

CHAPTER 12.

S. F. 47.

AN ACT to amend section two hundred ninety-eight (298), chapter [eight] 8, [title three (III)] of the code, relating to the clerk of the district court and fixing the maximum amount to be allowed by the board of supervisors to deputies and clerks in counties having a population exceeding forty thousand.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Clerk district court—clerical help—compensation. That section two hundred and ninety-eight (298) of the code, be, and is hereby amended by striking out the word "three" in the sixteenth line thereof and inserting the word "five" in lieu thereof.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved February 9, 1898.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, February 10, 1898.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 13.

S. F. 51.

AN ACT prohibiting members of boards of supervisors and township trustees from making contracts with their respective townships or counties. [Additional to title IV, of the code, pertaining to township and county government.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Contracts by supervisors and trustees. Members of boards of supervisors and township trustees shall not buy from, sell to, or in any manner become parties directly, or indirectly, to any contract to furnish supplies, material, or labor to the county or township in which they are respectively members of such board of supervisors or township trustees.

Approved March 9, 1898.

CHAPTER 14.

S. F. 91.

AN ACT to define the jurisdiction of courts in counties bordering on the Missouri River. [Additional to title IV, chapter 1 of the code, pertaining to counties.]

WHEREAS, questions have arisen as to the jurisdiction of the courts of Iowa, over certain lands and territory lying along the Missouri river, upon the western boundary of this state; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Jurisdiction in border counties. That the jurisdiction of the courts of the state of Iowa, in counties bordering on the Missouri river, in all civil and criminal actions and proceedings, is hereby declared to extend to the center of the main channel of the Missouri river, where the same now is or may hereafter be, and to all lands and territory lying along said river, which have been adjudged by the United States supreme court or the supreme court of this state to be within the state of Iowa, and to such other lands and territory along said river over which the courts of this state have heretofore exercised jurisdiction.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Farmers Tribune, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 30, 1898.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, April 7, 1898, and in the Farmers' Tribune, April 13, 1898.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.