

troller for the city at large, three commissioners of public works for the city at large, and treasurer for the city, one supervisor, one constable, one alderman to serve for two years and one alderman to serve for four years for and in each ward; and in each ward where, as constituted by this act, there shall be no justice of the peace then resident whose term of office extends beyond the third Tuesday of April, 1887, one justice of the peace. All officers heretofore elected with terms to expire on the second Tuesday of April, 1887, (except treasurer), shall continue to hold and exercise their several offices until the fourth Tuesday of April, 1887, notwithstanding any change of ward boundaries in this act. After said charter election of 1887, all city and ward officers shall be elected biennially at the charter elections as their terms expire, and for the full terms prescribed by this act.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 8, 1887.

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## CHAPTER 359.

AN ACT to amend chapter 184, of the laws of 1874, entitled, "an act to revise, consolidate and amend the charter of the city of Milwaukee, approved February 20, 1852, and the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 10, 1874, and the acts amendatory thereof.

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

**Paving streets.** SECTION 1. Section 6, of subchapter 7, of said chapter 184, of the laws of 1874, as amended by section 2, of chapter 274, of the laws of 1881, and section 20, of chapter 324, of the laws of 1882, are hereby amended by adding to said section 20, of said chapter 324, of the laws of 1882, the following words, to-wit: Provided, further, that whenever

the board of public works shall deem it necessary to pave or otherwise improve, any street, alley or gutter, or any part of any street, alley or gutter, after the same has been once constructed to the grade established by the common council, and graveled, planked, paved or macadamized, the expense of maintaining, renewing, repairing or repaving whereof, shall be a lawful and proper charge against the funds of the ward, in which such street, alley or gutter is situated, and a majority of the residents of said city of Milwaukee, owning a majority of the feet in front of all the lots, fronting on such proposed improvement, owned by residents of such city, shall file a petition with the said board, for any pavement or other improvement deemed by said board to cost more than the estimate made by the board, of the cost of improving said street, alley or gutter, said cost to be determined by said board, it shall be the duty of said board and of the common council to grant the request of such petition, and to proceed to repave, or otherwise improve, said street, alley or gutter, or any part thereof, named in said petition, according to the prayer of the petition, in the same manner as said board and council are now required to maintain, renew, repair or repave any such street, alley or gutter; provided, however, that all cost and expense of such repavement, or other improvement, in case of such petition, in excess of the estimated cost of the work, made and filed in the office of the board of public works, for the improvement of said street, alley or gutter, or part thereof, shall be chargeable to, and be made payable by, the lots fronting or abutting upon such street, alley or gutter, or part thereof, such excess to be apportioned by such board to said lots respectively, in proportion to the benefits adjudged by said board to have been conferred by said repavement, or other improvement, in the same manner that the original improvement of streets, alleys and gutters are now lawfully chargeable to, and made payable by such lots; provided, further, that the petition for such repavement, or other improvement, required in this act, as a condition of increased cost, shall, as to form, qualification of petitioners and otherwise, conform to the requirements in case of petitions for other work charge-

able to lots, and requiring a petition therefor, as provided in said section 20, chapter 324, laws of 1882, of which section this act is in part amendatory.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.  
Approved April 8, 1887.

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## CHAPTER 362.

AN ACT to amend subsection 23, of section 3, of subchapter 4, of chapter 184, of the laws of 1874, entitled, "an act to revise, consolidate and amend the charter of the city of Milwaukee, approved February 10, 1852, and the several acts amendatory thereof," and the several acts amendatory thereof.

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

**Abatement of nuisances.**

SECTION 1. Subsection 23, of section 3, of subchapter 4, of chapter 184, of the laws of 1874, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: 23. To abate all nuisances which are or may be injurious to the public health, in any manner they may deem expedient; to prohibit the leaving of books, pamphlets or other articles or matter, by hawkers, peddlers or mercantile agents, at residences or factories for inspection, and to do all acts and make all regulations which may be necessary or expedient for the preservation of health and the suppression of disease.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its passage and publication.

Approved April 2, 1887.