

which requires the action of the coroner; provided, however, that the Justice of the Peace of said County shall continue to exercise authority in any case which requires the action of a coroner, in case the said County Commissioners shall fail to appoint a coroner, as provided for in Section 188 of this subtitle.\*

### COUNTY BIRD.

1929, ch. 20.

**193.** The cardinal, commonly called the red bird, is hereby adopted as the County Bird of Montgomery County.

### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND TREASURER.

1892, ch. 418, sec. 61. 1912, ch. 790, sec. 127. 1927, ch. 320, sec. 127.

**194.** There shall be seven county commissioners for Montgomery County, and one commissioner shall be a resident of and elected from each of the seven Commissioner Districts of said County as hereinafter provided and whose terms of service shall be as follows:

At the general election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November in the year 1930, the qualified voters of Montgomery County shall elect seven County Commissioners, one of whom shall be a resident of each of the seven Commissioner Districts hereinafter provided, who shall hold office for the term of four years from the date of their election and until their successors shall be elected and qualified and thereafter as their respective terms expire, the County Commissioners shall be elected for a term of four years. If of the seven persons at any election for County Commissioners having the highest number of votes, two or more shall be residents of the same Commissioner District, the person in said District having the highest number of votes shall be declared elected, and the persons in the respective Commissioner District having the highest number of votes shall constitute the Board of County Commissioners.

1927, ch. 320, sec. 127A.

**195.** The County Commissioners of Montgomery County shall each receive for his services, the sum of \$1,200.00 per annum, payable monthly in equal installments.

1927, ch. 320, sec. 127B.

**196.** The Board of Supervisors of Elections of Montgomery County, prior to any primary election at which candidates for the office of County Commissioner of Montgomery County may be selected, shall require that every candidate for County Commissioner of Montgomery County shall, in addition to the other statements, be required by law, embody in his certificate of nomination, the statement that he is an actual resident of the Election District of Montgomery County of which he claims to be a regis-

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\*Sec. 6, ch. 520, 1922, repealed all laws inconsistent therewith.