

CHAPTER 332.

[Published March 11, 1875.]

AN ACT relating to justices of the peace and constables in the city of Milwaukee.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The city of Milwaukee is hereby divided into seven districts, for the purpose of electing justices of the peace and constables, as hereinafter mentioned.

City to be divided into districts for election of justices and constables.

SECTION 2. The first and seventh wards in said city shall constitute the first district; the second ward shall constitute the second district; the third ward shall constitute the third district; the fourth ward shall constitute the fourth district; the fifth ward shall constitute the fifth district; the sixth, ninth, tenth and thirteenth wards shall constitute the sixth district; and the eighth, eleventh and twelfth wards shall constitute the seventh district.

District boundaries.

SECTION 3. There shall be elected in each of such districts, at the ensuing municipal election in the city of Milwaukee, and in every two years thereafter, one justice of the peace, and in every one year thereafter, one constable, in lieu of the justices of the peace and constables in each of the wards of said city as heretofore authorized by law; and the justices and constables elected under this act shall have and exercise the same jurisdiction now given by law to justices and constables in said city of Milwaukee, and shall hold their offices for the terms herein mentioned.

Election of justices of the peace and constables.

SECTION 4. The votes given for justices of the peace and constables in each of said districts, shall be canvassed and returned by the inspectors of election in each ward comprising said districts, in the same manner now provided by law for city officers in said city of Milwaukee.

Canvass of votes.

SECTION 5. The election of justices of the peace and constables in the several wards of the city of Milwaukee, as heretofore provided by law, is hereby prohibited, and the justices of the peace now in office in the several wards, shall forthwith, after the election and qualification of justices of the peace under the provisions of this act, deliver over to the justices of the peace elected for the district in which he resides,

Election of justices and constables as heretofore prohibited.

Justices to deliver docket, etc., to successors.

all dockets, books, and records in his possession, connected with his said office; and the district justices and constables are hereby declared to be the successors of justices and constables in said ward now in office.

Justices to
give bonds.

SECTION 6. The justices of the peace and constables elected under the provisions of this act, shall give bonds and take the oath of office, as now required by law.

Repeal of con-
flicting acts.

SECTION 7. All acts and parts of acts which contravene the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 333.

[Published March 22, 1875.]

AN ACT to amend chapter 16, of the private and local laws of 1872, entitled "an act to incorporate the city of Eau Claire."

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Authority to
maintain dams,
water-works,
etc.

SECTION 1. The common council of the city of Eau-Claire are hereby authorized and empowered to build, construct and maintain a dam, not exceeding sixteen feet in height, across the Chippewa river, at such place within the limits of said city as it may determine; to construct water works, open and construct drains, sewers and mains for the same; to establish water-rents and provide for the collection thereof.

Construction
of piers and
booms.

SECTION 2. The common council of said city are hereby authorized, required and empowered to erect, construct and maintain in slack water created by the dam authorized in this act to be constructed, such piers and such store, assorting, shear, side and glancing booms as it may deem sufficient for protecting the navigability of said river for steamboats, logs, timber, lumber, fence posts and railroad ties, and properly assorting and safely storing of saw-logs, timber, fence posts and railroad ties.

Authority of
city to lease
water power
and boomage.

SECTION 3. The common council of said city are hereby authorized and empowered to let, lease and rent the water power, or any part or portion of the same, which may be created under the provisions of