

## CHAPTER 33.

[S. F. No. 807.]

AN ACT TO AMEND "AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE VILLAGE OF ELK RIVER," BEING CHAPTER (12) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE (1881), AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER SIXTY-EIGHT (68) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE (1885).

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

SECTION 1. That section twelve (12) of chapter, twelve (12) of special laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one (1881), as amended by section twelve (12) of chapter sixty-eight (68) of special laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885), be amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the words following:

*“Thirty—*To establish and maintain public ferries and to appropriate money therefor; to appropriate money for the improvement and maintenance of any ferry in said village or any ferry connecting with any road leading to said village; to appropriate money for the improvement of the roads and bridges in said village, and roads leading to the same.

SEC. 2. That section thirty-nine (39) of said chapter sixty-eight (68) of special laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885) be and the same is hereby amended by striking out all that part of the last proviso of said section, ending with the word "council" in the fourth (4th) line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the words following:

*“That no license shall be granted by the common council of said village for a less sum than five hundred (500) dollars.*

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

Approved February 26th, 1887.

## CHAPTER 34.

[S. F. No. 306.]

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION NUMBER FIVE (5) OF CHAPTER FOUR (4) UNDER CHAPTER ONE (1) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF THE YEAR A. D. ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE (1883), ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF FERGUS FALLS.

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

SECTION 1. That section number five (5) of chapter four (4) under chapter one (1) of the special laws of the state of Minnesota of the

year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (1883), be amended as follows, viz.: By adding thereto, the corporate and authority herinafter specified.

*Fifty-first*—To compel the owner or owners of any land, lot or lots, within the boundary limits of said city, to drain or fill the same, and to remove and abate any nuisance of any kind or character thereupon.

*Provided*, That after notice to such owner or owners, his, her or their agent or agents—or the occupant—of such land, lot or lots, the city council may by resolution, order said land, lot or lots drained or filled, and remove and abate any nuisance thereupon, and the costs and expenses thereof shall be a charge or lien upon such premises in the nature of a tax or assessment to be collected in the same manner in all things, as is provided for the collection of special assessments under the provisions of chapter ten (10) of said charter.

*Provided further*, That in case such owner or owners are not inhabitants of said city of Fergus Falls or are absent therefrom, then and in that case publication of such notice once in the official paper in said city shall be sufficient notice to such owner or owners of such land, lot or lots.

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

Approved Feb. 10, 1887.

## CHAPTER 35.

[S. F. No. 459].

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AMEND AND CODIFY THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF HASTINGS IN THE COUNTY OF DAKOTA, MINNESOTA. APPROVED MARCH FOURTH, (4) A. D. ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-ONE (1871), AND ALL ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF."

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

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of chapter two (2) of the act entitled "An act to amend and codify the charter of the city of Hastings in the county of Dakota, Minnesota," approved March fourth (4th), A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one (1871), be amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. The elective officers of said city shall be a mayor, city clerk and a justice of the peace for said city, who shall be styled police justice, all of which officers shall be residents in and qualified voters of said city. The elective officers of each ward shall be as follows: Of the first (1st) ward two (2) aldermen; of the second (2nd) ward two (2) aldermen; of the third (3rd) ward three (3) aldermen; of the fourth (4th) ward two (2) aldermen; and of each of said wards one (1) constable and one (1) justice of the peace, each of whom shall be a resident of and qualified voter in the ward in which he may be elected.