Salary in counties of eighth class.

In counties of seventh class.

Judge to fix

Not to be increased or decreased during term.

Proviso.

Act of July 9, 1919 (P. L. 795), repealed so far as relates to counties of seventh and eighth classes. In counties of the eighth class, not less than five hundred dollars (\$500) or more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

In counties of the seventh class, not less than six hundred dollars (\$600) or more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

Whenever in this act a maximum and minimum salary is provided, the judge or judges of the court of quarter sessions of the county shall have power to fix the salary of the district attorney within the maximum limits herein provided, but any such salary shall be fixed before the election of any district attorney to whom such salary is to be paid, and such salary shall not thereafter be increased or decreased during the term for which such district attorney was elected: Provided, That where the said judge or judges shall fail, neglect, or refuse to fix a salary for the district attorney as herein provided, he shall receive the minimum salary fixed by this act.

The salaries herein provided for shall be paid by the county.

Section 2. The act approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred ninety-five, entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys in counties having a population of less than one million inhabitants," is hereby repealed in so far as it relates to counties of the seventh and eighth classes.

APPROVED-The 23d day of June, A. D. 1931.

GIFFORD PINCHOT

No. 304

AN ACT

To amend section one, and repeal section two, of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred twenty-six), entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of tipstaves in the courts of common pleas, oyer and terminer and general jail delivery, quarter sessions of the peace, and orphans' courts, in counties of the second class," by providing for fixing of such salaries by judges.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of the act, approved the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred twenty-six), entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of tipstaves in the courts of common pleas, over and terminer and general jail delivery, quarter sessions of the peace, and orphans' courts, in counties of the second class." is hereby amended to read as follows:

Counties of second class.

Section 1, act of May 3, 1929 (P. L. 126), amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the tipstaves in Tipstaves. the courts of common pleas, over and terminer and general jail delivery, quarter sessions of the peace, and orphans' courts, in counties of the second class, shall receive such salaries as shall be fixed by the [Salary Judges to Board,] judges of such courts, not exceeding twenty-six fix salaries. hundred dollars (\$2600.00) per annum. Salaries thus fixed shall be paid out of the county treasury semimonthly.

Section 2. That section two of said act is hereby re- section 2 repealed. pealed.

APPROVED—The 23d day of June, A. D. 1931.

GIFFORD PINCHOT

No. 305

AN ACT

To amend sections one and two of the act, approved the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act to regulate and determine what weight of anthracite coal shall make a ton in deliveries by retail coal dealers, and to impose penalties for short weight," by reducing the weight of anthracite coal making a ton, and increasing the penalty for violation of this act.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of Anthracite coal. the act, approved the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred thirty-four), entitled "An act to regulate (P. L. 334), and determine what weight of anthracite coal shall make a ton in deliveries by retail coal dealers, and to impose penalties for short weight," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1, act of June 26, 1895

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That on and after the Anthracite coal. first day of July, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, two thousand [two hundred and forty] pounds avoirdupois shall make and constitute a legal ton of anthracite coal throughout this Commonwealth in all transactions between retail coal dealers and their customers.

Retail dealers.

Weight of legal ton.

That section two of said act is hereby Section 2 amended. Section 2. amended to read as follows:

Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation guilty of violation of act. violating the provisions of section one of this act, whereby it is attempted to sell less than two thousand [two hundred and forty] pounds to a ton, or a proper proportion thereof to quantities less than a ton, shall, upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace or alderman, after hearing on complaint made, shall be liable to a penalty of not exceeding [fifty] one hundred dollars, Penalty.