accepted by said board until the license hereinbefore mentioned is revoked by said board as and in lieu of the preliminary bond accompanying bids and proposals provided for in section 9, of chapter 5, of the charter of the city of Milwankee; nothing herein contained, however, shall prevent any person from making and presenting a bid and proposals pursuant to the provisions of chapter 5, of the charter of said city.

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

Approved April 20, 1891.

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CHAPTER 317.

AN ACT to amend chapter 49, of the laws of 1887, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Onalaska."

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

Amends chapter 49, laws of 1887. SECTION 1. Section 4, of subchapter 4, of chapter 49, of the laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 134, of the laws of 1889, is hereby amended by adding thereto at the end thereof a new subdivision as follows:

Taxing and licensing of peddlers, auctioneers, etc. 18. To tax, license and regulate auctioneers and peddlers subject, however, to the provisions of general statutes in that behalf, pawn-brokers and all keepers or proprietors of intelligence effices, junk shops, and places for the sale and purchase of second hand goods, wares, and merchandise and other commodities, and persons therein engaged, and to fix and regulate the amount of license under this subdivision, and to prescribe the time for which such licenses shall be granted, and to provide and enforce penalties for carrying on either of said trades, kinds of business or employment without license, and to regulate the manner in which they shall

be carried on or used; provided, that no such li-cense shall be granted for a less term than three month nor more than one year.

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

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CHAPTER 319.

AN ACT to amend chapter 244, of the laws of 1889, relating to improvement of streets in the city of Madison.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2, of chapter 244 of the laws Amends chapter 244, laws of 1889, is hereby amended so as to read as fol-1889. lows: Section 2. Section 14, of chapter 6, of chapter 36, laws of 1882, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 14. Whenever the Street improvements owners of more than one-half of the frontage how made and of the lots upon that part of any street proposed ance of special to be improved shall petition the common coun street improvement bonds. cil to improve such street or part of street, by stone paving, macadam or otherwise as set forth in such petition, the common council shall order such improvement to be made as shall be fully specified by the city surveyor and approved by the mayor, and upon advertisement, which shall set forth clearly such specifications, may contract for such work to be done by the lowest responsible bidder, if deemed reasonable in cost. Provided, that such improvement, unless made to connect with street somewhat similarly improved, shall be made to extend upon such street, not less than the length or width of three blocks of lots, and the street crossings between. The cost of such improvement when made, shall be assessed to the respective owners of the lots fronting on such street, in the ratio of