

[No. 130, A.]

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CHAPTER 78.

AN act to amend the fourth subdivision of section 23, of chapter 7, and chapters 2 and 9, of chapter 221, of the laws of 1882, entitled "an act to reduce the act incorporating the city of Janesville and the several acts amendatory thereof. into one act, and to amend the same."

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. The fourth subdivision of section 23 of chapter 7, of chapter 221, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "alderman" and before the word "shall," in line twelve, of said fourth subdivision, the words "of the ward or the street commissioner," and by striking out the word "resident" where it occurs in line twelve of said fourth subdivision, and by inserting after the word "owners," and before the word "of" in line thirteen of said fourth subdivision, the words, "or agent," and by adding to said fourth subdivision after the word "contract," the following: "and the expenses of such work shall be collected in the manner provided in this chapter for the collection of special assessments," so that said fourth subdivision of chapter 7, of chapter 221, of the laws of 1882, when so amended shall read as follows: Fourth. In case the work shall be the construction, repairing, relaying or replanking any sidewalk, each lot or parcel of land fronting thereon, shall be assessed with its just proportion of the expense of such work. The work specified in this subdivision may be ordered by the common council, on the written application of the street commissioner, or of either of the aldermen of the ward in which the proposed work is situated, at any regular meeting of said council, after filing with the city clerk a specification of the work proposed. After said work shall have been ordered by said common council, the alderman of the ward, or the street commissioner, shall give notice to the owner or owners or agent of the several lots or parcels of land fronting thereon, requiring such owner or owners to perform the work proposed in front of his or their respective lots or parcels of land, according to said specifications, within twenty days from the service of such notice, and in default thereof, that said work will be done by contract

without publication; and in case such owner or owners shall neglect to do said work within said twenty days, said aldermen shall proceed to have such work done by contract, and the expense of such work, shall be collected in the manner provided in this chapter for the collection of special assessments.

SECTION 2. Section 3, of chapter 2, of said chapter 221, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "treasurer," and before the word "and," in line three in said section 3, the words "street commissioner." Amendment.

SECTION 3. Section 4, of said chapter 2, of chapter 221, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by striking out the words "a street commissioner," where they occur in lines one and two in said section 4, and by striking out the words, "both or either of them," where they occur in line three of said section 4, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "him," and by striking out the word "each," where it occurs in line five of said section 4, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "him," and by striking out the word "they," where it occurs in line five of said section 4, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "he," and by adding to said section the words "and said council shall fix the salary of the street commissioner, at a regular meeting in the month of March, for the ensuing year," so that said section 4, when amended shall read as follows: Section 4. The common council may appoint a city marshal, and remove or displace him at its pleasure, and they shall fix the rate of compensation to be paid to him, and he shall not receive any greater compensation than that so fixed, and said council shall fix the salary of the street commissioner, at the regular meeting in the month of March, for the ensuing year." Amendment.

SECTION 4. Section 3, of chapter 2, of chapter 221, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by striking out the words "and a school commissioner at large," where they occur in lines seven and eight, in said section 3, of said chapter 2, and by striking out the word "three," where it occurs in line eight, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "his," and by striking out the words "respective offices," where they occur in lines eight and nine, in said section 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "officer." Amendment.

SECTION 5. Section 1, of chapter 9, of chapter Amendment.

221, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by striking out the following words, where they occur in lines four, five and six, of said section 1, to-wit: "There shall also be elected every two years by the qualified electors of said city, one school commissioner at large for said city."

Amendment.

SECTION 6. Section 2, of said chapter 9, of said chapter 221, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by striking out the words "together with the school commissioner at large," where they occur in line two, of said section 2, in said chapter 9.

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

Approved March 16, 1883.

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CHAPTER 80.

AN ACT to incorporate the city of Hartford.

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

CORPORATE POWERS.

Corporate powers.

SECTION 1. All that district of country herein-after described, from, and after the first Tuesday in April, 1883, shall be a city by the name of Hartford; and the people now inhabiting, and those who shall hereafter inhabit the district of country hereinafter described, shall be a municipal corporation by the name of "the city of Hartford," and shall have the general powers possessed by municipal corporations at common law, and in addition thereto, shall possess the powers herein specially granted, and the authorities thereof shall have perpetual succession; shall be capable of contracting and being contracted with; suing and being sued; pleading and being impleaded in all courts of law and equity, and shall have a common seal and may change and alter the same at pleasure.

BOUNDARIES.

Boundaries.

SECTION 2. All of the following described territory, lying and being in sections sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty (20); and twenty-one (21), in the town of Hartford, Washington county, and