

before sunrise, no vehicle, other than a motor vehicle, shall be driven upon or occupy any public highway unless a light, or in lieu thereof a reflective signal approved by the industrial commission, is displayed on or from such vehicle so that it may be readily and distinctly seen from behind such vehicle; provided, that the term "vehicle," as used in this section, shall not be construed to apply to any farm implement while being hauled across and along such highway.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect January 1, 1930.

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CHAPTER 85.

AN ACT to amend section 252.15 and section 273.10 of the statutes, relating to punishment for contempt in supplementary proceedings.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 252.15 and section 273.10 of the statutes are amended to read: 252.15 Every court commissioner may issue subpoenas for witnesses and attachments and other process to compel their attendance, administer oaths, take depositions and testimony in civil actions when authorized by law or by rule or order of any court having jurisdiction of such actions, and return and report such depositions and testimony; take and certify the acknowledgments of deeds and other instruments in writing, state accounts between parties referred to him by order of court, determine upon the amount and sufficiency of bail, allow writs of habeas corpus, certiorari and ne exeat, alternative writs of mandamus and grant injunctive orders excepting in the class of cases mentioned in subsection (2) of section 133.07; may exercise within his county the powers conferred by section 269.29, and perform such other duties as may be required of him by the circuit court, or as are necessary and proper for the full exercise of the powers hereby granted; and shall also have power concurrent with but not exceeding that of a judge of the circuit court at chambers to punish as for contempt disobedience of any lawful order made by himself in supplementary and other proceedings and matters properly and lawfully instituted or pending before

him; subject, however, to review in all cases by the circuit court as provided by law and the rules and practices of the court, except when such powers shall be exercised in an action pending in another court of record of the county for which said court commissioner shall have been appointed and acting and in such case the review shall be by the court in which the action is pending; *provided, however, that in any county constituting an entire judicial circuit, whenever any party is charged with contempt for disobedience of any order or direction made by a court commissioner in supplementary proceedings, such court commissioner shall order such party to appear in the court in which the judgment was entered upon which such order or direction was based, and there show cause why such party should not be punished for such alleged contempt; provided, further, that such order citing the party who is charged with contempt, to appear before the court, shall be served by the sheriff.* He shall keep a record of all proceedings before him and at the expiration of his term of office shall deposit such record and all papers remaining on file with him in the office of the clerk of the circuit court.

273.10 If any person, party or witness shall disobey an order of the judge or referee, duly served, he may be punished by the judge as for a contempt *in the manner provided in section 252.15*; and in all cases of commitment under this chapter the person committed may, in case of inability to perform the act required or to endure the imprisonment, be discharged by the judge committing him or the court in which the judgment was rendered, on such terms as may be just.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Approved May 10, 1929.

No. 183, A.]

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CHAPTER 86.

AN ACT to amend subsection (1) of section 59.14 of the statutes, relating to the place where the offices of county officers shall be kept.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subsection (1) of section 59.14 of the statutes is