

## CHAPTER 18.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER NINE (9) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT (1878), ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE VILLAGE OF CLAREMONT, DODGE COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:*

SECTION 1. Section three (3) of chapter nine (9) of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878) is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. There shall be an annual election held on the first Monday in April in each year, at such place in said village as the common council shall designate, at which election the polls shall be kept open from one (1) o'clock in the afternoon until five (5) o'clock in the afternoon, at which the qualified electors may choose, by ballot and by a plurality of votes, the elective officers of said village. Any person who is a resident of said village and qualified to vote at the township elections shall be a qualified elector of said village. The election shall be conducted and governed in the same manner, or as near as may be, as township elections. The village recorder shall give such notice of such elections as is required by law for township elections. Special meetings may be called at any time, upon the petition of ten (10) or more legal voters and freeholders, by giving notice thereof and stating the object of such meeting.

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

Approved Feb. 24, 1885.

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## CHAPTER 19.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL IN RELATION TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF SAID CITY.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Minnesota:*

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of an act to amend the charter of the city of Saint Paul in relation to the fire department of said city, approved February 26, A. D. 1883, is hereby amended so as to read as follows, viz.:

Sec. 2. That section eleven (11) of said chapter ten (10) be and the same is hereby amended, by adding thereto as follows: Said board may also, whenever they deem it advisable, elect a secretary to keep