to the statutes to read: Section 670a. The county board of any county having more than thirty thousand but less than three hundred thousand population, according to the last preceding United States or state census, may appoint and by resolution fix the compensation of a county auditor. A person so appointed shall perform the duties and have all the powers conferred upon the county clerk as auditor by subsection (3a). of section 709, and shall perform such additional duties and shall have such additional powers as are imposed and conferred upon him from time to time by resolution adopted by the board.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved May 13, 1919.