

CHAPTER 191.

AN ACT to amend chapter 226, of the Private and Local Laws of 1858, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Kingston," approved May 8th, 1858.

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

Territory at-
tached to vil-
lage of King-
ston.

SECTION 1. All of the west half of section No. six (6), in township No. fourteen (14), north of range No. twelve (12) east, is hereby attached to and made a part of the village of Kingston.

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

Approved March 23, 1860.

Published March 26, 1860.

CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT to amend "an act in relation to public schools in the city of Watertown," and to repeal the act amendatory thereof.

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

School Com-
missioners to
be elected.

SECTION 1. At the annual election for city and ward officers, to be held on the first Tuesday of April, of the present year, there shall be elected in each of the wards of the city of Watertown, one school commissioner, who, as also their successors in office, shall be residents of the ward for which they are elected; the term of office of the commissioners so elected, and also of those thereafter elected as hereinafter provided, shall commence on the first Monday of May, next after their election, and shall be of two years' duration, and until the election or appointment and qualification of their respective successors: *Provided*, however, that the term of office of the commissioners first elected under this act, in the odd numbered wards, shall be but one year, and until their respective successors shall have been elected or appointed and qualified.

Term—when
commence.

Duration.

Proviso.

School Com-
missioners to
be elected at
annual election

§ 2. At the annual election for city and ward officers in said city, in each succeeding year, there shall be elected school commissioners to supply the places of

those whose terms of office will expire during that year, in the following manner, to-wit: In each succeeding odd numbered year there shall be elected one commissioner, in each of the odd numbered wards, and in each succeeding even numbered year there shall be elected one commissioner in each of the even numbered wards. CHAPTER 195.

§ 3. Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of school commissioner in any ward, that fact shall be reported by the clerk of the board of education, in writing, to the common council of said city, and the said council shall fill all vacancies, so reported, by appointment, and the commissioners so appointed shall be residents of the wards for which they are appointed, and shall hold the office during the unexpired part of the term of those whose places they are appointed to fill. Proceedings in case of vacancy.

§ 4. The only cases in which the office of school commissioner shall be deemed to be vacant, shall be in case of the death or resignation of the former incumbent, or his removal from said city; and all resignations of said office shall be in writing, and addressed to the board of education, and such resignations shall be preserved and filed by the clerk of said board and a record thereof kept in the journal. How only office deemed vacant.
Resignations.

§ 5. Every person who shall be elected, or appointed, to the office of school commissioner, shall, before he enters upon the discharge of the duties of his office, and within ten days after his election or appointment, take the oath of office prescribed by the constitution of this state and cause the same to be filed in the office of the city clerk. Officer to take oath.

§ 6. Whenever there shall have been a failure in any ward to elect a school commissioner, at the proper time, as required by this act, and whenever any person elected or appointed to such office, shall neglect to qualify, as required by this act, then in each of such cases the common council of said city shall have the power, and it shall be its duty to appoint a commissioner for such ward, and the commissioner so appointed shall continue in office until the expiration of the term for which he would have held, had he been elected at the proper time for a full term, as the successor in office of one whose term was about to expire. When Common Council may appoint School Commissioners

§ 7. The school commissioners elected under this act,

CHAPTER 195. and the superintendent of schools of said city, shall be
Board of Edu- and constitute the board of education of said city, and the
cation—how board, as organized by this act, shall supercede and take
constituted. the place of the present board, and shall have all and
 singular the powers now conferred by law upon the
 present board, and perform all the duties now required
 by law of the present board; no member of the board
 of education thus organized shall be removed by the
 common council of said city.

Superintend- § 8. At the first regular meeting of said board of
ent of Schools education in May, of each year, said board shall elect
to be elected. a "superintendent of schools" of said city, whose term
 of office shall commence on the second Monday after
 his election, and shall continue for one year, and until
 the election and qualification of his successor. In the
 election of such superintendent, the members of said

Vote viva voce. board shall vote, *viva voce*, and it shall require a ma-
 jority of all the members of said board to elect; and
 the clerk of said board shall record, in the journal of
 the board, the result of such election, and also enter
 therein for whom each member voted on the final vote.

To fill vacancy. § 9. The said board shall have the power, and it
 shall be its duty, to elect a superintendent to fill a va-
 cancy in that office occasioned by death, resignation or
 removal from said city. An election to fill a vacancy
 shall be conducted in the same manner as regular elec-
 tions, and the superintendent so elected shall hold the
 office for the unexpired part of the term.

Clerk and Pres- § 10. Said board shall hereafter elect their clerk
ident to be and president at the time they are required by this act,
elected with to elect a superintendent. So much of section sever-
Superintend- of the act to which this is amendatory, as prohibits the
ent. president from voting on all questions, is hereby re-
 pealed.

Repeal. § 11. Chapter three hundred and twenty-four, of
 the private and local laws of 1857, being an act enti-
 tled "an act to amend an act in relation to public schools
 in the city of Watertown" is hereby repealed, and the city
 treasurer of said city shall hereafter hold and disburse all
 school moneys in the same manner as before said last
 mentioned act was passed, and the present school treasur-
 er of said city shall immediately after the passage of this
 act, deliver over to said city treasurer all school mon-
 eys then in his hands, and all books and accounts be-
 longing to the office, and shall take the city treasurer's
 receipt therefor.

Power of
Treasurer.

§ 12. All acts and parts of acts which conflict with or contravene the provisions of this act are hereby repealed. CHAPTERS
205, 210.

Repeal.

§ 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 24, 1860.

[Published March 28, 1860.]

CHAPTER 205.

AN ACT to change the time for holding the annual election for city and ward officers in the city of Racine, for the year 1860.

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. The annual election for city and ward officers, in the city of Racine, for the year 1860, is hereby postponed to and shall be held on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1860. Election postponed in Racine.

§ 2. The term of office of the present city and ward officers, in said city of Racine, is hereby extended to said first Tuesday in May, 1860, and until their successors are elected and qualified. Term of office.

§ 3. This act shall be published immediately, and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 27, 1860.

[Published April 4, 1860.]

CHAPTER 210.

AN ACT to repeal section two, of chapter one hundred and nineteen, of the Private and Local Laws of 1858, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the Private and Local Laws of 1857, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Appleton.'"

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. Section two of chapter one hundred and nineteen, of the Private and Local Laws of 1858, entitled "An act to amend chapter one hundred and Repeal.