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- Proof of publication.**
- Poor fund.]** SECTION 70. All moneys received or collected in said city, under and by virtue of chapter one hundred and seventy-five of the general laws of 1860, entitled "an act to regulate and license the keeping of dogs," shall be paid into the city treasury, and belong to the "poor fund."
- Repeal.** SECTION 71. The act entitled "an act to incorporate the city of Racine, in the county of Racine," approved August 8, 1848, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory thereto, except so far as they relate to the limits and boundaries of said city, are hereby repealed. The ninth section of the act entitled "an act in relation to the public schools in the city of Racine," approved April 14, 1852, and the act amendatory of the said ninth section of the last named act, approved March 7, 1857, are hereby repealed; and all other acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.
- Take effect.** SECTION 72. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.
Approved March 22, 1861.

CHAPTER 102.

[Published April 22, 1861.]

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Beloit," approved March 3d, 1857.

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

- When annual election to be held.** SECTION 1. Section one of chapter two of the act to which this act is an amendment, is hereby so amended that the same shall read as follows: "The annual election for ward and city officers shall be held on the first Tuesday of April of each year, at such place in

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each ward as the common council shall designate, and the polls shall be kept open from nine o'clock in the forenoon till five o'clock in the afternoon, and ten days' previous notice shall be given by the common council of the time and place of holding such elections, and of the city and ward officers to be elected. The elective officers of said city shall be a mayor and treasurer and superintendent of schools, and for each ward one justice of the peace, three aldermen and one constable. All other officers necessary for the proper management of the affairs of said city, shall be appointed by the common council. All elective officers, except justices of the peace, shall, unless otherwise provided, hold their respective offices for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified. Justices of the peace shall hold their offices for two years and until their successors are elected and qualified: *provided, however,* the common council shall have power, for due cause, to expel any of their own members, and to remove from office any officer or agent under the city government, except justices of the peace, by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of such body, due notice being first given to the officers complained of."

Notice.

Elective officers.

Appointed officers.

Terms of office.

Removals.

SECTION 2. Section eleven of chapter two of said act is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows: "At every annual election there shall be elected in each ward one alderman, who shall hold his office for one year, and one alderman who shall hold his office for two years. There shall be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, on the ballot over the name of the person to be voted for for alderman for one year, the words 'alderman for one year;' and there shall be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, on the ballot over the name of the person voted for for alderman for two years, the words 'alderman for two years.' The alderman in each ward, elected for two years, shall be, in the order of their election, members of the county board of supervisors, with all the rights, duties and liabilities of the chairmen of the boards of supervisors of the several towns: *provided,* that the alderman for two years may substitute either of the other aldermen of his ward in his place in said county board for such time as may be named by him in writing."

Election of aldermen—terms of office.

Aldermen elected for two years to be members of county board.

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How costs for street improvements, &c., assessable.

SECTION 3. Section two of chapter six of said act is hereby amended by striking out the words "and also the mode of ascertaining what lands or premises will be benefited by such taking," in the sixth, seventh and eighth lines of said section, and by inserting instead thereof the following: "The costs and expenses of any such improvement shall be levied upon the taxable property of the city in the next assessment roll, and shall be collected with other city taxes;" also, by striking out the words, "or benefits," wherever the same occur in said section.

Appeal.

SECTION 4. Section three of chapter six is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows: "Any person being dissatisfied with the amount of compensation for property taken, shall have the right to appeal to the circuit court within twenty days from the time of awarding of compensation, by giving a bond to the city in not less than one hundred dollars, to be approved by the mayor, acting mayor or city clerk, to pay all costs of appeal, in case the appellant shall not on such appeal increase the amount of such compensation. The common council may appeal in behalf of the city by giving notice to the opposite party, without giving bond.

Issue of certificates to contractors—what to contain.

SECTION 5. Section nine of chapter seven of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "After the completion and performance of any contract entered into by the street commissioners for work chargeable to lots or lands, by virtue of this act, the amount due the contractor shall be paid by the city, and the street commissioners shall file with the city clerk a certificate under their hand, stating therein the amount of work done by the contractor, the nature thereof, and the description of the lot or parcel of land upon which the same is chargeable; and if the amount thereof chargeable to any lot or parcel of land shall not be paid before the time of making out the annual assessment roll, the city clerk shall assess the amount upon the said lots or parcels of land respectively, and such amount shall be collected for the benefit and use of the holder of said certificate, as other taxes on real estate are collected by virtue of this act; and if the notice to do the work prescribed shall have been given as herein provided, no informality or error in the proceedings shall vitiate such assessment. The said certificate may

be transferred by the city by indorsement made there-
 on by the mayor and clerk; and in case the amount
 due on any such certificate is paid at any time before
 the land or lot therein described is deeded by the coun-
 ty, pursuant to any sale for the non-payment of such
 taxes, the sum so paid shall be forthwith paid over to [by]
 the officer receiving the same to the city treasurer, for
 the benefit of the holder of such certificate.”

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red.

SECTION 6. All acts or parts of acts contravening
 either the letter or spirit of this act, are hereby re-
 pealed.

Repeal.

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect and be in force
 from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 22, 1861.

CHAPTER 106.

[Published March 25, 1861.]

AN ACT to amend section 1 and to repeal section 3 of chapter 170
 of the private and local laws of 1860, entitled “an act to amend
 chapter 193 of the private and local laws of 1859, entitled ‘an
 act to incorporate the village of Oconto.’”

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 170 of the private
 and local laws of 1860, entitled “an act to amend
 chapter 193 of the private and local laws of 1859, en-
 titled ‘an act to incorporate the village of Oconto,’”
 is hereby amended by striking out all after [of] said sec-
 tion after the word “west” in the tenth line.

Repeal.

SECTION 2. Section 3 of said chapter is hereby re-
 pealed.

Repeal.

SECTION 3. All acts and parts of acts which conflict
 with or contravene the provisions of this act, are hereby
 repealed.

Repeal.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force
 from and after its passage.

Approved March 22, 1861.