

CHAPTER LXXI.

An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Winona.

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

Election of justices of the peace
—power of

SECTION 1. On the first Monday in April, and every two years thereafter, there shall be elected in said city, two justices of the peace, who shall hold their office until their successors are elected or appointed.

Such justices shall possess all and singular, the powers, rights and authority of justices of the peace under the general laws of this State, and, in addition thereto, shall have jurisdiction to hear all complaints and conduct all examinations and trials in criminal cases, arising within the city, and by its charter or any amendments thereto, made cognizable before a justice of the peace; and in general shall have the same powers and privileges and be subject to the same liabilities and restrictions, as heretofore the justices of the peace for the city of Winona, except as otherwise herein provided.

Amendment to former act

SEC. 2. That section eight (8), of chapter three (3), of "an act to incorporate the city of Winona," approved March sixth (6th), eighteen hundred and fifty-seven (1857), be amended by striking out of said section eight (8) the words, "but shall not serve civil process, except where the city is a party, and shall be collector of taxes."

License fees

SEC. 3. That section two (2), of chapter four (4), of said act be amended so as to read as follows; *Provided*, That the license for so dealing in spirituous, vinous, fermented, mixed, or intoxicating liquors, shall be, not less than ten dollars (\$10), nor more than fifty dollars (\$50) a year, and that no license shall be granted for less than one year.

SEC. 4. The recorder shall attend the meetings of the city council, and shall keep a full record of the proceedings of the same, but shall have no vote at such meetings, ^{Duty of recorder} nor take active part in the proceedings of said council, in any other capacity than as clerk thereof; he shall have power to administer oaths or affirmations, and to take acknowledgments of deeds, conveyances, or other instruments requiring to be acknowledged before an officer. He shall report to the council annually, on or about the first day of August, an estimate of the expenses of the city for the current year, and the revenue necessary to be raised therefor.

The fiscal year of the city shall commence on the first day of September.

SEC. 5. The treasurer of Winona county shall execute to the city of Winona, a bond, with two sureties, to be approved by the city council, in such reasonable sum as said council shall direct, for all moneys belonging to the city, ^{Treasurer to give bond} collected by him. Said treasurer shall, when required, report quarterly to said council a statement of the amount received by him for said city and transferred to the city treasurer, which transfer he shall make at the end of every month, regularly, and take the city treasurer's receipt therefor, to be his voucher upon settlement with any committee of said council, appointed for that purpose.

SEC. 6. All parts of an act entitled "an act to incorporate the city of Winona," inconsistent with this act, ^{Repeal of former acts} are hereby repealed.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 8th, 1862.