

SECTION 3. The votes cast for or against said amendment shall be counted and returned by the inspectors of the election in all respects as votes for state officers are counted and returned, and the officers in counties now designated by law to canvass the returns of votes for state officers shall canvass the returns in their respective counties on this question and certify and return the result to the state canvassers at the same time and places and under the same regulations and restrictions now provided by law for canvassing and declaring the returns for elections of state officers and the state canvassers shall canvass said returns certified to them as provided by law in case of elections for state officers.

Return and canvass of votes.

SECTION 4. Within three days after the determination of said canvass by the state canvassers, they shall certify the result thereof to the governor, who shall thereupon without delay make proclamation of the result.

State canvassers to certify result, and governor to make proclamation.

SECTION 5. The secretary of state is hereby required to include the substance of this act in the notice of the general election for the year 1877.

Duty of secretary of state.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 6, 1877.

CHAPTER 159.

AN ACT appointing four trustees for the Galesville University, and authorizing the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America to appoint eight trustees therefor, also repealing section 1 of chapter 11 of the private and local laws of 1862, and chapter 259 of the private and local laws of 1870.

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

SECTION 1. That George Gale, Rockwood McQuesten, J. C. D. Bruynkops, and Alex. A. Arnold are hereby appointed and constituted four of the trustees of the Galesville University, to hold their office for one year, or until such time as others shall be appointed in their place, as provided for in section two of this act.

Appointment of trustees.

SECTION 2. The Presbytery of Chippewa, which is in connection with the "General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America,"

Appointment of visitors.

is hereby authorized and empowered to annually appoint four visitors, who shall be *ex officio* members of the board of trustees of the Galesville University, and shall severally hold their offices for the term of two years, and until the election or appointment of their successors; *provided*, that the members of the said board of trustees shall not exceed the number of fifteen at any one time; the second appointments made under this section to take the place of the four trustees named in the first section of this act.

Repealed.

SECTION 3. Section 1 of chapter 11 of the private and local laws of 1862, and the amendment made thereto, as made by chapter 259 of the private and local laws of 1870, are hereby repealed.

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

Approved March 6, 1877.

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CHAPTER 160.

AN ACT to amend the city charter of the city of Fond du Lac, and to repeal sections 12 and 15 of chapter 5 of chapter 59 of the private and local laws of 1868, chapter 474 of the private and local laws of the year 1871, and all acts amendatory thereof.

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

Amended.

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter three of chapter fifty-nine of the private and local laws of the year 1868, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 1. The municipal government of the city shall consist of a common council, composed of the mayor and two aldermen from each ward, one of whom shall be designated as chairman. The other officers of the corporation shall consist of a comptroller, city clerk, city treasurer, city attorney, fire marshal and assistants, superintendent of schools, chief of police and policemen, a sealer of weights and measures, a city surveyor, one fire warden, three justices of the peace, and three constables from the city at large, one assessor, and one school commissioner for each ward, and such other officers and agents as may be provided for by this act, and such as the common council may from time to time deem necessary to appoint.

Municipal government—in whom vested.