

1882, ch. 78.

265. At least ten days before the annual levy is made by the county commissioners, the State's attorney shall make out and present to the said judge or judges, for his or their inspection and approval, his account for services rendered during the fiscal year past, which account, when so approved, shall be levied by the county commissioners at the time of making the annual levy in each and every year.

Ibid.

266. No compensation for defending any party in any criminal case shall be allowed to any attorney by the county commissioners, except on presentation of an order in writing, signed by a judge of the circuit court for said county, certifying in what case services had been rendered, and the amount to be paid for such services.

TRESPASS.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 22, sec. 148.

267. If any person shall cut down or cause to be cut down, or induce any person to cut down, any timber of a size not less than those commonly used for hoop-poles, with intent to steal the same, or any part thereof, within the limits of said county, he, his aiders and abettors, having knowledge of such intent to steal, shall be adjudged guilty of felony, and shall be sentenced to such punishment as is or may be prescribed by law for feloniously stealing goods or chattels to the value of the trees which shall be cut down as aforesaid, and of the injury thereby occasioned.

Ibid. sec. 149.

268. Any person who shall advisedly and maliciously, with the intent to injure the owner of any land, house or building in said county, cut down any tree, or cut down, break, dig or pull up, or in any manner destroy or injure, any growing grain, shrubs, herbs, roots, vines or vegetables, or shall cut, break, pull off, destroy or injure any part of any house or other building, or of any wall or fence, or any ornament or other valuable article attached to any house or other building, wall or fence, in said county, shall, on conviction thereof, be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined and imprisoned, or both, in the discretion of the court before which he shall be tried and convicted.