

clerk of said village, and a copy of any chattel mortgage executed by a resident of said village on property outside of said village may also be filed with said clerk, who shall receive like fees as township clerks are entitled to for similar services.

SEC. 3. That section eleven of chapter eight of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy aforesaid be amended by adding thereto the following, to wit:

And the trustees of said village are authorized and directed to use any moneys in the village treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for such purposes as the voters of said village may direct by ballot at any meeting of such voters called in like manner as provided by this act for general and special elections.

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

Approved February 18, 1879.

CHAPTER LIV.

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE VILLAGE OF WINNEBAGO CITY, FARIBAULT COUNTY, MINNESOTA," BEING CHAPTER SEVEN OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOUR, APPROVED FEBRUARY TWENTY-FOUR, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOUR.

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

SECTION 1. That section two of title one, of chapter seven, special laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, being an act to incorporate the village of Winnebago City, Faribault county, Minnesota, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. The elective officers of said corporation shall be one president, one recorder, three trustees, one treasurer, one assessor, one justice of the peace, who shall be styled police justice, and one constable, who shall be styled marshal, and shall each hold their office for the term of one year, except the justice of the peace, whose term of office shall be two years, and until the successors are elected and qualified. In addition to the above officers the common council shall have power to appoint, define the duties, and fix the compensation of such other officers as the said council may deem proper and necessary. All village officers shall have resided in the village four months immediately preceding their election or appointment, and shall be qualified electors of the state.

SEC. 2. That the first subdivision of section one of title two of said act be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

First—To license and regulate the exhibition of common showmen and shows of all kinds, or the exhibition of caravans, circuses, concerts, or theatrical performances, billiard tables, nine or ten-pin alleys, bowling saloons, auctions and auctioneers, groceries and taverns.

SEC. 3. That section six of title three of said act be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

Section 6. The sale or other disposition of intoxicating, spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors within the limits of said village, is hereby prohibited. *Provided*, That the qualified electors of said village may at each annual election held under this charter, vote to authorize the common council of said village to license the sale of such liquors for the ensuing year, and no longer, and at such election the voters shall vote by ballot, with the words "for license," or "against license," written or printed thereon, or partly written and partly printed, which said ballot shall be upon a separate piece of paper from that containing the names of candidates for office voted for at said election, and which said ballot shall be deposited in a separate ballot box to be provided, and the said votes shall be canvassed and the result declared in the same manner as the ballots for officers, to be elected at said election, and if upon said canvass, a majority of all the votes cast at said election on said subject, shall be found to have voted "for license," then and not otherwise, during the year then next ensuing, and no longer, the common council shall have power and authority to issue licenses for the sale of such liquors, and fix the amount to be paid for such license, and shall in all things regulate the sale thereof, and shall have exclusive control thereof.

Provided further, That the question of license shall not be voted upon at any election, unless at least twenty days prior to the time of holding such election, at least ten of the qualified electors and freeholders of said village shall deposit in the office of the recorder of said village, a notice that such question will be voted upon, and if such notice is so deposited, the recorder shall give notice of the same in the same manner and at the time provided by section ten of title one of said act, for the election of officers. All fines imposed for violation of any ordinance or regulation or by-law of said village, regulating the traffic in intoxicating, vinous, fermented or malt liquors, shall be paid into the treasury for the use thereof.

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

Approved January 21, 1879.