that section. Upon the expiration of the term of any county officer affected by such proceeding, his office shall be joined to the other whose term still continues, and no successor shall be elected; or if the terms of all officers affected expire at the same time, then, upon such expiration, such offices shall be joined and occupied by one person elected at the preceding municipal election for such purpose.

Repeal.

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts, general, local and special, inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved—The 23d day of May, A. D. 1933.

GIFFORD PINCHOT

No. 187

AN ACT

To amend section two hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred seventy-eight), entitled "An act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto," as amended, by changing the qualification of the first deputy prothonotary in counties of the third class.

The General County Law.

Section 224, act of May 2, 1929 (P. L. 1278), as amended by act of June 9, 1931 (P. L. 401), further amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section two hundred and twenty-four of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred seventy-eight), entitled "An act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto," which was amended by section one of the act approved the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred one), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 224. Appointment of First Deputies; Compensation.—The prothonotary, clerk of the courts of quarter sessions and oyer and terminer, and clerk of the orphans' court, and register of wills and recorder of deeds shall appoint one first deputy, to act in the case of the death or resignation of his principal, or when the office shall become vacant from other causes. In counties of the second and third classes, the first deputy prothonotary shall be designated from the force of clerks in the prothonotary's office, and shall give bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, conditioned for the proper and faithful performance of his duties. [In counties of the third class, the first deputy prothonotary shall be learned in the law.]

The salary or compensation of said deputies shall be fixed by the salary boards, in counties where there are such boards, and in other counties by the officer appointing the deputy.

APPROVED—The 23d day of May, A. D. 1933.

GIFFORD PINCHOT

No. 188

AN ACT

To amend section two hundred and ninety-five of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred seventy-eight), entitled 'An act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto,' by limiting the compensation of the clerk to the jury commissioners in counties of the sixth class.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section two hundred and ninety-five of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred seventy-eight), entitled "An act relating to counties of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; and revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating thereto," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 295. Clerk.—Except as hereinafter provided, the jury commissioners are hereby authorized to appoint a clerk and fix his compensation, with the consent and approval of the salary board, if there be such a board, or, if not, then of the county commissioners, for his employment with said jury commissioners in the preparation and in filling the jury wheel or in drawing jurors; but in no case shall the compensation of such clerk, in counties of the sixth class, exceed the amount received by any jury commissioner from such county for the same period of time. Said appointment of a clerk shall be made within thirty days after the jury commissioners qualify for office, and, if the jury commissioners shall fail to make such appointment within said time, or shall thereafter for a period of thirty days fail to fill any vacancy in said position, the county commissioners shall appoint a clerk for them. The compensation of said clerk shall be fixed by the salary board, or the commissioners, as the case may be. In counties of the third class, the clerk of the jury commissioners shall be appointed and his compensation fixed by the court of common pleas.

APPROVED—The 23d day of May, A. D. 1933.

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The General County Law.

Section 295, act of May 2, 1929 (P. L. 1278), amended.