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CHAPTER 365.

AN ACT to amend chapter 56, laws of 1882, entitled, "an act to consolidate an amendment to incorporate the city of Oconto, and the several acts amendatory thereof."

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 8, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by adding a new section, to be called section, 10, as follows: Section 10. In all cases where streets have been graded and graveled as provided in the preceding sections, they shall thereafter be kept in repair by the city, and the expenses thereof paid out of the general fund. Amended.

SECTION 2. Section 8, of chapter 10, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended so to read as follows: Section 8. Whenever repairs are required for any school-house, or whenever another school-house or school-houses or furniture for any school-house shall be required, the board shall report the facts to the common council, who shall forthwith cause said repairs to be made, such school-house or school-houses to be erected, and site or sites for the same to be procured, and such furniture purchased, and take measures to raise a tax to defray the costs of such repairs or the erection of such buildings, and the purchase of such sites or furniture, if said council deem it advisable. Repairing school-houses.

SECTION 3. Section 1, of chapter 11, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, is hereby repealed. Repealed.

SECTION 4. Section 1, of chapter 9, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 1. Every male inhabitant of the city of Oconto, over twenty-one years of age and under fifty years, except active members of the fire department in the city, and those otherwise exempt by the general laws of this state, shall pay into the city treasury annually, the sum of one dollar each as a poll tax. Assessment of poll tax.

It shall be the duty of the city clerk of the city of Oconto, during the month of May in each year, to make out duplicate lists of all persons liable to pay said tax, and the said clerk shall, on the first Monday of June, each year, file one of said lists in his office, and deliver one to the superintendent of streets of the city of Oconto; the superintendent of streets shall thereupon immediately proceed to collect the same, and all persons liable to pay such tax, who shall not have paid the same after demand, either personally or by written notice left at his usual place of abode, shall be liable to and shall pay a penalty of two dollars together with the costs of prosecution, to be prosecuted for by said superintendant of streets in the name of the city of Oconto. The process in such case shall be by warrant, and in case judgment shall be rendered against the defendant in such action, and if he shall refuse or neglect to pay such judgment, the superintendent of streets of said city shall proceed to collect the same in the same manner as provided by chapter 3, of the city charter. All moneys collected by said superintendent as above specified shall be paid over to the city treasurer on or before the first Monday of the month during the year. The money collected as above shall be expended under the direction of the common council in the repair of streets, and improvements across streets, alleys and public grounds belonging to said city for which said city is liable. The mayor, city clerk and treasurer shall constitute a board to determine the liability of persons to pay such tax, and all persons claiming to be exempt from such tax must apply to said board within twenty days from the time when said list shall be delivered to the superintendent of streets for collection; provided, that if any person shall desire to, he shall be permitted to perform ten hours' work upon the streets of the city, under the direction of the superintendent of streets, and at such time as he shall direct, and the certificate of the superintendent of streets that such person has performed one full day's labor upon a street or highway of the city, shall be received by the treasurer in full discharge of said poll tax, and it is further provided that said superintendent shall have power

to add on said list the names by him known to be liable to pay such tax that may have been omitted by the clerk.

SECTION 5. Section 2, of chapter 9, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended so to read as follows: Section 2. The superintendent of streets shall, before entering on the duties of his office, execute to the city a bond in the penal sum of two thousand dollars with two or more sufficient sureties, to be approved by the common council, conditional for the faithful performance of the duties of his office, and for such other duties as may be required of him by the common council, and for the proper disposal of the money that may be collected or come into his hands by virtue of his office. He shall have a general supervision of all streets. He shall, on or before the first Monday in each month, report to the common council in writing, under oath, a true and correct statement of all moneys received by him by virtue of this act, and from whom received, and the said superintendent of streets shall be held strictly responsible for the full and complete execution of this act, so far as the same relates to streets, according to the terms thereof, and the common council may at any time, remove him from office for neglect of duty, and appoint a competent man in his place. The street superintendent shall receive for his services not more than two dollars for each day actually necessarily occupied by him in discharge of his duties. The marshal of said city of Oconto shall be street superintendent in any year when the common council shall so determine, and shall receive for his services as such superintendent such sum per day as the council shall determine, not exceeding two dollars per day.

Superintendent
of streets to
give bond.

SECTION 6. Sections 1 and 2, chapter 343, of the laws of 1883, and subdivision, 5, of section 7, of chapter 10, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, are hereby repealed.

Repealed.

SECTION 7. Section 1, of chapter 6, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended so to read as follows: Section 1. Within such time as the common council shall designate, the assessor shall make out a complete and accurate assessment roll which shall contain as near as may be a description of all lands, lots or parcels of land with-

Assessment
roll to be made
out.

in said city sufficient to identify the same, and as provided by the general laws of this state in relation to the assessment of taxes; and also of all persons or bodies politic or corporate, liable to pay taxes on personal property, and opposite to such lot or parcel of land shall be affixed the value thereof, and opposite the name of each person, body politic or corporate shall be affixed the value of the personal property for which such person, body politic or corporate shall be assessed. The value of such property shall be assessed as the laws of the state prescribe. Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, of chapter 6, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, are hereby repealed.

Regulate
building.

SECTION 8. Section 3, of chapter 4, of chapter 56, of the laws of 1882, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subdivision, to be called 35th, as follows: 35th. To control and regulate the construction of buildings, chimneys and stacks, and to prohibit the erection or maintenance of any insecure or unsafe building, stack, wall or chimney in said city, and to declare them to be nuisances, and to provide for their summary abatement.

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

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CHAPTER 356.

AN ACT to amend chapter 271, of the laws of 1882, entitled, "an act to incorporate the city of Neillsville," and chapter 312, of the laws of 1883, and chapter 360, of the laws of 1885, being amendatory to said chapter 271, of the laws of 1882.

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

Use of county
jail.

SECTION 1. Section 19, of chapter 360, of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1885, is hereby