

AN ACT

To amend "An act to incorporate the village of Madison."

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

SECTION 1. There shall be no tax levied in the village of Madison by the trustees thereof, until the year 1849, except for the payment of debts already contracted, or for the purpose of building sidewalks, according to the provisions of said act, in said village; nor shall any debt be contracted by said corporation, nor any officer thereof receive any compensation for his services previous to that time, except such fees as may be allowed by law or by the ordinances of said corporation.

No tax levied,
or debt con-
tracted.

SEC. 2. The publication of all bye-laws, ordinances, or notices, until the year 1849, may be made in the manner provided in the seventeenth section of the act to which this is amendatory, in cases provided where no newspaper shall be printed in said village, or when the publishers shall refuse to advertise for the price fixed by said act.

Price for pub-
lishing corpo-
ration laws.

SEC. 3. In the redemption of lands sold for the non-payment of taxes, the treasurer shall include in one certificate of redemption as many lots or tracts of land sold as the person redeeming shall require, and may charge therefor twenty-five cents for the first tract, and five cents for each additional tract, and no more. The forty-second section of the act hereby amended is hereby repealed.

In relation to
redemption of
lands sold for
taxes.

SEC. 4. If in the erection or construction of the dam and canal authorized in said act, the trustees of said village, or any person claiming under them by virtue of any lease for the construction and improvement of the same, shall do injury by flowing or entering upon the lands of any person or persons, the damages sustained by such person or persons

Damage to
land in con-
struction of
dam how
paid.

shall be ascertained, assessed, and paid in the manner provided for by an act entitled "An act in relation to mills and mill dams," approved January 13, 1840.

Water in
Third Lake
not to be rais-
ed so as to in-
jure water
power.

SEC. 5. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to raise the Third Lake by damming the outlet thereof, or in any other manner to interfere with or injure the water power contemplated by the provisions of the said act to which this is amendatory.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

WILLIAM SHEW,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

MASON C. DARLING,

President of the Council.

APPROVED, February 11, 1847.

HENRY DODGE.

AN ACT

To amend an act entitled "An act to regulate taverns and groceries."

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

Separate bal-
lot-boxes to
be provided.

SECTION 1. That it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors in the several towns, and of the judges of elections in the several precincts, on the first Tuesday in April next, and thereafter at the times provided by law for the election of precinct and town officers, on each year, to cause to be provided a separate box in which shall be deposited the ballots for or against license.

SEC. 2. That the electors of the several towns and pre-