section 405, as amended by this act, the course of study shall be the full and fair equivalent of the course of study prescribed for the county training schools by the state superintendent.

SECTION 2. Section 405 of the statutes is amended to read: Said board may grant diplomas in testimony of Section 405 scholarship and ability to teach, but no such diploma shall be granted until such graduate shall have passed a thorough and satisfactory examination in the course of study prescribed by the board. When any such graduate has, after receiving such diploma, taught a public school in this state one year, the state superintendent may, after such examination as to moral character. learning and ability to teach as to him may seem proper, issue to such teacher an unlimited state certificate. and thereafter such . * ۰. unlimited certificate shall be evidence of his qualification to teach in any common school. The said board may also, on such conditions as they may determine, grant a certificate of attendance certifying that the holder has completed the elementary course in a normal school and is qualified to teach a common school; and the said superintendent may, upon conditions above prescribed respecting diplomas. issue a limited state certificate, and thereafter certificate shall be evidence of his qualification such to teach in any common school of the state.

The said board of regents may also on such conditions as they may determine, grant a certificate, certifying that the holder has completed the course for teachers of country schools in a normal school and is qualified to teach in a country school. Such certificate shall have the same force and effect in all respects as the certificate of a county training school, as defined in section 2, chapter 509, laws of 1905, and any acts amendatory of the same.

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

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CHAPTER 205.

- AN ACT to amend section 706 of the statutes, relating to the power of the county clerk to appoint deputies.
- The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. *Section 706 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 706. 1. Every such clerk shall appoint * * * one or more deputies in writing under his hand, and shall file such

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appointment in his office: and such deputy • • or deputies shall aid in the performance of the duties of such clerk under his direction, and in case of his absence or disability or of a vacancy in his office, shall perform all the duties of such clerk during such absence or until such vacancy shall be filled; and every such clerk and his surcties shall be liable upon his official bond for the acts of his deputies; and the county board may in its discretion at its annual meeting, or at any special meeting, provide a salary for such deputy or deputies • • which shall be paid at the same time and in the same manner as county officers.

2. In each * * * county having a population exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand according to the last state or national census, such * * * county clerk may also appoint * * such number of assistants as the county board of such county may, at any legal meeting thereof, authorize and prescribe, and said assistants shall receive * * * such salaries as said county board at any such meeting shall provide and fix, to be paid monthly as the salaries of other county officers and employes are paid and such clerk and his sureties shall be liable upon his official bond for the acts and defaults of the assistants so appointed.

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

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CHAPTER 206.

AN ACT to amend section 346 of the statutes, relating to supreme court reporter and his assistants, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

SECTION 1. Section 346 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 346. The supreme court shall from time to time appoint, subject to removal, a competent person to report and publish such decisions and opinions of said court as they may deem important and expedient to be reported and published. Such reporter before he enters upon the duties of his office, shall execute a bond with two sufficient surfaces to the state of Wisconsin in the sum of two thousand dollars, to be approved by the secretary of state, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as such reporter.