

SECTION 21. Every practicing physician in said city <sup>Physicians.</sup> who shall have a patient laboring under any malignant or infectious or pestilential disease shall forthwith make report thereof to the mayor of said city, and for neglecting so to do shall be considered guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall forfeit and pay a sum of fifty dollars, to be recovered for the benefit of said city.

SECTION 22. All acts and parts of acts conflicting with <sup>Repealed.</sup> or in any manner inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and chapter three hundred and eighty-one of the private and local laws of 1871, entitled An act to consolidate and amend chapter two hundred and seventy-seven of the private and local laws of 1857, entitled An act to incorporate the the village of Waupun and the several acts amendatory thereto, together with the original acts of which the said act was amendatory, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 23. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 15, 1878.

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## CHAPTER 196.

AN ACT to provide for the improvement of streets by the common council of the city of Milwaukee.

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

SECTION 1. Whenever any remonstrance shall be presented to the common council of the city of Milwaukee, as provided in section thirty of chapter one hundred and forty-four, laws of Wisconsin for 1875, no action shall be taken by said council upon the resolution to which such remonstrance shall relate, unless within two weeks after the presentation of such remonstrance a majority of all the residents of said city owning lots or parts of lots fronting on the improvement proposed to be ordered, shall petition for the adoption of said resolution, and unless all the aldermen representing the ward or wards in which such improvement is proposed to be made shall concur in such petition, and shall certify that the public interest requires such improvement to be made, in which case said common

<sup>Mode of action upon remonstrances.</sup>

council may proceed to determine the necessity of such improvement, and to order or refuse to order such improvement to be made in the same manner and on the same conditions as if such remonstrance had not been presented.

Continuation of street improvements.

SECTION 2. Whenever the improvement of any street in said city has been previously completed in any ward to within three blocks of any occupied dock or warehouse, and the board of public works, together with the aldermen representing said ward, shall respectively concur in testifying that an urgent public necessity exists for completing the improvement of such street either for the protection of the health of said city or because of the public demand for more convenient and practicable means of access to such dock or warehouse, then and in that case it shall be lawful for the common council of said city to order the improvement of such street to be completed without the petition provided for in the preceding section of this act. The expenses of said improvement to be charged, certificates issued, and paid for as now provided by the charter of said city.

Repealed.

SECTION 3. All acts or parts of acts conflicting with this act, are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 15, 1878.

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## CHAPTER 197.

AN ACT relating to the release of dower in certain cases.

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

Release of dower.

SECTION 1. A married woman may, by separate deed of conveyance or quit claim, release her dower to any lands of her husband which he has conveyed voluntarily or upon execution, judgment of foreclosure or decree of court.

Repealed.

SECTION 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 15, 1878.