

SEC. 2. Clerks shall be entitled to receive for each ^{Fees.} certificate under the seal of the District Court, when attached to any such application or other paper, ten cents only.

SEC. 3. This Act being deemed by the General ^{Take effect.} Assembly of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the State Register and Iowa Homestead, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 28th, 1864.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Daily State Register April 13th, A. D. 1864, and in the Iowa Homestead April 13th, A. D. 1864.

JAMES WRIGHT, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 89.

BELIEF OF SOLDIERS' FAMILIES.

AN ACT for the relief of the families of Soldiers and Marines in the service of the United States.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of* ^{2 mills on the} *the State of Iowa,* That for the relief of the families of ^{dollar.} privates and non-commissioned officers and musicians who have heretofore been, now are, or may hereafter be in the military or naval service of the United States from this State, there shall be levied in each county not less than two (2) mills on the dollar, in the years 1864 and 1865, on all taxable property in each county, and the amount so levied shall be collected in the same manner as other county taxes.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Assessors in the ^{Assessors to} several wards and townships in this State, before the ^{take list.} first Monday of June, 1864, and when they are making the assessment of 1865, to take an enumeration, by name, of all the soldiers and marines having families, who are in the service of the United States, and of the families of those who have been in such service and are dead or disabled, in their several wards and townships of this State, naming their company, regiment, battery, battalion or organization, and make accurate returns to the Board of Supervisors of their respective counties, designating the name, sex and age of the several mem-

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- bers of such families, and naming such as are, in his opinion, entitled to aid, and for which he shall receive the same compensation as for other services. It shall be the duty of such Board of Supervisors to revise the same, inserting such names as may have been omitted.
- SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to furnish to the Assessors of their respective counties such blanks as may be necessary for taking the aforesaid enumeration.
- SEC. 4. The Board of Supervisors of the several counties respectively, shall have control of said funds for the purposes named in this Act, when paid into the county treasuries, and shall distribute the same as they may deem proper for the relief of the families herein provided for: *Provided*, That not more than one hundred and fifty dollars shall be paid to any one family in one year. No money raised under the provisions of this Act shall be used by said Board of Supervisors for any other purpose than for the relief of such families.
- SEC. 5. The relief provided for in this Act shall, by the several County Boards of Supervisors, be distributed from and after the meeting of said Board of Supervisors in June, 1864, and all special funds heretofore raised in any county in this State, for the relief of soldiers' families, shall, from and after that time, be a part of the funds herein provided for.
- SEC. 6. To anticipate the receipts which may come into the county treasuries by virtue of the tax levied under and by the authority of this Act, the county treasurers are hereby authorized and required to borrow from time to time, as may be necessary, such sums of money as shall not exceed, in the aggregate, three-fourths of the tax levied in any such county by virtue of this Act, and may to that extent, temporarily transfer money from any other fund or funds, (except the school funds.) The money so borrowed shall be repaid out of the funds herein provided for, when paid into the county treasury.
- SEC. 7. The funds raised under the provision of this Act shall be known as "The Relief Fund," and the warrants drawn thereon shall be the same in all respects, as ordinary county warrants, and governed by the same rules, except that they shall name the fund on which they are drawn.
- SEC. 8. The word family, as used in this Act, shall be construed to mean only a wife, dependent children under the age of twelve years, brothers and sisters under

the age of twelve years, and aged and infirm dependent parents.

SEC. 9. This Act being deemed of immediate importance by the General Assembly, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa Homestead and Iowa State Register, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa. Take effect.

Approved March 28th, 1864.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa State Register April 20th, A. D. 1864, and in the Iowa Homestead April 20th, A. D. 1864.

JAMES WRIGHT, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 90.

HOLDING COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

AN ACT to amend and explain an Act passed by the Tenth General Assembly, entitled "An Act to define the times of holding Courts in the Third Judicial District," approved Jan. 25th, 1864.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That all that part of an Act passed by the Tenth General Assembly, entitled "An Act to define the times of holding Courts in the Third Judicial District," approved January 25th, 1864, which relates to the times of holding the terms of the District Court in the counties of Fremont, Mills and Pottawattamie, be amended so as to read as follows: Former Acts amended.

At Sidney, in Fremont county, on the third Monday in February and the fourth Monday in August in each year. Sidney.

At Glenwood, in Mills county, on the third Monday in April and October in each year. Glenwood.

At Council Bluffs, in Pottawattamie county, on the first Monday in May and November in each year. Council Bluffs.

SEC. 2. All suits, pleadings, processes and proceedings pending in any of said Courts, and returnable at the terms now fixed by law, shall be deemed pending and returnable at the terms as fixed by this Act; and no suit, notice, recognizance, indictments or other proceeding shall be quashed or held to be invalid by reason of the change of the terms of Court hereby made. Pleadings, processes, &c. not affected.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with this Act, are hereby repealed. Repeal.