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## CHAPTER 8.

AN ACT to amend chapter 308, of the laws of 1882, entitled an act to amend the charter of the city of Milwaukee, being chapter 184, of the laws of 1874, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

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

Section 6, of chapter 308, of the laws Weapons and Section 1. of 1882, is hereby amended so as to read as fol-articles. lows: Section 6. Authority is hereby given to the common council of said city to provide by ordinance, for the sale, destruction or other disposition, of weapons and other contraband articles, taken from persons under arrest, that are now, or hereafter may be in possession of the chief of police, and also for the sale of all articles of personal property of whatever nature, which now, or hereafter may be in the custody of the chief of police, and not claimed by the owners thereof, for the period of six months after their seizure; and the proceeds of all articles so sold under such ordinance. shall be paid into the city treasury of the city of Milwaukee, to the credit of the general fund. Witness fees taxed for the testimony of any police officer, or policeman in any case, either criminal, or arising from violation of any city ordinance, as witness or interpreter, shall be paid into the general city fund of said city.

SECTION 2. Sections 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, of said Repealed. chapter 308, of the laws of 1882, are hereby repealed. All moneys collected or deducted from the salaries of police officers under said sections. shall be paid over and refunded to the several officers, who have paid the same into the city treasury, and who suffered deductions in their salaries respectively; each officer shall receive the exact amount by him paid into said treasury, or deducted from his salary, such payments to be made by the city treasurer, upon the order of the chief of police. All other moneys, paid to the credit of the Milwaukee police relief fund, shall be distributed in equal proportions to the chief of police and the members of the police force, under

the order of the chief of police.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved February 24, 1883.