

## CHAPTER 23.

## FEES OF JURORS.

H. F. 179.

AN ACT to repeal section three hundred fifty-four (354) of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the fees of jurors, and enacting a substitute therefor.

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

**SECTION 1. Repeal—fees of jurors.** That section three hundred fifty-four (354) of the supplement to the code, 1907, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

“Jurors shall receive the following fees:

For each day’s service or attendance in courts of record including jurors summoned on special venire, two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50), and for each mile traveled from his residence to the place of trial, ten cents;

For each day’s service before a justice of the peace, one dollar.

No mileage shall be allowed talesmen or jurors before justices. Immediately after the adjournment of each term of a court of record, the clerk thereof shall certify to the county auditor a list of the jurors, with the number of days’ attendance to which each one is entitled.”

Approved February 23, A. D. 1909.

## CHAPTER 24.

## QUALIFICATION OF SURETIES.

H. F. 427.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section three hundred fifty-eight (358) of the code relating to qualification of sureties on certain official bonds.

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

**SECTION 1. Attorneys not acceptable as sureties.** That the law as it appears in section three hundred fifty-eight (358) of the code of Iowa, be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding thereto after the period in the last line the following: “Attorneys at law shall not be accepted as sureties upon any official bonds provided for in this section. Whenever the board of supervisors of any county shall have knowledge that any attorney at law is surety upon any official bond, above referred to, it shall require said officer to forthwith file a new bond. But nothing herein shall exempt such person from any liability upon the bond signed by him.”

Approved April 8, A. D. 1909.

## CHAPTER 25.

## BONDS BY GUARANTEE COMPANIES.

H. F. 44.

AN ACT to amend section three hundred and sixty (360) of the code, relating to bonds by guarantee companies.

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

**SECTION 1. Premiums paid out of trust funds.** Section three hundred and sixty (360) of the code is hereby amended by striking from line ten thereof the period following the word “code” and adding thereto the following:

“And the premium for any such guaranty or surety company bond as defined in this section, may, by the approval of the court be paid out of the trust funds in the hands of the party of whom the bond is required.”

Approved March 18, A. D. 1909.

## CHAPTER 26.

### COUNTY HOSPITALS.

S. F. 166.

AN ACT to enable counties to establish and maintain public hospitals, levy a tax and issue bonds therefor, elect hospital trustees, maintain training schools for nurses, provide suitable means for the care of tuberculous persons, and to make possible the ultimate establishment of an adequate supply of hospitals with equal rights to all and special privileges to none. [Additional to chapter one (1) of title four (IV) of the code, relating to counties.]

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

**SECTION 1. County hospital—how established.** Any county may establish a public hospital in the following manner: Whenever the board of supervisors of any county shall be presented with a petition signed by two hundred (200) resident freeholders of such county, one hundred and fifty (150) of whom shall not be residents of the city, town, or village where it is proposed to locate such public hospital, asking that an annual tax may be levied for the establishment and maintenance of a public hospital at a place in the county named therein, and shall specify in their petition the maximum amount of money proposed to be expended in purchasing or building said hospital, such board of supervisors shall submit the question to the qualified electors of the county at the next general election to be held in the county, or at a special election called for that purpose, first giving ninety days' notice thereof in one or more newspapers published in the county, if any be published therein, and by posting such notice, written or printed, in each township of the county, which notice shall include the text of the petition and state the amount of tax to be levied upon the assessed property of the said county, which tax shall not exceed two (2) mills on the dollar, for a period of time not exceeding twenty (20) years and be for the issue of county bonds to provide funds for the purchase of a site or sites and the erection thereon of a public hospital, and hospital buildings; and for the support of same; which said election shall be held at the usual places in such county for electing county officers, the vote to be canvassed in the same manner as that for county officers.

**SEC. 2. Question submitted—hospital fund.** The board of supervisors of such county shall submit to the qualified electors thereof, at a regular or special election, the question whether there shall be levied upon the assessed property of such county a tax of . . . . .mills on the dollar for the purchase of real estate for hospital purposes, for the construction of hospital buildings, and for maintaining same, or for either or all of such purposes. The ballots to be used at any election at which the hospital question is submitted, shall be printed with a statement substantially as follows:

<input type="checkbox"/>	yes	For a . . . . .mill tax for a bond issue for a public hospital
<input type="checkbox"/>	no	and for maintenance of same.

If a majority of the votes cast at such election on the proposition so submitted shall be in favor of a . . . . .mill tax for a bond issue for a public hos-