

the United States (if necessary) and in all other Courts where it shall be deemed expedient to do so, all such suits and proceedings as may be necessary and expedient to collect or in any way make available to said County, or judgment lately recovered by said County in the District Court in and for said County against the Leavenworth Lawrence and Galveston Railroad Company, or the claim or demand on what said judgment was rendered, and agrees to pay the said parties of the second part as compensation for their professional services in said matters as a fee certain the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars, one half to be paid in thirty days from the date hereof, and the remaining one half on the first day of January next, for which amount orders upon the Treasurer of the County shall now be drawn payable at the times above stated without interest. And also to pay to the parties of the second part as additional fees for such services, twenty per cent, on the amount saved, made, or collected for the County by said defense and prosecution, or saved, made, or collected by any compromise of said matters up to the sum of One hundred thousand dollars, so saved, made, or collected, and fifteen per cent on all sums so saved made or collected above said sum of One hundred thousand dollars.

But if said per centage shall amount to Six thousand dollars or more then the said certain fee of Twelve Hundred Dollars shall be deducted from the amount of the said per centage, and the balance only be paid to the parties of the second part.

Any compromise which may be made of any of the matters aforesaid shall be made only with the consent of the County Commissioners of said County and the parties of the second part.

It is further agreed that the party of the first part shall pay all reasonable and necessary expenses of said litigation including the necessary and reasonable personal expenses of the parties of the second part, when absent from home on said business, and including the payment of lawyers fees in taking depositions outside of the State of Kansas when the employment of said lawyers shall be deemed preferable to the attendance of the parties of the second part to take such depositions.

The parties of the second part accept such employment above mentioned, and the terms thereof, and