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## CHAPTER 200.

AN ACT to amend sections 1 and 2, of chapter 353, of the laws of 1887, entitled, "An act to protect children, and to provide for their removal from the custody of their parents or guardians in certain cases."

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 1, of chapter 353, of the laws of 1887, is hereby amended by inserting the words, "or municipal," between the words "county" and "judge," where the word judge occurs the second time in said section 1, so that said section, as amended, will read: Section 1. Whenever proper affidavit shall be made before any county or municipal judge, in any county in the state of Wisconsin that the physical or moral welfare of any child in such county is seriously endangered by the neglect, abuse or the vicious or immoral habits or associations of its parents or parent, guardian, or by any person having the custody of such child, or that the physical or moral welfare of any such child is seriously endangered by the inability, refusal or neglect of such parents, parent or guardian or custodian to properly care for such child, it shall be the duty of such county or municipal judge to summon witnesses as to the facts set forth in such affidavit; and also such parents or parent, guardian or custodian of such child; and if the proofs be sufficient to establish the facts set forth in such affidavit, and to warrant public interference with the custody of such child, it shall be the duty of such judge to cause such child to be removed from the custody of such parents or parent, guardian or custodian, and provide with a home, or such place for safe keeping and provision of such child as may be available and in his best judgment most suitable.

Amending section 1, chapter 353, laws 1887, giving municipal judge jurisdiction.

SECTION 2. Section 2, of said chapter 353, is hereby amended by inserting between the word, "county" and the word "judge," in the last line

Amending section 2, chapter 268. Not to be removed without written consent of judge.

of the section, the words, "or municipal," so that said section 2, as amended, will read: Section 2. It shall be unlawful for said parents or parent, guardian or custodian to interfere with or remove such child from the place so provided, without the written consent of such county or municipal judge.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.  
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## CHAPTER 201.

AN ACT to amend chapter 291, of the laws of 1880, entitled, "An act relating to the equalization of assessments."

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

Equalization of assessments, amending section 4, chapter 291, laws 1880.

SECTION 1. Section 4, of chapter 291, of the laws of 1880, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 4. The said commissioners, before proceeding to the discharge of their duties, shall severally take and subscribe an oath or affirmation, faithfully and impartially to discharge their duties under this act; they shall be entitled to receive four dollars each for every day in which they shall be actually employed in the discharge of their said duties, in addition to their actual expenses; the same with all other expenses connected with the making of the application and the subsequent proceedings, to be audited and allowed by the county board of supervisors, whose duty it shall be to charge all such costs and expenses back to the towns, cities and villages whose assessments are raised by the report of the commissioners, in proportion to the amount such towns, cities and villages are raised by such report; if, however, the decision of the commissioners is adverse to the town, city or village making the