

after the expiration of 10 days the board or boards issuing the order may enter upon the property and cause removal of the nuisance. The cost thereof may be recovered from the person permitting such violation, or such cost may be paid by the municipal treasurer and such account, after being paid by the treasurer, shall be filed with the municipal clerk, who shall enter the amount chargeable to the property in the next tax roll in a column headed, "For Abatement of a Nuisance," as a tax on the lands upon which such nuisance was abated, which tax shall be collected as other taxes are. In case of railroad or other lands not taxed in the usual way the amount chargeable against the same shall be certified by the clerk to the state treasurer who shall add the amount designated therein to the sum due from the company owning, occupying or controlling the land specified, and he shall collect the same as prescribed in chapter 76 and return the amount collected to the town, city or village from which such certificate was received. Anyone maintaining such a nuisance shall also be fined not exceeding \$300 or imprisoned not exceeding 90 days, or both.

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### CHAPTER 158.

AN ACT to amend 39.14 (1) of the statutes, relating to employment of supervising teachers by counties.

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

39.14 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

39.14 (1) (a) The county superintendent shall employ a supervising teacher, and, if there are more than 120 departments under his supervision, he shall employ 2 supervising teachers. *Any county that was entitled to employ 2 supervising teachers during the school year 1945-1946 shall continue to be entitled to employ that number until such time as the number of departments shall drop below 100.* A single room school shall be considered as one department and a multiple room school shall be considered as having as many departments as there are elementary teachers where each has under his individual control,

management, direction and instruction, wholly or principally, a collective body of pupils assembled in a room or rooms and such teacher is wholly or chiefly responsible for such control, management, direction and instruction and whose duty it is to keep a complete and special school register for his room or department.

(b) *Determination of the number of supervising teachers which the county superintendent shall employ for any given school year shall be made on the basis of the number of teachers employed on March 15 of the preceding school year.*

(c) *The county superintendent may employ supervising teachers in addition to those provided for by paragraph (a) in such number as may be approved by the county board. Such appointments shall be governed by the provisions of subsections (1) to (5) but subsections (6) and (7) shall not be applicable.*

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#### CHAPTER 159.

AN ACT to amend 301.20 of the statutes to permit appearance by agent before justice of the peace.

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

301.20 of the statutes is amended to read:

301.20 Sections 260.13 to 260.17 apply to actions in justice court. Any party, except a minor, may appear by an attorney, agent or in person and conduct or defend any action. *A party authorized to appear by attorney or agent may appoint any person such agent, and his authority may be written or verbal and shall, in all cases, when required by the justice, be proved by the agent himself or by other competent testimony unless admitted by the opposite party.*

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