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CHAPTER 245.

AN ACT to amend section 18, of sub-chapter 4, of chapter 326, laws of 1889, being, "An act dividing cities into classes and providing for their incorporation and government."

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

Territory
adjacent to
city; how it
may be
annexed.

SECTION 1. Section 18, of sub-chapter 4, of chapter 326, laws of 1889, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: Section 18. Three-fourths of the electors and the owners of at least one-third of the taxable property, according to the last tax roll, in territory adjacent to such city, may present a petition to the common council of such city asking for annexation thereto; provided, that if no electors reside therein, such petition must be signed by the owners of at least three-fourths of the taxable property desired to be annexed before the common council shall have power to act thereon; provided further, that the common council of such city, may upon the petition of one-half of the resident electors and by the owners of one-half of the real estate within the limits of the territory proposed to be annexed, pass an ordinance annexing such proposed territory when the proposition to annex has been submitted to a vote of the electors of the district to be annexed and a majority of the resident electors have voted in favor therefor.

SECTION 2. Whenever a proposition to annex territory has been submitted and not adopted the same or substantially the same proposition shall not be again submitted within two years thereafter.

SECTION 3. Chapter 214, laws of 1893, is hereby repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 246.

AN ACT to create the town of Holway in Taylor county.

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

SECTION 1. All that territory in Taylor county described as follows, to-wit: All of ranges one, two, three and four west, of township thirty, and which up to April 1, 1895, is embraced within the town of Pine creek, in said Taylor county, shall constitute a town and be known as the town of Holway. Town of Holway created.

SECTION 2. The said town of Holway shall in all respects be the successor to the town of Pine Creek, and all the indebtedness of said town of Pine Creek shall be paid by said town of Holway, and all property and records of said town of Pine Creek shall belong to said town of Holway. Indebtedness to be paid—records to revert.

SECTION 3. The qualified electors of the town of Holway shall meet at the building known as the town hall, in said town of Holway, on the fourth Tuesday in April, 1895, and elect the various town officers as is now prescribed by law. Election of town officers.

SECTION 4. After said election shall have been held as provided by this act, and the officers elected thereat shall have duly qualified according to law, the said town of Holway shall be deemed to be duly organized, and shall pos- When town shall be deemed to be duly organized.