

said sidewalk, and said expense shall be assessed upon such lots and parcels of land so chargeable by the said street commissioner in such manner that each lot will be charged with the whole expense of the sidewalk adjoining thereto. After such assessment is made it shall be returned by the street commissioner to the president and trustees, and said assessment so made and returned, if approved by the president and trustees, shall become a lien upon said lots and parcels of land, as in other cases of taxes for state, county or village purposes.

SEC. 4. If said assessment be not paid to the street commissioner or the recorder, on or before the twentieth day of August in any year, the president and trustees shall cause a statement of the same to be transmitted to the county auditor of the county, on or before the first day of September in each year, and the said auditor shall insert the same with the other taxes in the duplicate statement of taxes annually transmitted by him to the county treasurer for collection and payment thereof enforced, with and in like manner as village, county and state taxes are collected, and payment thereof enforced.

SEC. 5. All acts and parts of acts contrary to the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

[SEC. 6.] This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 3d, 1879.

CHAPTER XIX.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER FOURTEEN OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVEN ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE VILLAGE OF ALEXANDRIA."

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

SECTION 1. That section one of chapter fourteen of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven entitled "an act to incorporate the village of Alexandria," be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That the following described territory in the county of Douglas and said state to wit: Lots five and six in section eighteen, the north half of section nineteen, the north half of the southwest quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter of section nineteen, all in township one hundred and twenty-eight, of range thirty-seven, be and the same hereby is set apart, constituted and

incorporated as the village of Alexandria under and subject to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirty-nine of the general laws of the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five; and the inhabitants of said territory shall form and constitute a municipal corporation, and shall have the powers possessed by municipal corporations at common law, together with the powers granted and conferred by said chapter one hundred and thirty-nine of the general laws of the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

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

Approved March 3, 1879.

CHAPTER XX.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION NINE OF CHAPTER THREE OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF STILLWATER.

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

SECTION 1. That section nine of chapter three of an act entitled "an act to reduce the law incorporating the city of Stillwater in the county of Washington and state of Minnesota, and the several acts amendatory thereof, into one act and to amend the same," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, as amended by chapter forty-one of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 9. The city council shall have power from time to time to require other and further duties to be performed by any officers whose duties are herein specified, and appoint one or more assessors and such other officers as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and to prescribe their duties, and to fix the compensation of all officers elected or appointed by them, whose compensation is not fixed by this act. The mayor shall receive a compensation of two hundred dollars per annum; the city clerk a salary of six hundred dollars per annum; the city treasurer a salary of three hundred dollars per annum; and the aldermen each one hundred dollars per annum. No other or further compensation shall be paid to said officers or either of them for any services performed by them as such officers. The city attorney shall receive such compensation as the services rendered by him shall be reasonably worth, and the aggregate amount of all fees, compensation and emoluments allowed and paid to any and all officers and committees by the said city shall not exceed in any year the tax levied