

General Laws, relating to the Clerks of Courts, their accounts and payments into the Treasury, be and the same are hereby amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows :

9. Every Clerk, except the Clerk of the Court of Appeals, the emoluments of whose office shall exceed the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars in any one year, after deducting therefrom the necessary expenses incident to his office for the same period, shall pay the excess to the Treasurer ; and the Clerk of the Court of Appeals shall pay the excess over the sum of three thousand dollars, after making the deductions aforesaid.

Clerks required to pay excess of fees to the Treasurer.

10. Every Clerk, including the Clerk of the Court of Appeals, shall twice in every year, on the first Monday in June and December, return a full and accurate account of all his fees, emoluments and receipts, whether on his own account as such Clerk, or for the State, city or county, including fines and forfeitures, and also of all expenses incident to his office, and such accounts shall be rendered under oath, and in such forms and supported by such proofs as shall be prescribed by the Comptroller ; and every Clerk, including said Clerk of the Court of Appeals, shall render with his account of the expenses incident to his office, a list of the Clerks employed by him, stating the rate of compensation allowed to each, and the duties which they severally perform, and, also, the sums paid for stationery, official and contingent expenses, fuel and other things, and stating the purposes for which said expenses are applied ; and in the account of fees, there shall be a separate statement of all those fees charged during the six months included in said account which, at the date of said account, remain uncollected.

Clerk required to make semi-annual statement of emoluments, &c.