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CHAPTER 244.

AN ACT to amend the charter of the city of Madison.

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CHAPTER 245.

AN ACT to amend the charter of the city of Sheboygan.

(See Vol. 2.)

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CHAPTER 246.

AN ACT to authorize the city of Menomonie to borrow money to pay its bonded indebtedness.

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

SECTION 1. The city of Menomonie is hereby Authorizing authorized and empowered, for the purpose of onie to issue paying its bonded indebtedness, to borrow a sum indebtedness, of money, not to exceed twelve thousand five hundred dollars, at a rate of interest not to exceed five per cent. per annum, and to issue its bonds therefor; provided, that said city may, at the op-tion of its common council, borrow any part or the whole of said sum of the commissioners of the public lands and issue certificates of indebted-

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ness therefor, said bonds (and said certificates, if they shall be issued) shall be conditioned so that the sum of two thousand dollars of the amount borrowed shall become due and payable March 1st, A. D. 1891, and the further sum of two thousand dollars shall become due and payable on the first day of March in each and every year thereafter till the whole sum borrowed shall have been paid. Interest shall be payable March 1st annually and in case bonds shall be issued the same shall be payable at the office of the city treasurer in said city.

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Said city shall annually, during the SECTION 2. continuance of said loan, raise by tax, a sum sufficient to pay the interest thereon and shall also raise in the same manner in the year A. D. 1890, and annually thereafter, a sufficient sum to pay the principal then about to become due; and the city clerk shall insert said amounts in the tax roll. and the same shall be collected as other taxes of said city are collected, and when collected the same shall be applied in payment of said loan and interest and for no other purpose.

commissioners SECTION 3. The commissioners of the public of public lands are hereby authorized and empowered to lean portion of loan a portion of the trust funds of this state, not trust funds. The commissioners of the public exceeding the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars, to the city of Menomonie at a rate of interest to be agreed upon between said commissioners and the common council of said city, not exceeding five per cent. per annum; and to take from said city its certificates of indebtedness therefor, in such form as said commissioners shall prescribe and require the same to become due as provided in section 1, of this act, and thereupon the taxable property of said city shall stand chargeable with the repayment of said loan and interest at the times before stated, and the secretary of state shall, at the same time he certifies to county clerks, the amount of the state tax levy, certify to the city clerk of said city the amount which will become due for that year as principal or interest of said loan; and whereupon the city clerk shall insert the amount so certified in the tax roll as a tax upon the property of said city. without any other or further authority, to be collected as other taxes are collected, and by the

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treasurer of said city paid to the state treasurer upon said loan.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 1, 1889.

[No. 312, A.]

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CHAPTER 247.

AN ACT to amend section 3, of chapter 296, of the laws of 1885, relating to excise and the sale of intoxicating liquors.

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

SECTION 1. In all cases when an election has Amending sec. been held, or shall hereafter be held, in any town, laws 1885, make city or village in this state, under the provisions ing sum fixed for license by of chapter 296, of the laws of 1885, the sum fixed electors stand by the electors at such election shall be the sum as the amount to be paid for licenses in such town, city or village another elec-tion. until an election is again held in the manner provided in said chapter and a different amount fixed at such subsequent election.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 2, 1889.

[No 96, S.]

[Published April 5, 1889.]

CHAPTER 248.

AN ACT to prevent espionage at public elections, to secure more fully the independence of voters, to enforce the secrecy of the ballot, and to provide for printing and distributing ballots at public expense.

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

SECTION 1. This act shall not apply to elections