

Repealed.

SECTION 2. All acts and parts of acts heretofore passed inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. 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 387.

AN ACT to amend chapter 331, of the laws of 1887, entitled, "an act to incorporate the city of Altoona."

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

When first
election shall
be held.

SECTION 1. Section 16, of chapter 12, of chapter 331, of the laws of 1887, is hereby amended by striking out the word, "second," where it occurs in said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "third," so that said section, when so amended, will read as follows: Section 16. The first city election of the city of Altoona, for the election of city and ward officers shall be held in the respective wards of said city on the third Tuesday of April, 1887. Five days' notice of the time and place of holding such elections shall be given by posting notices in writing in three public places in said city, signed by A. L. Anderson, G. L. Colburn, and J. K. Brasill, who are hereby appointed a board of canvassers to canvass the returns of the several wards in said city, and are authorized to select a place in each ward for holding such election. At the time of opening the polls in each ward the electors present shall choose viva voce from the qualified electors present, three inspectors of election and two or more clerks of election, who, before entering upon their duties, shall take the oath required of inspectors and clerks of election. Such elections shall be conducted as herein provided for city elections. After the polls of such election are

closed, said inspectors and clerks shall make duplicate returns of such election, one of which they shall forthwith transmit to the said board of canvassers, and one of which is to be retained by said inspectors and filed by them in the office of the city clerk, when such officer is qualified to act, said board of canvassers shall immediately, after the polls of the election are closed, meet at the polling place in the First ward of the city and canvass the returns of the several wards of the city immediately upon the receipt of the returns from all of the wards, and they shall make out duplicate statements to be subscribed by them, showing the whole number of votes cast for each office, and the number of votes cast for each person voted for, and a certificate of the result of the election; they shall file one of such statements in the office of the town clerk of Washington within three days after such election, and shall retain the remaining statements until the city clerk is elected and qualified, when such statement shall be filed in his office. Before proceeding to canvass such returns, the said board of canvassers shall each take and subscribe an oath to support the constitution of the United States and of the state of Wisconsin, and to faithfully canvass the returns of such election. If any one of said canvassers shall fail to act, for any reason the remaining canvassers may appoint a suitable person to act in his stead. Such canvassers shall, immediately after the completion of such canvass, make out certificates of election of each officer elected, and shall forthwith notify him of such election.

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