SALARIES.

the same by a temporary loan, to be paid by direct tax, in the year following such purchase, instead of by the issue of bonds, if such board shall prefer so to do.

An act in relation to turnpike roads.

Approved April 21, 1876. P. L. 1876, p. 262.

186. Sec. 1. That whenever the directors of any turnpike company, upon which turnpike road have been laid, by authority of law, the rails of a railroad company operated by steam, shall apply to the court of common pleas of any county, or to the justices of the supreme court of this state, as the case may require, for the appointment of surveyors of the highways to vacate said turnpike road, or any portion of the same, then and in such case the same proceedings shall be taken and had as are taken and had in reference to the vacation of any public road; and if such turnpike road, or any part thereof, shall be vacated upon said proceedings, the right of way of the public over such lands, within the limits of such turnpike road, as a turnpike, shall be extinguished; provided, nevertheless, that all other easements over said lands shall continue, and the said turnpike company shall not be divested of the title thereto; and provided further, that it shall be the duty of the surveyors of the highways appointed in such case to assess and appraise the damages which any owner or owners of lands abutting upon said turnpike road may sustain by reason of such vacation, which damages shall be paid by said company upon demand, and before the easement of the right of way over such as a turnpike shall be extinguished, and either party may take proceedings in the nature of an appeal, as in the case of assessment of damages for the opening of a public road.

An act to prevent injury to roads.


187. Sec. 1. That no person shall use on any road leading from the steep rocks of the Palisades to the Hudson river, in the county of Bergen, in this state, any drag or other attachment under the wheel of any vehicle, whereby such wheel or attachment or other part of the vehicle shall drag instead of rolling over said road, excepting a proper brake, to be applied to the wheel or wheels to restrain the speed thereof on an incline, and no part of such brake shall touch the ground, nor stop the revolution of any wheel; and any person wilfully offending against any provision of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be punished by fine, not exceeding twenty dollars.

Salaries.

1. Compensation of certain officers.
Governor.
Comptroller.
Treasurer.
Attorney General.
Adjutant and Quartermaster General.
Private Secretary of Governor.
Assistant Secretary of State.
Commissioners of Sinking Fund.
Superintendent of Public Instruction.
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Salaries, how paid.

2. Employment of assistants. Annual cost for several departments.

3. Fees of Secretary of State.
   Clerk In Chancery.
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6. Fees of governor for licenses, etc., to be paid to treasurer.
7. Per diem of common pleas judges.
8. Per diem of clerks of county courts.
10. Salary of clerks of grand juries.
12. Compensation of officers of senate.
13. Repealer.
An act fixing the compensation of certain public officers of the state. Approved March 16, 1876.

1. That the several public officers of this state for the time being, hereinafter named, shall respectively be entitled to receive the compensation and fees hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:

   The governor of this state, a salary at the rate of five thousand dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The comptroller of the state, a salary at the rate of four thousand dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The treasurer of the state, a salary at the rate of four thousand dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The attorney general, a salary at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars by the year, and the fees he is now entitled by law to receive;
   The adjutant general and quartermaster general, each a salary at the rate of twelve hundred dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The private secretary of the governor, a salary at the rate of two thousand dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The assistant secretary of state, a salary at the rate of two thousand dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The commissioners of the sinking fund, each a salary at the rate of one thousand dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The superintendent of public instruction, a salary at the rate of three thousand dollars by the year, and no fees;
   The state librarian, a salary at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars by the year, and no fees;

   All of which salaries shall be paid to the said several officers on the warrant of the comptroller, by the treasurer of the state.

2. That the public officers hereinafter mentioned, are hereby authorized, by and with the approval of the governor of this state, to employ assistants as may be necessary in their several departments; provided, that the annual cost thereof shall not exceed the amounts hereinafter allotted to the several departments for that purpose, that is to say:

   To the executive department, two thousand five hundred dollars, and for other clerical service, three thousand five hundred dollars;
   To the comptroller's department, for the first assistant, two thousand five hundred dollars, and for other clerical service, three thousand five hundred dollars;
   To the treasurer's department, three thousand three hundred dollars;
   To the adjutant general's department, two thousand five hundred dollars;
   To the quartermaster general's department, seven thousand seven hundred dollars;
   To the commissioners of the sinking fund, one thousand six hundred dollars, and such expenses incurred in foreclosure and other necessary legal proceedings, as the governor shall approve;
   To the superintendent of public instruction, five hundred dollars;
   To the state librarian, two hundred and fifty dollars;

   And the persons employed in the said departments, under the authority of this section, shall make out their several bills, monthly, stating therein the service rendered, and procure the same to be certified by the head of the department, and to be endorsed with the approval of the governor, and present the same to the comptroller, and on his warrant, each bill shall be paid by the treasurer of the state.

3. That the public officers of this state hereinafter mentioned, shall receive no salaries, but shall be entitled to receive the fees following for the services hereinafter specified, and no further or other fees, that is to say:

   The secretary of state shall be entitled to receive the same fees which he is now entitled by law to receive, as secretary of state, clerk of the court of errors and appeals, clerk of the prerogative court, and register in

1 The following acts have been passed fixing the salaries of prosecutor of the peace in certain counties of this state: P. L. 1876, p. 415—Huntington, $1500; P. L. 1876, p. 415—Essex, $1500, and for assistant $2500; J. p. 296—Bergen, $1500; J. p. 294—Salem, $800; J. p. 415—Somerset, $600; J. p. 415—Camden, $900, and for assistant $200; J. p. 435—Union, $800; J. p. 455—Warren, $1000; J. p. 425—Cape May, $200. Cumberland, $1200; J. p. 415—Middlesex, $1000, Gloucester, $900. For act respecting compensation of prosecutor of Hudson, see P. L. 1876, p. 126.
the prerogative office, clerk of the court of pardons, and commissioner of insurance;
The clerk in chancery shall be entitled to receive:
For entering an action, fifteen cents;
For filing each pleading or other paper, nine cents; Fees.
For copies, and enrolling proceedings, for each folio of
one hundred words, six cents;
For entering every rule, fifteen cents;
For every commission issued, one dollar;
For setting down a cause for hearing, thirty-eight cents;
For taxing a bill of costs, thirty-eight cents;
For commissions on deposits, if under one hundred dol-
ars, three-fourths of one per centum; if over one
hundred dollars, and under one thousand dollars,
three-eighths of one per centum on such excess; if
over one thousand dollars, three-sixteenths of one
per centum on such excess;
For searching the records, for each book, for each
name, three cents; Clerk of the
For drawing a certificate and seal, fifteen cents; supreme court.
The clerk of the supreme court shall be entitled to receive:
For sealing every writ, ten cents; Fees.
For entering an action, eight cents;
For entering an appearance on default, ten cents;
For entering the return of a writ, ten cents;
For entering every rule, twelve cents;
For filing every writ, pleading, or other paper, six cents;
For entering a retraxit, discontinuance or non-suit, eleven cents;
For entering a postea, fifteen cents;
For entering a judgment, nine cents;
For entering satisfaction on record, fifteen cents;
For copies, and recording judgments, for each folio of
one hundred words, six cents;
For taxing a bill of costs, thirty-eight cents;
For drawing a certificate and seal, fifteen cents;
For searching the records, for each book, for each
name, three cents; When act shall take effect.

4. That this act shall take effect immediately; saving and excepting,
that so far as the same increases or reduces the per centage or allowance
of any public officer during the term for which such officer was elected
or appointed, it shall take effect only upon and immediately after the end
of such term.

Supplement to an act to provide for the support of the government
of this state, and to fix the salaries of public officers.

Approved March 11, 1862.

5. Sec. 1. That the governor of this state for the time being shall be
entitled to receive an annual salary of [five] thousand dollars, to be paid in
the manner specified in the act to which this is a supplement, and he shall
receive no perquisites or other compensation whatsoever as a member of
the court of pardons or otherwise. (See Sec. 1).

6. Sec. 2. That all fees to which the governor is now by law entitled, for
licenses and for seals to exemplifications, commissions, certificates or other
papers, shall hereafter be collected by the secretary of state and paid to
the treasurer for the benefit of the state; and the secretary of the state
shall annually report to the legislature an account of the fees to which the
state shall be entitled by virtue of this act, giving an accurate and full
account of the documents and papers issued for which any such fees are
by law chargeable, and if he shall fail to collect the same, he shall be
chargeable with the amount thereof.
Supplement to same. 

Approved March 18, 1869.

7. Sec. 1. That the judges of the court of common pleas of the several counties of this state, shall each receive three dollars per diem for every day's attendance at court.

8. Sec. 2. That the clerks of the circuit courts and courts of common pleas of the several counties of this state, shall each receive [three] dollars per diem for every day's attendance at court.

Supplement.

Approved March 15, 1870.

9. Sec. 1. That hereafter the annual salary of the chancellor and of the chief justice of the supreme court shall be five thousand two hundred dollars; and the annual salary of each of the associate justices of the supreme court five thousand dollars.

An act concerning clerks of grand juries. 

Approved March 9, 1877.

10. Sec. 1. That it shall be lawful for the board of chosen freetholders of any county of this state wherein clerks of grand juries are now allowed by law, to fix and determine the salary which shall be paid to the clerk of the grand juries of such county; provided, that in counties having by the census of the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five a population of less than fifty thousand inhabitants, it shall not exceed the sum of two hundred dollars per annum, and in counties having by said census a population exceeding fifty thousand and less than one hundred thousand inhabitants, it shall not exceed the sum of three hundred dollars per annum; and in counties having by said census a population of one hundred thousand or more inhabitants, it shall not exceed the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

An act to fix the salaries of the officers of the senate and general assembly of the state of New Jersey. 

Approved March 9, 1877.

11. Sec. 1. That there shall be paid to the officers and pages of the house of assembly a yearly compensation as follows: To the clerk, one thousand five hundred dollars; to the assistant clerk, one thousand two hundred dollars; to the journal clerk, one thousand dollars; to the engrossing clerk, one thousand three hundred dollars; to the sergeant at arms, seven hundred dollars; to the assistant sergeant at arms, five hundred dollars; to each of the gallery keepers, three hundred dollars; to the speaker's secretary, six hundred dollars; and to each page, two hundred dollars.

12. Sec. 2. That there shall be paid to the officers and pages of the senate a yearly compensation as follows: To the secretary, one thousand five hundred dollars; to the assistant secretary, one thousand two hundred dollars; to the engrossing clerk, one thousand two hundred dollars; to the journal clerk, one thousand dollars; to the president's secretary, six hundred dollars; to each of the two calendar clerks, five hundred dollars; to the clerk to the committee on engrossed bills, three hundred dollars; to the sergeant at arms, six hundred dollars; to the assistant sergeant at arms, four hundred dollars; to each of the four door keepers, two hundred and fifty dollars; to each of the pages, two hundred dollars; and in no case shall any additional compensation be allowed or paid to any of the said officers or pages.

13. Sec. 3. That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed, and this act shall take effect immediately.