

SEC. 15. That for the purpose of the first election under this act, F. J. Duffy, Henry Johnson, and W. H. Penninger, shall be inspectors of election, and also the board of canvassers for such election, and shall perform all the duties and possess all the powers of inspectors of election and board of canvassers prescribed by this act; and they shall appoint the place of holding the polls of such election, and post or publish notice thereof previous to the same.

SEC. 16. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 7th, 1887.

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## CHAPTER 46.

[H. F. No. 668.]

AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN SECTIONS OF AN ACT APPROVED MARCH FIFTH (5th), EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOUR (1874), ENTITLED "AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDUCE THE LAW INCORPORATING THE CITY OF ST. PAUL, IN THE COUNTY OF RAMSEY AND STATE OF MINNESOTA, AND THE SEVERAL ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF, AND CERTAIN OTHER ACTS RELATING TO SAID CITY, INTO ONE ACT, AND TO AMEND THE SAME," AND ALSO OTHER ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF, AND CERTAIN OTHER ACTS RELATING TO SAID CITY.

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

SECTION 1. That section three (3) of chapter one (1) of the act relating to the city of St. Paul, approved March fifth (5th), eighteen hundred and seventy-four (1874), above entitled, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

SEC. 3. The said city of St. Paul shall be and is hereby divided into eleven (11) wards, to be called the First (1st), Second (2d), Third (3d), Fourth (4th), Fifth (5th), Sixth (6th), Seventh (7th), Eighth (8th), Ninth (9th), Tenth (10th) and Eleventh (11th) wards, limited and bounded as follows:

All that portion of said city lying to the eastward of the St. Paul & Duluth railroad track, from the northern boundary of the city to the intersection of said track with Brook street, and east of the centre line of Brook street and Brook street extended from such point of intersection to the Mississippi river, shall be the Second (2d) ward.

All that portion of said city lying south of the centre line of the Mississippi river shall be the Sixth Ward.

The Eighth (8th) ward shall be bounded as follows:

Commencing at the northeast corner of section numbered twenty-two (22), in township numbered twenty-nine (29), range twenty-three (23), thence south to the centre line of Carroll street, thence east on centre line of Carroll street to centre line of Farrington avenue, thence south on centre line of Farrington avenue to centre line of Marshall avenue, thence east on centre line of Marshall avenue to centre line of Louis street, thence south on centre line of Louis street to centre line of Nelson avenue, thence east on centre line of Nelson avenue to centre line of Summit avenue, thence northeasterly on centre line of Summit avenue to centre line of Rice street, thence northerly along centre line of Rice street to the northern boundary of the city, thence west along the northern boundary of the city to the place of beginning.

The Seventh (7th) ward shall be bounded as follows:

Commencing at point of intersection of centre line of West Third street with centre line of College avenue, thence southwesterly through the centre of blocks numbered respectively sixty-four (64) and seventy (70), of Dayton and Irvine's addition, to the centre line of Irvine avenue, at its point of intersection with centre line of Walnut street, thence southwesterly along centre line of Irvine avenue to the centre line of Western avenue, thence south along the centre line of Western avenue to centre line of Pleasant avenue, thence southwesterly along centre line of Pleasant avenue to the centre line of St. Clair street, thence west along the centre line of St. Clair street and St. Clair street extended, in a straight line to the southwest corner of the southeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of section three (3), in township numbered twenty-eight (28), range twenty-three (23), thence north in a straight line to the centre line of Marshall avenue, thence easterly along centre line of Marshall avenue to centre line of Lexington avenue, thence north along centre line of Lexington avenue to centre line of Carroll street, thence easterly along southern boundary of Eighth (8th) ward, as herein described, to centre line of Summit avenue, thence southwesterly along centre line of Summit avenue to centre line of West Third street, thence southeasterly along centre line of West Third street to place of beginning.

The Fifth (5th) ward shall be bounded on the east by the following line:

Commencing at the intersection of the centre line of West Third (3d) street with the centre line of College avenue; thence southeasterly along centre line of West Third (3d) street to centre line of Eagle street; thence southeasterly along centre line of Eagle street to the Mississippi river. It shall be bounded on the south by the Mississippi river, on the north by the Seventh (7th) ward, and on the west by a line commencing at the southwest corner of the Seventh (7th) ward, as herein described, and running thence south to the Mississippi river.

The Ninth (9th) ward shall be bounded as follows:

On the north by the northern boundary of the city, on the east by the centre line of Mississippi street and Mississippi street extended

in a straight line to the northern boundary of the city; on the west by the centre line of Rice street, and on the south by a line which commences at point of intersection of centre line of Rice street with centre line of Summit avenue, and runs thence northeasterly along said centre line of Summit avenue to the centre line of Wabasha street; thence northwesterly along centre line of Wabasha street to centre line of East Summit avenue; thence northeasterly along said centre line of East Summit avenue to centre line of Robert street; thence northwesterly along said centre line of Robert street to centre line of Thirteenth (13th) street; thence northeasterly along said centre line of Thirteenth (13th) street to centre line of Jackson street; thence southeasterly along said centre line of Jackson street to centre line of Grove street; thence easterly along said centre line of Grove street to its point of intersection with the centre lines of Broadway and Mississippi streets.

The Fourth (4th) ward shall be bounded as follows:

On the east by the centre line of Jackson street, on the north by the Eighth (8th) and Ninth (9th) wards, on the west by the Seventh (7th) and Fifth (5th) wards, and on the south by the Mississippi river.

The First (1st) ward shall be bounded as follows:

On the north by the northern boundary of the city, on the east by the Second (2d) ward, on the west by the Ninth (9th) ward, and on the south by the centre line of Grove street.

The Third (3d) ward shall be bounded as follows:

On the north by the First (1st) and Ninth (9th) wards, on the east by the Second (2d) ward, on the south by the Mississippi river, and on the west by the centre line of Jackson street.

The Tenth (10th) ward shall be all that portion of the city of St. Paul lying west of the Eighth (8th) ward, as herein described, and north of the centre line of University avenue.

The Eleventh (11th) ward shall be all that portion of the city of St. Paul lying west of the Fifth (5th) and Seventh (7th) wards, as herein described, and south of the centre line of University avenue.

SEC. 2. That section four (4) of chapter one (1) of said act above entitled, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section (4). The official year for the city of St. Paul shall begin on the first Tuesday in June of each year, and all terms of office shall terminate at that time, unless otherwise provided by law or ordinance; and the general election for city elective officers shall be held on the first Tuesday in May. The first general election for city officers after the passage of this act, shall be held in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight (1888), and thereafter the general city election shall be held biennially, and all city officers heretofore elected shall hold and continue in their offices, respectively, until the first (1st) Tuesday in June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight (1888), provided such officers remain residents of the city of St. Paul. That on and after the first (1st) day of June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight (1888), the common council of the city of St. Paul shall consist of seventeen (17) aldermen, eleven

(11) of whom shall be elected by wards and the remaining six (6) shall be elected at large in the following manner:

Each ward shall constitute an aldermanic district and be entitled to elect one (1) alderman; and at the election for city officers to be held on the first (1st) Tuesday in May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, (1888) there shall be elected one (1) alderman in each of the herein described wards, each of whom shall be voted for by the electors of his respective ward only; and in addition thereto six (6) aldermen at large who shall be voted for by the electors of the entire city of St. Paul.

And biennially thereafter aldermen shall be elected, one in each ward where the term of the alderman elected to represent such ward is about to expire, and in the city at large, aldermen to succeed those elected to represent the city at large whose terms of office are then about to expire.

Every alderman elected under this act to represent a ward shall be and must remain a qualified elector and resident of such ward during his term of office; and every alderman elected under this act to represent the city at large, shall be and must remain a qualified elector and resident of the city of St. Paul during his term of office, and the term of office of every alderman so elected under this act shall be two (2) years, from and after the first (1st) Tuesday of June next succeeding the time of his election and until his successor shall be elected and qualified; and on and after said Tuesday of June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight (1888), no alderman elected under this act shall, during his term of office, hold any other city, county or state office of profit or trust.

The said city of St. Paul shall be and is hereby divided into election districts as follows:

The first (1st) ward, as above described, shall be divided into three (3) election districts. All that portion of said first (1st) ward lying south of the centre line of Minnehaha street and east of the centre line of Mississippi street, shall constitute election district number one (1) of said ward. All that portion of said first (1st) ward lying north of the centre line of Minnehaha street and west of the centre line of Edgerton street and Edgerton street extended in a straight line to the northern boundary of the city shall constitute the election district number two (2) of said ward. All the remainder of the said first (1st) ward shall constitute election district number three (3) of said ward.

The second (2nd) ward, as above described, shall be divided into three (3) election districts, to-wit: All that portion of said second (2nd) ward lying south of the centre line of Conway street and Conway street extended in a straight line to the eastern boundary of the city, shall constitute election district number one (1) of said ward. All that portion of said second (2nd) ward lying north of the centre line of Conway street and west of the centre line of Mendota street, shall constitute election district number two (2) of said ward. All the remainder of said second (2nd) ward shall constitute election district number three (3) of said ward.

The third (3d) ward, as above described, shall be divided into three

(3) election districts, to-wit: All that portion of said third (3d) ward lying south of the centre line of Grove street and east of the centre line of Broadway, shall constitute election district number one (1) of said ward. All that portion of said third (3d) ward lying west of the centre line of Broadway and south of the centre line of east Seventh street, shall constitute election district number two (2) of said ward. All the remaining portion of said third (3d) ward shall constitute election district number three (3) of said ward.

The fourth (4th) ward, as above described, shall be divided into four (4) election districts, to-wit: All that portion of said fourth (4th) ward lying east of the centre line of Wabasha street and south of the centre line of east Seventh street, shall constitute election district number one (1) of said ward. All that portion of said fourth (4th) ward lying west of the centre line of Wabasha street and south of the centre line of west Seventh (7th) street shall constitute election district number two (2) of said ward. All that portion of said fourth (4th) ward lying north of the centre line of west Seventh (7th) street and west of the centre line of Wabasha street, shall constitute election district number three (3) of said ward. All the remaining portion of said fourth (4th) ward shall constitute election district number four (4) of said ward.

The fifth (5) ward, as above described, shall be divided into three election districts, to-wit: All that portion of the said fifth (5th) ward lying north of a line commencing at the intersection of centre line of Ramsey street with centre line of Western avenue, thence easterly along said centre line of Ramsey street to its point of intersection with centre line of Sherman street, thence southeasterly along centre line of Sherman street to the Mississippi river, shall constitute election district number one (1) of said ward. All that portion of said ward lying between said election district number one (1) and a line which commences at point of intersection of centre line of St. Clair street with centre line of Pleasant avenue, and runs thence easterly along said centre line of St. Clair street to its point of intersection with centre line of Western avenue, thence south on said centre line of Western avenue to the Mississippi river, shall constitute election district number two (2) of said ward. All the remaining portion of said fifth (5th) ward shall constitute election district number three (3) of said ward.

The sixth (6th) ward, as above described, shall be divided into six (6) election districts, to-wit: That portion of said ward which has been heretofore called the first (1st) election district of the second (2nd) aldermanic district of the sixth (6th) ward shall be hereafter known as election district number one (1) of the sixth (6th) ward. That portion of said sixth (6) ward which has been heretofore called the first (1st) election district of the first (1st) aldermanic district of the sixth (6th) ward shall be hereafter known as election district number two (2) of the sixth ward. That portion of said sixth (6th) ward which has been heretofore called the second (2nd) election district of the first (1st) aldermanic district of the sixth (6th) ward, shall be hereafter known as election district number three (3) of the sixth

ward. That portion of said sixth (6th) ward which has been heretofore called the third [3rd] election district of the first [1st] aldermanic district of the sixth [6th] ward, shall be hereafter known as election district number four [4] of said ward. That portion of said sixth [6th] ward which has been heretofore called the second [2nd] election district of the second [2nd] aldermanic district of the sixth [6th] ward shall be hereafter known as election district number five [5] of said ward. That portion of said sixth [6th] ward which has been heretofore called the third [3rd] election district of the second [2nd] aldermanic district of the sixth [6th] ward shall be hereafter known as election district number six [6] of the sixth [6th] ward.

The seventh [7th] ward, as herein described, shall be divided into three [3] election districts, to-wit: All that portion of said seventh [7th] ward lying east of the centre line of Western avenue shall constitute election district number one [1] of said ward. All that portion of said seventh [7th] ward lying west of the centre line of Western avenue and east of the centre line of Dale street shall constitute election district number two [2] of said ward. All the remaining portion of said seventh [7th] ward shall constitute election district number three [3] of said ward.

The eighth [8th] ward, as herein described, shall be divided into four [4] election districts, to-wit: All that portion of said eighth [8th] ward lying south of the centre line of University avenue, and east of the centre line of Western avenue, shall constitute election district number one [1] of said ward. All that portion of said eighth [8th] ward which lies south of the centre line of Thomas street and west of the centre line of Western avenue shall constitute election district number two [2] of said ward. All that portion of said eighth [8th] ward lying north of the centre line of University avenue and east of the centre line of Western avenue and Western avenue extended in a straight line to the northern boundary of the city shall constitute election district number three [3] of said ward. All the remaining portion of said eighth [8th] ward shall constitute election district number four [4] of said ward.

The Ninth (9th) ward shall be divided into three (3) election districts, to wit:

All that portion of said Ninth (9th) ward lying south of the right of way of the St. Paul Minneapolis & Manitoba railway company and west of the centre line of Jackson street, shall constitute election district number one (1) of said ward.

All that portion of said Ninth (9th) ward lying south of the right of way of the St. Paul Minneapolis & Manitoba railway company and east of the centre line of Jackson street, shall constitute election district number two (2) of said ward.

All the rest of said Ninth (9th) ward shall constitute election district number three (3) of said ward.

The common council shall, by a two-thirds ( $\frac{2}{3}$ ) vote of all the members elect thereof, on or before the first (1st) Tuesday of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887), fix and determine the election districts in the Tenth (10th) and Eleventh (11th) wards herein described.

That each of said districts shall be an election district of said city for the holding of all the general elections provided for under the laws of this state, and for the election of all corporate elective officers provided for in this act and the several acts to which this is amendatory. *Provided, however,* that the common council may, by a vote of two-thirds ( $\frac{2}{3}$ ) of the members elect thereof, re-divide any of the wards herein described into election districts, each of which shall not contain more than five hundred (500) resident electors, in order to provide for the convenience of electors and prevent illegal voting. Such districts to be designated by numbers, or otherwise, as said common council may determine, but no change shall be made in the boundaries of any such election district within thirty (30) days prior to any election appointed to be held therein. *Provided, further,* that said common council shall not have authority to change the boundary lines of said wards.

SEC. 3. That section twenty-three (23) of chapter seven (7) of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885) be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. All acts and parts of acts, so far as they are inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed; but no such repeal shall supersede any alderman or school inspector heretofore elected, or any member of the board of public works heretofore appointed, or affect any contracts, bonds, actions or proceedings heretofore made, issued or had.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 16, 1887.

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## CHAPTER 47.

[H. F. No. 864].

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL,  
AND THE ACTS AMENDATORY THERETO.

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

SECTION 1. That the municipal corporation of the city of Saint Paul is hereby authorized, whenever a sewer is ordered built, to include in such order the construction as far as the property lines, of all the lateral connections and private drains, that may be deemed expedient or necessary, or whenever a street is ordered paved, to include in such order the construction as far as the property lines, of