

CHAPTER 136.

[Published March 28, 1862.]

AN ACT to amend chapter 327 and chapter 332 of the private and local laws of 1856, entitled "an act to consolidate and amend the act to incorporate the city of Watertown, and the several acts amendatory thereof."

[AN ACT to amend chapter 327 of the private and local laws of 1856, entitled "an act to consolidate and amend the act to incorporate the city of Watertown, and the several acts amendatory thereof," and chapter 332 of the private and local laws of 1857, an act amendatory of the above entitled act.]

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

SECTION 1. Section nine of chapter seven of chapter three hundred and twenty-seven of the private and local laws of 1856, entitled "an act to consolidate and amend an [the] act to incorporate the city of Watertown, and the several acts amendatory thereof," is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "On the receipt of such tax list, the treasurer shall give one week's notice thereof in some newspaper published in said city. Such notice shall state that the taxes on real and personal property must be paid within thirty days from the first publication of said notice; and the publication of such notice shall be deemed a demand, and a neglect to pay the taxes and assessments within the time specified, shall be deemed a refusal to pay the same."

Notice of receipt of tax list by treasurer to be published.

SECTION 2. Section ten of chapter seven of said act, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "On the expiration of the thirty days mentioned in the preceding section, the treasurer shall proceed to enforce the collection of state, county and city taxes, both on real and personal property, in the manner specified in title five of the revised statutes; and if any such taxes shall not be paid or collected in consequence of the neglect or delay of the treasurer, the common council may sue for and recover the amount thereof from the said treasurer and his sureties. In case any state, county or city taxes shall not be paid within the time limited in the ninth section of this chapter, the treasurer may issue his warrant, directed to the city marshal, requiring and commanding him, within a certain time in such

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warrant to be specified, to proceed and collect such taxes as shall remain unpaid; and the marshal receiving such warrant shall be subject to all the liabilities, and shall have all the powers of levying, distraining and selling, that are given to the treasurer, and shall be entitled to the same fees for collecting which the treasurer would have, had the taxes been collected by him."

Treasurer may execute tax deeds to city.

SECTION 3. Where any lots or parcels of land have been bid off by the city of Watertown, at any tax sale made by the treasurer of said city, and the same have not or shall not be redeemed as provided by law, said treasurer shall execute to said city, in his name of office, and in the name of the state of Wisconsin, a deed therefor, witnessed and acknowledged in like manner as deeds to individuals, which shall have the same force and effect as conveyances executed by said treasurer to individuals for lands sold for taxes.

Marshal—powers restored.

SECTION 4. Section six of chapter one hundred and sixty-one of the private and local [general] laws of 1861, is hereby repealed, and the city marshal of said city is hereby vested with all the powers conferred on him by chapter 332 of the private and local laws of 1857.

Limit to salary of assessors.

SECTION 5. Section ten of chapter 332 of the private and local laws of 1857, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "*provided*, the aggregate amount allowed said assessors in any one year, shall not exceed one hundred and fifty dollars."

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

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CHAPTER 138.

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AN ACT to organize a new town in the county of Kewaunee.

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

Town of Lincoln.

SECTION 1. Township number twenty-five north, of range number twenty-four east, now a part of the town