

Sec. 23. A majority of the board of trustees shall constitute a quorum for business, and may appoint a surveyor, one overseer of highways for each road district, and any other officer for specific purposes and should any vacancies occur in any of the offices created by this act, the board of trustees or the remaining members thereof may fill the same by appointment. The board of trustees shall constitute a board of auditors for the purpose of auditing all accounts payable by said village.

Sec. 24. Special elections may be ordered by the board of trustees, but no special election shall be held unless ten days' notice thereof be given, nor shall any subject or question be considered or acted upon, unless its objects are clearly set forth and stated in the notice for the call of such meeting.

Sec. 25. No law of this state contravening the provisions of this act shall be considered as repealing, amending, or modifying the same, unless such purpose be expressly set forth in such law.

Sec. 26. This act shall be considered a public act.

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

Approved March 4th, 1876.

CHAPTER XXII.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION EIGHT (8) OF CHAPTER FIVE (5) OF CHAPTER TWENTY-SEVEN (27) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS FOR 1868, BEING "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CITY OF MANKATO," APPROVED MARCH 6, 1868.

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

SECTION 1. That section eight (8) of chapter five (5) of chapter twenty-seven (27) of the special laws for 1868, approved March 6th, 1868, be amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 8. It shall be lawful for the common council of said city at any time to levy a corporation poll tax upon every qualified voter in said city, between the ages of twenty-one (21) and fifty (50) respectively; *Provided*, that said tax shall not in any one year exceed the sum of two (2) dollars on each person. The street commissioner shall collect the corporation or poll tax which may be levied by the common council, and said street commissioner shall have all the power as possessed by road supervisors, as provided by the laws of the state, and shall report to the common council when required.

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

Approved March 2d, 1876.