

without the state and have any estate within the county. If a minor is under the age of fourteen years, the court may nominate and appoint his guardian; if he is above the age of fourteen years, he may nominate his own guardian, who if approved by the court shall be appointed accordingly. Such nomination shall be made in the county court by the minor, or if he does not reside within ten miles of the place of holding the county court, he may sign the application in the presence of a justice of the peace of the town, city or village in which he resides. The justice shall certify to the county court, that the application is the application of said minor, signed in his presence, and the court shall be satisfied that the person appointed is the deliberate choice of such minor.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 197.

AN ACT to amend section 290, of the revised statutes of 1878, relating to the distribution of stationery.

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

SECTION 1. Section 290, of the revised statutes of 1878, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 290. The state stationery, when purchased, shall be deposited with the said superintendent for safe keeping and disbursement. He shall charge himself in the books of his office with all stationery purchased and received by him, at cost price, and shall

Stationery to be kept by the superintendent of public property.

How purchased and distributed and to whom.

keep separate accounts with each state officer, the supreme court, the legislature and other officers and institutions to whom he shall furnish stationery as required by law. In addition to the stationery required by law to be furnished to the legislature, its officers, clerks, employes, reporters and committees, the said superintendent shall furnish all necessary stationery as follows, and to no others: To the governor, or his private secretary, for his office; to the secretary of state, or his assistant, for his office; to the chief clerk of the land office, for his office; to the state treasurer, or his assistant, for his office; to the state treasury agent, for his office; to the attorney-general, or his assistant, for his office; to the state superintendent, or his assistant, for his office; to the clerk of the supreme court, for the supreme court; to the corresponding secretary of the state historical society for its rooms; to the adjutant general, or his assistant, for his office; to the quartermaster general, or his assistant, for his office; to the secretary of the state agricultural society, for said society; to the railroad commissioner, or his deputy, for his office; to the insurance commissioner, or his deputy, for his office; to the secretary of the board of control, for the use of said board; to the state librarian, for the use of the state library; to the commissioner of labor statistics, for his office; to the superintendent of public property, for his office; to the dairy and food commissioner, for his office. No clerk, or any state officer, or any department of the state shall be permitted to receive any stationery unless on the written order of some of the persons above described.

Nothing can be received except on written order.

SECTION 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 11, 1895.