

Section 534. It shall be the duty of the Sheriff to keep a correct and full statement or schedule of all persons committed to the jail, showing the length of time and the charge, upon which they are committed, and the name of the officer, which statement or schedule, together with all books, papers and commitments kept by him pertaining to prisoners in the jail, shall at all times be open to the inspection of the County Commissioners or any of them; and at the first meeting of the County Commissioners in each month the Sheriff shall make to them, under oath a full and complete report of the names and descriptions of all persons confined in the jail with the statement of the length of time, and offense for which they are committed, and the name of the officer by whom they are committed; and the said sums of money hereinbefore authorized to be levied and paid to the Sheriff shall be in full of all claims of said sheriff against Montgomery County, or said County Commissioners for his care, labor, responsibility and expense in discharging the duties of his office, including the keeping safely in jail of the prisoners committed to his custody, supplying to said prisoners the provisions furnished for them, by the County Commissioners, properly cooked and served in a proper and sanitary condition as hereinbefore provided, and keeping the jail in a clean and tidy condition; and the County Commissioners shall not pay said Sheriff for any service he may render in the discharge of his official duties any further or other compensation and shall not be in any way liable for any fees now or which may hereafter be allowed said Sheriff by law or for any further compensation than as above provided for the discharge of his official duties.

And be it further stated that it is the belief of the General Assembly that more effective police protection and service will prevail in Montgomery County, if the Sheriff and his deputies perform the Civil duties incident to the Courts of the County as set forth in this law and leave to the Montgomery County police force the immediate responsibility for the enforcement of the criminal laws of the county.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on July 1, 1927.

Approved April 26, 1927.