

three hundred and twenty), but not to include the index to plaintiffs in the D. S. B. docket for which a fee of twenty-five cents provided by the act directing such index and not to include the special indexing provided in other acts.

For re-indexing cases in which only the parties' names, number, term, and year are written, five cents for each line, to include comparing.

For re-indexing judgments, sheriff's deeds, treasurer's deeds, and the like, in which additional information to the parties, number, term, and year is inserted, ten cents for each line or index entry: Provided, That a higher rate may be allowed at the discretion of the court ordering such indexing to be done.

Filing any paper not above specified, twenty-five cents.

Duplicate copy of naturalization paper, one dollar.

Appeal from Compensation Board, five dollars for all proceedings in connection therewith.

Filing and entering remittitur and exemplification from Supreme Court, one dollar and seventy-five cents.

Entering conditional sale contract, two dollars.

The fee for services not herein specifically provided for shall be the same as for similar services: And provided, That the fees hereinbefore enumerated shall be exclusive of any State tax now levied or that may hereafter be levied.

Section 2. That the prothonotary shall not be required to issue any writ, docket any order of court, or enter any judgment thereon or perform any service whatsoever until the requisite fee is paid.

May demand costs in advance.

Section 3. That all acts or parts of acts, general, local, or special, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Repeal.

APPROVED—The 2nd day of May, A. D. 1925.

GIFFORD PINCHOT.

No. 276.

AN ACT

To amend article thirteen of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws in relation thereto," providing for a charge on property for the use of sewers and sewage disposal plants and the collection of such charge.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That article thirteen of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of June,

Cities of the third class.

Sewers.

Article 13 of act
of June 27, 1913
(P. L. 568),
amended.

Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and sixty-eight), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation, regulation, and government of cities of the third class; regulating nomination and election of municipal officers therein; and repealing, consolidating, and extending existing laws, in relation thereto," is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections:

Rental or charge
for use of sewer,
sewer system or
disposal plant.

Section 6. Whenever any city of the third class has constructed any sewer, or sewer system, or sewage disposal plant, either wholly or partially at public expense, or has acquired the same at public expense, such city may provide by ordinance for the collection of an annual rental or charge for the use of such sewer, sewer system, or sewage disposal plant from the owners of the property served by it.

Amount of annual
rental.

Section 7. Such annual rental shall not exceed the amount expended annually by the city in the operation, maintenance, repair, alteration, inspection, depreciation, or other expenses in relation to such sewer, sewer system, or sewage disposal plant, and may include any interest on money expended by the city in the construction or acquisition of such sewer, sewer system, or sewage disposal plant. The said annual sum shall be apportioned equitably among the several properties served by the said sewer, sewer system, or sewage disposal plant.

Apportionment of
cost.

Warrants for col-
lection.

Section 8. The councils of such city shall execute a warrant or warrants authorizing the collection of such annual sewer rentals or charges to the officer employed by council to collect the same.

Charges to be lien
on property.

Section 9. Such annual sewer rentals or charges shall be a lien on the properties charged with the payment thereof from the date set in the ordinance, and if not paid after thirty days' notice may be collected by an action in assumpsit in the name of the city against the owner of the property charged or by distress of personal property on the premises or by a lien filed in the nature of a municipal lien.

Collection.

APPROVED—The 4th day of May, A. D. 1925.

GIFFORD PINCHOT.