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Sincerely,

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The following summaries are included herein for reference purposes.

1. Private Acts of 1937, Chapter 774, declared that in Rhea County, the County Physician, or the Jail Physician, would receive an annual salary of \$1,000, payable monthly out of the general funds of the County. This Act is repealed below.
2. Private Acts of 1937 (Ex. Sess.), Chapter 32, stated that in Rhea County, any person who had worked continuously in a drug store under the direction and guidance of a licensed pharmacist for four years, or longer, and who was recommended by at least two reputable practicing physicians and one reputable pharmacist, could continue to do so upon paying the required licensing fee. This provision and law were not applicable to any other county.
3. Private Acts of 1949, Chapter 32, expressly repeals Private Acts of 1937, Chapter 774, Item One, above, as the same was written.

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