

CHAPTER 94.

[S. B. 34.]

LAW LIBRARIES IN SECOND AND THIRD CLASS COUNTIES.

AN ACT to establish law library funds in counties of the second and third classes and providing for the expenditure and use thereof.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

Library fund authorized.

SECTION 1. In each county of the second and third classes there shall be established a county law library fund, which said fund may be expended under vouchers approved by the judge or judges of the superior court of said county for the following purposes:

Purposes.

Rules.

(a) For the purchase of books and equipment for the establishment and maintenance of a county law library to be used exclusively by the county officers and others under such rules and regulations as the judge or judges of the superior court of the said county may prescribe.

Vetoed

(b) To be used under the direction of the judge or judges of the superior court of said county in paying dues to or maintenance charges to any duly organized library now maintained or owned by any non-profit corporation formed by or consisting of members of the bar of said county.

State publications receivable.

SEC. 2. State officials charged with the distribution of books, reports and publications are hereby authorized to supply to each county law library or law library maintained by such a corporation as mentioned in Section 1 hereof, the same books, reports and publications in the same quantities as they are authorized to supply to the law library of the State of Washington and the librarian of the State Law Library is hereby authorized and directed to distribute among such county law libraries estab-

lished under this act such duplicates of books and publications as may be in the Supreme Court Library not needed for its purpose.

SEC. 3. In every civil action hereafter commenced in the Superior Courts of the counties in which this act is applicable, there shall be paid to the clerk of the court, in addition to other fees required by law, by the plaintiff or person instituting the action, when the case is entered in the courts, or when the first paper on his part is filed therein, a fee of one dollar, and by the defendant, or other adverse party and by an intervenor or by groups of two or more defendants, or other adverse parties or intervenors, appearing separately from the others, when his or their first appearance is entered in the case or when his or their first paper is filed therein a fee of one dollar, such fee to be costs in the case and taxable as such. The clerk shall pay the same into the county treasury where they shall go into the law library fund and be expended in the manner provided in Section 1 herein.

How fund  
created.

Fees.

Passed the Senate November 24, 1925.

Passed the House December 19, 1925.

Approved with the exception of subdivision b, of Section 1, which is vetoed, December 24, 1925.