

[Published March 17, 1877.]

CHAPTER 296.

AN ACT relating to hawkers and peddlers, and amendatory of chapter seventy-two of the laws of 1870, as amended by chapter 395 of the laws of 1876.

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

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter seventy-two of the laws of 1870, as amended by chapter 395 of the laws of 1876, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section 1. No person shall be allowed to travel from place to place within this state, for the purpose of carrying to sell or exposing to sale, any goods, wares or merchandise (farmers' produce excepted), unless he shall have obtained a license as a hawker and peddler in the manner hereinafter provided." Amended.
Peddlers to procure license.

SECTION 2. Section seven of chapter seventy-two of the laws of 1870, as amended by chapter 395 of the laws of 1876, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Every person who shall be found traveling or trading in the manner indicated in section one, or selling or offering to sell any patent rights or articles, within this state, contrary to the provisions of this chapter, or contrary to the terms of any license that may have been granted to him as a hawker and peddler, patent right dealer or public showman, shall for each offense be fined in a sum not exceeding fifty dollars, nor less than twenty dollars, and cost of prosecution, and in default of such payment may be committed to the county jail for a period not exceeding three months; and it is further enacted, that one-half of the fine received in such cases under this act shall go to the prosecutor." Amended.
Penalty for peddling without license.

SECTION 3. Section fourteen of said chapter seventy-two, as amended by chapter 395 of the laws of 1876, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section fourteen. Nothing contained in this chapter shall be so construed as to prevent any manufacturer, mechanic or nurseryman from selling his own work or production, either by himself, employe, or any one of his family, in any manner, nor to prevent any farmer from selling his work or production, or the productions of any other farmer, either by himself or by one of his family, or any employe, in any manner, without license;" Amended.
Who exempt from procurement of license.

nor shall any patent right dealer be required to take out a license to sell his own invention."

Showmen re-
quired to pro-
cure license.

SECTION 4. Section 5 of said chapter seventy-two of the laws of 1870, is hereby amended by adding the following words: "Also every owner or manager of a so-called side-show, or every person exhibiting for money any wild animal or any object of curiosity, shall procure a state license as a public showman, and shall pay into the state treasury therefor the sum of twenty dollars.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 8, 1877.

[Published March 15, 1877.]

CHAPTER 297.

AN ACT to amend section 9 of chapter 3, of chapter 184 of the laws of 1874, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate and amend the charter of the city of Milwaukee," approved February 20, 1852, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

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

Amended.

Common coun-
cil to let con-
tract for doing
advertising of
city.

SECTION 1. Section 9, of chapter 3 of chapter 184, of the laws of 1874, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 9. At the last meeting of the said common council held prior to the expiration of the term of the present board of aldermen, the said common council shall direct the clerk of said city to advertise in one English and one German newspaper, published in the said city, for proposals to do the advertising for the said city for the next ensuing year thereafter, of all ordinances and notices as are now required to be published by the provisions of said charter. The said proposal shall call for bids from the English and German newspapers published daily in said city at least two consecutive years prior to said letting, and shall require the delivery of such proposals by each of the said newspapers in writing, duly sealed and directed to the said clerk, on or before the first Tuesday of April, 1877. No bid shall be considered by the said clerk unless accompanied by a certificate from the city treasurer, showing that the bidder has deposited with him five hundred dollars in money

Bids to be ac-
companied by
deposit.