

No. 117

AN ACT

Authorizing the prothonotaries of the several courts of common pleas of this Commonwealth, with the approval of the county commissioners, to provide an adsectum judgment index and fixing the fees of the prothonotaries therefor.

Prothonotaries.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Adsectum judgment index.

Section 1. The prothonotaries of the several courts of the common pleas may, with the approval of the county commissioners, keep a separate index to be known as the adsectum judgment index, in which shall be entered in alphabetical order the names of all persons in whose favor any judgment or judgments shall have been entered or to whom any judgment or judgments previously entered have been assigned of record.

Fee for indexing.

Section 2. The prothonotaries are hereby authorized to collect as part of the costs, for entering any judgment or assignment thereof, a fee of twenty-five cents for indexing said judgment or assignments in the adsectum judgment index, in addition to any fees which they are now authorized by law to collect.

Act of May 28, 1915, P. L. 614, repealed.

Section 3. The act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred fifteen (Pamphlet Laws 614), entitled "An act requiring the prothonotaries of the several courts of common pleas of this Commonwealth to provide an adsectum judgment index and fixing the fees of the prothonotaries therefor," is hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

Section 4. All acts and parts of acts are hereby repealed in so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

APPROVED—The 17th day of July, A. D. 1953.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 118

AN ACT

To amend section 1 of the act, approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred forty-five (Pamphlet Laws 594), entitled "An act providing for the disposition of fines, penalties, and forfeitures collected in summary proceedings; and imposing penalties," by requiring magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace to make monthly settlements with certain political subdivisions.

Magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 1 of the act, approved the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred forty-five (Pamphlet Laws 594), entitled "An act providing for the disposition of fines, penalties and forfeitures collected in summary proceedings; and imposing penalties," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1, act of May 16, 1945, P. L. 594, amended.

Section 1. All fines, penalties and forfeitures collected by magistrates, aldermen and justices of the peace in summary proceedings under the provisions of any general, local or special law, unless disposition thereof is therein otherwise specifically provided for, or unless disposition thereof is provided for by general law, shall be paid quarterly into the county treasury for the use of the county.

Disposition of fines, penalties and forfeitures.

If under existing law the Commonwealth is entitled to any such fines, penalties or forfeitures, the same shall be paid monthly into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue. If under existing law any political subdivision, other than a county, is entitled to any such fines, penalties or forfeitures, the same shall be paid [quarterly into the treasury of the county in which such political subdivision is located, and shall within thirty (30) days thereafter be paid by the county treasurers] *monthly* to the treasurer of such political subdivision.

Payments to Commonwealth.

Payments to political subdivisions other than counties.

All the aforesaid payments shall be accompanied by an affidavit of the magistrate, alderman or justice of the peace giving the names, addresses, offenses charged, amounts collected, and the dates of the offenses.

Affidavit.

If the magistrates, aldermen or justices of the peace fail or neglect to comply with the above requirements and provisions, a penalty of six per cent (6%) interest is hereby imposed on the amount of money in the possession of said magistrates, aldermen or justice of the peace until such time as payment is made.

Penalty for failure to comply.

Section 2. All acts, general, local or special, inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

APPROVED—The 17th day of July, A. D. 1953.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 119

AN ACT

To further amend the third paragraph of section 1 of Article III of the act, approved the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred one (Pamphlet Laws 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," by fixing maximum days and hours of service for policemen.