

prosecute all suits in his county against public service corporations which are brought in the name of the state of Iowa.

6. *To appear for county officers.* To commence and prosecute all actions and proceedings brought by any county officer in his official capacity.

7. *To give opinions.* To give advice or his opinion in writing, without compensation, to the board of supervisors and other county officers when requested so to do by such board or officer, upon all matters in which the state or county is interested, or relating to the duty of the board or officer in which the state or county may have an interest; but he shall not appear before the board of supervisors upon any hearing in which the state or county is not interested, or in applications to establish, vacate or alter highways.

8. *To attend the grand jury.* To attend the grand jury whenever necessary for the purpose of examining witnesses before it, or of giving it legal advice, or to procure subpoenas or other process for witnesses, to prepare all bills of indictment; but he must not be present when an indictment is considered or found.

9. *To give receipts for money received.* To give a receipt to all persons from whom he shall receive money in his official capacity, and file a duplicate thereof with the county auditor.

10. *To notify attorney general of appeals—to prepare abstract.* To promptly notify the attorney general of every criminal case appealed from his county to the supreme court, and when the appeal is taken by the state, at least forty (40) days prior to the term at which the cause is to be heard, prepare and deliver to the attorney general a typewritten manuscript of the abstract of the case; and when the appeal is taken by the defendant, he shall prepare and deliver to the attorney general when necessary a typewritten manuscript of the amended abstract of the case in ample time to have the same printed and filed within the time prescribed by the rules of the supreme court; said manuscript of the abstract or amended abstract shall be in the form and manner prescribed by law, and the rules of the supreme court.

11. *To make report to governor or attorney general.* To make reports relating to the duties and the administration of his office to the governor or the attorney general whenever called upon by the governor or the attorney general so to do.

12. *To perform other duties.* To perform such other and further duties as are now or may hereafter be enjoined upon him by law.

Approved March 19, A. D. 1909.

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## CHAPTER 18.

### COMPENSATION OF COUNTY ATTORNEYS.

S. F. 102.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section three hundred and eight (308) of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the compensation of county attorneys.

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

**SECTION 1. Compensation in certain counties.** The law as it appears in section three hundred and eight (308) of the supplement to the code, 1907, is hereby amended by adding to said section the following: "In counties where the district court is held at two places in the county, the board of supervisors may allow to the county attorney, in addition to the salary above provided, a sum not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00);".

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 Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved February 23, A. D. 1909.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and Des Moines Capital February 24, A. D. 1909.

W. C. HAYWARD,  
Secretary of State.

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## CHAPTER 19.

### PERSONS EXEMPT FROM JURY DUTY.

S. F. 12.

AN ACT to amend section three hundred and thirty-three (333) of the code relating to persons exempt from liability to act as jurors.

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

SECTION 1. **Dentists.** That section three hundred and thirty-three (333) of the code be amended by inserting the word "dentists" between the words "pharmacists" and "and" in the fourth line of said section.

Approved February 2, A. D. 1909.

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## CHAPTER 20.

### SELECTION OF JURY LISTS.

S. F. 361.

AN ACT to amend section three hundred thirty-five (335) of the code relating to the selection of persons to serve as petit and grand jurors and talesmen.

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

SECTION 1. **Lists to be made biennially.** That section three hundred thirty-five (335) of the code be amended by striking therefrom all the words and punctuation marks from the beginning thereof down to and including the word "talesmen" in the tenth line and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"At the time of holding the general election in A. D. 1910 and biennially thereafter lists shall be made from which to select persons to serve as grand and petit jurors and talesmen for the year commencing on the first day of January next following and for the year commencing on the first day of the second January next following, as follows: Two hundred persons in each county from which to select grand jurors, the number equal to one-tenth of the inhabitants of the county as shown by the last preceding official census from which to select petit jurors, and three hundred persons in counties having twenty thousand inhabitants or less, and six hundred persons in counties having more than twenty thousand inhabitants from which to select talesmen. No person on the list of petit or grand jurors shall be eligible to serve on more than one jury panel during the biennial period for which the list is made."

Approved April 16, A. D. 1909.