

shall not in any manner affect, injure or invalidate any contract, act or suits, claims, penalties or demands that may have been entered into, performed, commenced or that may exist under or by virtue or in pursuance of the said acts, or any former act incorporating the borough of Fort Howard, or any amendments thereto; but they shall exist and be enforced and carried out and be completed as fully and effectually, to all intents and purposes, as if this act had not been passed.

SECTION 19. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 14, 1878.

CHAPTER 165.

[Published March 26, 1878.]

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and eighty-eight of the general laws of 1872, entitled "an act to provide for the incorporation of villages."

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows :

Section 28
amended.

SECTION 1. Section twenty-eight of chapter one hundred and eighty-eight of the general laws of 1872 is hereby amended by inserting between the words, "treasurer" and "marshal," in the third line thereof, the words, "assessor, justice of the peace."

Section 29
amended.

SECTION 2. Section twenty-nine of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by inserting after the word, "treasurer," when it occurs in the first line of said section, the words, "assessor, justice of the peace."

Section 30
amended.

SECTION 3. Section thirty of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by inserting after the words, "police justice," in the first line thereof, the words, "and justice of the peace," and by striking out the word, "his," in the first and second lines of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "their."

Section 33
amended.

SECTION 4. Section thirty-eight of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by inserting after the word, "office," where it occurs in the third line of said section, the following: "He shall assess and carry out such village taxes upon all the real and personal estate liable therefor, in the tax roll

of said village in like manner as by law provided for assessing and carrying out taxes in towns."

SECTION 5. Section thirty-nine of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by striking out the word, "receive," when it occurs in the first line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof, the word, "collect"; and also by striking out the words, "received, raised, recovered or collected," when they appear in the second and third lines of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "due said village."

Section 39 amended.

SECTION 6. Section forty-one of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by inserting after the word, "act," where it occurs in the sixteenth line of said section, the following: "Subject to appeal as from judgments in justices' courts, except as hereinafter provided;" and by inserting after the word, "village," where it occurs in the twenty-third line of said section, the following: "The justice of the peace shall be elected in the same manner, be subject to the rules, and have the same jurisdiction as justices of the peace of towns."

Section 41 amended.

SECTION 7. Section forty-three of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by inserting after the word, "treasurer," in the first line thereof, the words, "assessor, justice of the peace."

Section 43 amended.

SECTION 8. Article three, section fifty-one of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by striking out the word, "hereinafter," where it occurs in the second line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "herein;" and also by inserting after the word, "interest," in the eighth line thereof, the words, "when authorized by a vote of the people at a general or special election."

Section 51 amended.

SECTION 9. Section fifty-four of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the word, "property," where it occurs in the eighth line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "and shall not exceed one per centum of such valuation, except upon a vote of the people at a general or special election."

Section 54 amended.

SECTION 10. Section fifty-five of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby repealed.

Section 55 repealed.

SECTION 11. Section fifty-six of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: "*provided*, that no such indebtedness shall be incurred or bonds issued until a proposition for incurring such indebtedness has been submitted to a vote of the people of such village and approved by them."

Section 56 amended.

Section 57
amended.

SECTION 12. Section fifty-seven of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section 57. The village assessor shall assess the personal and real property of said village at the time and in the manner provided for assessing towns, and shall receive therefor such sum as the board of trustees shall determine, not exceeding three dollars per day."

Section 74
amended.

SECTION 13. Section seventy-four of said chapter one hundred and eighty-eight is hereby amended by striking out the word, "town," in the second line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the word, "village."

SECTION 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 14, 1873.

CHAPTER 166.

[Published March 25, 1873.]

AN ACT to amend section twenty seven of chapter one hundred and thirty of the laws of 1868, in relation to assessment and collection of taxes.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Amended—
assessor shall
take oath.

SECTION 1. Section twenty-seven of chapter one hundred and thirty of the general laws of 1868 is hereby amended so as to read as follows: The assessor shall take and subscribe an oath annexed to said assessment roll, which shall be certified by the officer administering the same, and shall be substantially in the following form:

Form of oath
annexed to as-
sessment roll.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, — county—ss.

We, — — and — —, assessors for the town of —, in said county, do solemnly swear that the annexed assessment roll contains, as we verily believe, a complete and perfect entry and list of all real property liable to assessment for the present year in said town or ward; the name of each person therein owning or having in charge personal property liable to taxation; the name of each stockholder and the amount of his stock in each incorporated bank in said town or ward; a correct description of the separated parcels of