

be in favor of the granting of license, the common council of such city shall, upon application and in accordance with the laws of the state of Wisconsin, grant licenses to vend and sell intoxicating liquors and drinks within such city for the then ensuing year, and in case a majority of the aldermen of such city, chosen at such election, are elected in wards in each of which a majority of the votes cast shall be opposed to license, the common council of such city shall not grant licenses to vend and sell intoxicating liquors and drinks during the then ensuing year.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed. Repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 21, 1889.

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CHAPTER 130.

AN ACT to amend chapter 128, of volume No. 2, laws of 1887, entitled, "an act to incorporate the city of Reedsburg."

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

SECTION 1. Section 66, of chapter 128, volume No. 2, of the laws of 1887, is hereby amended, so that said section, when amended, shall read: Section 66. The costs and expense of surveying streets, alleys, sidewalks, drains and sewers, and of estimating work thereon in the execution of any public improvement, and of repairing streets and alleys, shall be chargeable to the city. The cost of paving, opening, grading or macadamizing streets and alleys, and constructing and repairing sidewalks shall be chargeable and payable by the lots fronting on such street or alley, so that each lot or parcel of land shall pay for the work done between the front of such lot or tract

Amendment to sec. 66, ch. 128, laws of 1887, relating to survey of streets, sidewalks, etc.

of land and the center of such lot or alley. Sewers and drains may be ordered by the council in any street or alley in said city, and the cost and expense of making and constructing the same shall be chargeable to and payable by the lots abutting or fronting upon such street or alley, if such sewer or drain be in the center thereof. In case such sewer or drain shall be on either side of the center of such street or alley, then the costs and expense shall be chargeable to and payable by the lots and parcels of land fronting or abutting upon such side of the street or alley, so that each lot or parcel of land shall bear its proportionate amount of the costs and expense of constructing such sewers or drains according to their frontage or abutment upon such street or alley as aforesaid, except that the cost and expense of constructing such sewer or drain, in carrying the same across any street or alley, shall be chargeable to and payable by the city. Such sewers and drains shall be constructed and the work and labor performed in the manner and according to the provisions of sections numbers 68 and 69, of this act. In the matter of constructing sewers and drains the council will take action only on petition signed by the owners of more than half of the lineal number of feet of frontage on such street or alley, or side of street or alley as shall be chargeable with the construction thereof.

Amendment to
sec. 144.

SECTION 2. Section 144, is hereby amended so that said section when so amended shall read: Section 144. When the claim of any person against the city shall be disallowed in whole or in part by the council, such persons may appeal to the circuit court of the county of Sauk within ninety days after such disallowance, by serving a notice of such appeal upon the mayor or city clerk, and executing and filing with the city clerk a bond to the city, in the sum of two hundred dollars, with sufficient sureties, to be approved by the clerk and mayor of the city, conditioned for the diligent prosecution of said appeal, and the payment of all costs and damages which may be adjudged against such appellant upon such appeal. The city clerk shall thereupon file with the clerk of the circuit court a duly certified copy of such claim, and the record of disallowance, and within twenty days after the filing of the appeal bond, and

the service of the notice of appeal, the city shall file with the clerk of the circuit court its answer or demurrer to the claim, or its objection thereto.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 131.

AN ACT to amend subdivision 26, of section 1, of sub-chapter 6, of chapter 30, of the laws of 1877, entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Darlington."

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

SECTION 1. Subdivision 26, of section 1, of sub-chapter 6, of chapter 30, of the laws of 1877, entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Darlington," is hereby amended so as to read as follows: 26th. To make, open, keep in repair, grade, improve, lay out, alter, widen, vacate or discontinue streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, sewers, bridges and sidewalks, to keep them free from incumbrances, and to protect them from injury in said city; and whenever twenty or more freeholders of said city shall make and file with the clerk of said city a petition in writing signed by them, addressed to the mayor and common council, praying or asking that any street, avenue, lane or alley, or any part of any street, avenue, lane or alley in said city be vacated, the clerk shall make out and sign a notice reciting the fact of the making and filing of such petition, and stating in such notice a time and place when and where the common council will meet and consider such petition; which time so stated in such notice shall not be less than ten days nor more than twenty days after the date of the filing of such petition. A copy of such notice shall be published at least one week before such meet-

Amend subdivision 26, sec. 1, sub-ch. 6, ch. 30, laws of 1877, relating to repair of streets and sidewalks.