striking out the word "present" in the third and tenth lines, and the words "and posted in three conspicuous places in each ward for two weeks," in the fourth and fifth lines.

SEC. 14. That section seven of said chapter three be amended by inserting in the fourth line thereof immediately after the word "therefor" the words "whenever authorized so to do by the legal voters of said city in accordance with the provisions of section three of chapter four of this act."

SEC. 15. That section two of chapter four of said act be amended by inserting in the fourteenth line next after the words "ward or

wards" the words " lot or lots."

SEC. 16. That section eight of said chapter four be amended by adding thereto the following, "said tax may be collected by civil action in the name of the city or in such other manner as the council may by ordinance prescribe.

SEC. 17. That subdivision one of section two of chapter five of said act, be amended by inserting next after the word "made" in the second line the words "unless they can agree with the owner

of premises which may be damaged thereby."

SEC. 18. That section six of chapter five of said act, be amended by inserting next after the word "record" in the second line the words "either written or printed or partly written and partly printed."

SEC. 19. That section three of chapter seven of said act, be amended by inserting next after the word expenses in the sixth line the words "together with twelve per cent. of said expenses additional."

SEC. 20. That section eight of chapter nine of said act be and the same is hereby repeated [repealed.]

SEC. 21. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after

its passage.

Approved March 9, 1874.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

AN ACT TO EXTEND THE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY OF FARIBAULT OVER A PART OF THE CANNON RIVER BOAD, IN RICE COUNTY, FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES.

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

That the city of Faribault is hereby authorized to extend its jurisdiction over so much of the road or highway leading from said city to the Cannon Lake, known as the Cannon River road. as lies between the western boundary of said city and the east end of Cannon Lake, in Rice county, so far as to permit the common council of said city, its officers and agents to widen said part of the road aforesaid to a width not exceeding one hundred feet widening to be made equally upon each, or wholly upon either, or partly upon each side of the center line of said part of the highway aforesaid, and to improve and repair the said part of the highway aforesaid, and its sluices, culverts and bridges, and keep the same in repair in like manner and with like responsibility as if said portion of said highway were a public street of said city, and the cost of such widening and keeping said portion of said highway, its sluices, culverts and bridges in repair, shall be chargeable to and payable out of the general funds of said city.

SEC. 2. That the towns of Warsaw and Wells, in said county, are hereby relieved from the duty of repairing, and from all responsibility for the want of repairs of said portion of said highway or its

sluices, culverts and bridges.

· Sec. 3. That the common council of said city shall have power to widen to a width not exceeding one hundred feet, that portion of said road lying within the limits of said city between the point of junction of Front and Fourth streets and the western boundary of said city. Provided, That whenever it shall be necessary to take any private property for the purpose aforesaid the county commissioners of the county of Rice shall, within ten days after being requested by the common council of the city of Faribault, view the premises and assess the damages which may be occasioned by the taking of private property or otherwise, in making said improvements, and all proceedings on the part of said commissioners shall be conducted in the same manner, and all parties interested shall have the same right as are or may be provisioned or secured by chapter five of an act of the legislature of the state of Minnesota, approved February twenty-ninth, A. D. eighteen hundred and sevty-two, entitled "an act to authorize the incorporation of the city of Faribault," or of any act amendatory thereof.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after

its passage.

Approved March 9, 1874.