

SECTION 3. Section two thousand four hundred and ninety-eight of chapter one hundred and fifteen of the revised statutes of 1878, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 2498. The salary of the judge of said court shall be two hundred and fifty dollars per annum, payable quarterly by the city of Ripon. The fees of the clerk, jurors, witnesses, sheriff and other officers shall be the same as are allowed and taxed in said Fond du Lac county circuit court, and paid in the same manner. The sum of one dollar shall be paid by the plaintiff at the commencement of each suit in said court as a suit tax, to be applied toward the salary of the judge. The clerk of said court shall account quarter yearly to the city of Ripon for all jury fees and suit tax fees received by him, and at the same time pay the sum to the city treasurer of said city. Salary of judge.

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CHAPTER 217.

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the laws of 1874, entitled an act to incorporate the city of Menasha.

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

SECTION 1. At the annual charter election for 1880, there shall be elected two aldermen from each ward, one for the term of one year and one for the term of two years. The ballots shall designate which alderman is voted for the term of two years, and which for the term of one year, and the aldermen elected shall hold their office for the term for which they are respectively elected, unless a vacancy shall occur by death, removal from the ward, or other disability, in which event, the person elected to fill the vacancy shall hold for the unexpired term. And at each annual election thereafter, there shall be elected one alderman from each ward, to fill the place of the alderman whose term of office then expires, and the aldermen so elected shall hold their office for the term of two years, unless a vacancy shall occur by death, removal from the ward or other disability. Election of aldermen.

SECTION 2. Section five of chapter two of said chapter one hundred and twenty-seven is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section the fol- Amendment.

lowing words: "Except as in this act otherwise provided."

Counting of
votes.

SECTION 3. Section four of chapter three of said chapter one hundred and twenty-seven is hereby amended by adding to said section, at the end thereof, the following: "And when the polls of an election shall have been closed, the inspectors and clerks of election shall count all the votes cast at said election, and the number of votes for each candidate or person voted for, and when the same shall have been counted and ascertained, shall make a return thereof, duly signed, stating therein the number of votes for each person, and the office designated, and the whole number of votes cast, and shall deliver such return, together with the oaths of the inspectors and clerks, and the poll lists kept by them, to the city clerk, within three days after any election; and within six days after each and every annual municipal election, held under this act, the common council shall meet and canvass said returns and declare the result as it appears from the returns, and the city clerk shall forthwith notify, by certificate, each of the officers of his election to his respective office."

Levy of taxes.

SECTION 4. All taxes authorized to be levied by the common council of said city may be levied in the manner now provided by law, at any time between the first Monday next after the first Tuesday in April and the first day of December, annually.

Form of war-
rant.

SECTION 5. Section fourteen of chapter seven of said chapter one hundred and twenty-seven, is hereby amended by striking out all after the words "state taxes," in the fourteenth line of the warrant for the collection of taxes, and inserting in place of the remaining portion of said section the following: You are to retain and pay out as city treasurer, according to law, the sum of —, and the balance of said moneys you are required to pay to said treasurer for county purposes, on or before the day above specified, by which day you are further required to make return to said treasurer of this warrant with said roll annexed, together with your doings thereon, as required by law.

Given under my hand and the corporate seal of said city this — day of —, 18 —.

Mayor and al-
dermen not to
receive com-
pensation.

SECTION 6. Section thirty-one of chapter thirteen of said chapter one hundred and twenty-seven, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: No compensation shall be paid out of the city treasury to the mayor or any alderman of said city for his services or time spent

in attending the official meetings of the council, but for all other services they may be paid such compensation as the council may allow.

SECTION 7. Every person elected to a city or ward office in said city may qualify and enter upon the duties of such office at any time within fifteen days after he shall receive the certificate of his election. Person elected may qualify.

SECTION 8. Anything contained in said chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the laws of Wisconsin for 1874, or any act amendatory of said chapter, inconsistent or conflicting with the foregoing amendments, are hereby repealed. Repealed.

SECTION 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 218.

AN ACT to amend section fourteen of chapter one hundred and three, laws of 1879, relating to tax deeds in Price county.

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

SECTION 1. Section fourteen of chapter one hundred and three of the general laws of the state of Wisconsin for 1879, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 14. All lands and real estate lying and being situated in the county of Price as hereby established, heretofore sold for taxes or which may be sold in the year 1879 for taxes, shall be subject to redemption in, and those remaining unredeemed may be advertised and deeded by, the county of Price, and tax deeds issued on such lands by Price county shall be as valid and effectual as other tax deeds. Redemption of lands sold for taxes. And the county clerk of Price county is hereby authorized and empowered, and it is hereby made his duty, to execute and deliver to the persons entitled thereto, under and by virtue of the laws of this state, tax deeds upon all lands unredeemed from any tax sale prior to the year 1880, made by either of the counties of Chippewa or Lincoln, and embraced within the territorial limits of Price county, upon which tax sale certificates have been heretofore issued by said counties of Chippewa and Lincoln. Tax deeds. The said county clerk of Price county is hereby authorized, and it is hereby made his duty, to vary the phraseology of such tax deeds from the form prescribed by the statute, so as to make the recit- Duty of county clerk.