be collected as hereinafter provided, and shall be expended on the streets, highways and public places governed by the village board, and officers of their appointment.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed, so far as they conflict herewith, and no

farther.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 8, 1889.

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## CHAPTER 296.

AN ACT in relation to proof of title to real estate in criminal cases.

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

Proof of title to real estate, how made in criminal cases.

SECTION 1. In all criminal actions in which it is necessary for the state to prove that any person owns or has an interest in any real estate, a conveyance to such person of such real estate or an interest therein, so executed and acknowledged or proved as to be entitled to record, or the record of such conveyance or a certified copy of such record, or such proof of possession as would entitle a plaintiff to recover in an action for trespass, shall be received in all courts in this state as presumptive evidence that such person owned or had an interest in the real estate in question.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. Approved April 8, 1889.