

CHAPTER 31.

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CITY OF LAKE CITY," APPROVED FEBRUARY TWENTY-SIXTH (26TH), A. D. ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-TWO (1872), RELATING TO ACTIONS FOR DAMAGES FOR INJURIES OR LOSS UPON PUBLIC THOROUGHFARES, AND RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

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

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of subdivision chapter seven (7) of chapter fifteen (15) of the special laws of A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two (1872), entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Lake City," approved February twenty-sixth (26th), A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two (1872), be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words, namely: "That any person who shall hereafter claim any damages for or in respect of any injury or loss claimed to have been occasioned by any imperfection in or negligent management of any portion of a public thoroughfare within the corporate limits of said city of Lake City, shall, within thirty (30) days after such alleged injury or loss, file with the city recorder of said city a written statement, subscribed by the claimant, setting forth the nature and extent of such alleged injuries or loss, the cause thereof, and particular locality where the same occurred, as well as the amount claimed in consequence thereof. Any such claimant who neglects or refuses to comply with this provision shall be forever barred from asserting any such claim and from maintaining any action in any court of law for damages against said city for or in respect of any such alleged injury or loss."

SEC. 2. That section five (5) of subdivision chapter three (3) of said act be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to wit: "The mayor and aldermen shall each be entitled to a sum not exceeding fifty (50) dollars per annum for services rendered or duties performed as such mayor and aldermen; *Provided*, That the question of paying said mayor and aldermen as aforesaid shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city at the annual city election to be held on the first (1st) Tuesday of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885). The voters at said election voting in favor of such pay shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly printed on their ballots the words 'For pay of mayor and aldermen,' and those voting against such pay the words 'Against pay of mayor and aldermen;' which ballots shall be cast and canvassed and the result thereof ascertained and declared in the same manner as at other city elections. If a majority of the votes cast at

such election on said question shall be 'For pay of mayor and aldermen,' then and in that case the said mayor and aldermen shall be entitled to receive the compensation aforesaid."

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

Approved February 28, 1885.

CHAPTER 32.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER EIGHTEEN (18) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE (1881), BEING AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CITY OF BRAINERD IN CROW WING COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of chapter one (1) of an act to incorporate the city of Brainerd in Crow Wing county, approved November nineteenth (19th), A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (1881), be amended by adding thereto the following: "The east half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of sections nineteen (19) and thirty (30), and all of section thirty-one (31), in township forty-five (45) of range thirty (30), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian."

SEC. 2. That section two (2) of chapter two (2) of said act as amended by section one (1) of chapter eight (8) of the special laws of A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (1883), be and the same is hereby further amended to read as follows: "The elective officers of said city shall be a mayor, treasurer, clerk, municipal judge, assistant municipal judge and assessor, who shall be qualified electors of said city, and two (2) aldermen and one (1) street commissioner in each ward, who shall be qualified electors of their respective wards; all other officers for said city shall be appointed by the city council unless otherwise provided. The municipal judge, assistant municipal judge and aldermen shall hold their offices for two (2) years and until their successors are elected and qualified; all other officers shall hold their offices for one (1) year and until their successors are elected or appointed and qualified."

SEC. 3. That section six (6) of chapter two (2) of said act be amended to read as follows: "All persons entitled to vote for county and state officers and who shall have resided in the city for four (4)