

CHAPTER 356.

ISSUANCE OF WARRANTS BY COUNTY AUDITOR.

H. F. 380.

AN ACT to amend section forty-six hundred sixty-one (4661), of the code, relating to witness fees; to repeal section three hundred fifty-three (353) of the code, relating to the payment of jury fees; to repeal section four hundred seventy-one (471), of the code, relating to the issuance of county warrants, and to enact a substitute therefor.

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

1 SECTION 1. **Witness fees.** That section forty-six hundred six-
2 ty-one (4661) of the code, be and the same is hereby amended by
3 striking out of the seventeenth (17th) line of said section the words
4 "grand or".

1 SEC. 2. **Repeal.** That section three hundred fifty-three (353), of
2 the code, be and the same is hereby repealed.

1 SEC. 3. **Issuance of warrants by county auditor.** That section
2 four hundred seventy-one (471) of the code, be and the same is here-
3 by repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

4 Except as otherwise provided, the auditor shall not sign or issue
5 any county warrant, unless the board of supervisors by recorded vote
6 or resolution shall have authorized the same, and every such warrant
7 shall be numbered and the date, amount and the number of the same,
8 and the name of the person to whom issued, shall be entered in a
9 book to be kept in his office for that purpose.

1 SEC. 4. **Issuance of warrants prior to verification by super-**
2 **visors.** The county auditor is hereby authorized to issue warrants
3 as follows before bills for same have been passed upon by the board
4 of supervisors.

4 1. For jury fees and mileage on certificate of the clerk of the
5 court upon which they were in attendance, which certificate shall be
6 issued when the juror entitled thereto shall have been discharged or
7 excused by the court.

8 2. For witness fees and mileage for attendance before the grand
9 jury upon certificate of the county attorney and foreman of such
10 jury.

11 3. For witness fees before the district court of trial jury there-
12 in in criminal cases, when such fees are payable by the county, upon
13 certificate of the clerk of the court upon which they were in at-
14 tendance.

15 4. The per diem of the shorthand reporter of the district court
16 upon certificate of the judge holding said court.

17 5. For expense of the grand jury upon order of the judge of the
18 district court.

1 SEC. 5. **Issuance of warrants when board is not in session.**
2 The board of supervisors may, by resolution, authorize the county
3 auditor to issue warrants when said board is not in session for the
4 following named purposes;

4 1. For such fixed charges as freight, express, postage, water, light
5 and telephone rents, upon filing duly verified bills for same with the
6 county auditor.

7 2. For salaries and pay rolls where such compensation shall have
8 been previously fixed by the board of supervisors, upon certificate of
9 the officer or foreman under whom such compensation shall have been
10 earned.

1 SEC. 6. Verification by board. All bills paid under the provi-
2 sions of this act shall be passed upon by the board of supervisors
3 at the first meeting following such payment and shall be entered on
4 the minutes as other claims allowed by the board.

1 SEC. 7. Form of warrants. All warrants issued by the auditor
2 shall be made payable to the person performing the service or fur-
3 nishing the supplies for which said warrant makes payment, and
4 shall state the purpose for which said warrant was issued.

1 SEC. 8. Erroneous certificates. Any officer making an errone-
2 ous certificate shall be liable on his official bond for any loss to the
3 county thereby.

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CHAPTER 357.

SAVINGS BANKS.

H. F. 138.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section eighteen hundred forty-three (1843), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the minimum capital required for the organization of savings banks.

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

1 SECTION 1. Required paid up capital. That the law as it ap-
2 pears in section eighteen hundred forty-three (1843), supplement to
3 the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out all
4 of said section preceding the period in line four (4) of said section and
5 inserting in lieu thereof the following: the paid up capital of any
6 savings bank shall not be less than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00)
7 in towns or villages having a population of one thousand (1,000) or
8 less, nor less than fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) in towns
9 having a population of more than one thousand (1,000) and less than
10 two thousand (2,000), nor less than twenty-five thousand dollars
11 (\$25,000.00) in cities of more than two thousand (2,000) and less
12 than ten thousand (10,000) population, nor less than fifty thousand
13 dollars (\$50,000.00) in cities having a greater population.

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