

other papers, recorded in their offices, wherein the subject matter of such deeds, or other papers, are situated in San Mateo County.

Sub. 19. All actions pending, or proceeding, in the nature of actions, whether original, or on appeal, civil or criminal, that were commenced by a party, or parties, now residing within the limits of San Mateo County, shall be disposed of by the tribunals and officers having jurisdiction of the same, in San Francisco County; and nothing in this section contained shall be construed so as to affect any such action.

Sub. 20. It shall be the duty of the County Surveyor, under the instruction and direction of the Board of Supervisors, to mark the boundary line between [the] city and county of San Francisco and county of San Mateo, and for such services he shall receive such compensation as may be allowed by law. The said county of San Mateo shall remain connected with the city and county of San Francisco, as heretofore, for all purposes connected with representation in the Legislature, and the election of members thereof, which shall remain as heretofore established by law.

SEC. 10. This Act, excepting this section, and section five of article first, only, shall take effect on and after the first day of July next; and, in the meantime, the existing municipal government, or officers, of the city of San Francisco, or the Board of Supervisors, or other officers of the county of San Francisco, shall not have power to contract any debt or liability against the said city or against the said county. But this prohibition, or anything contained in the existing charter of said city, shall not be construed to prevent the appropriation, or payment out of the treasury, of any moneys actually existing therein, to the various objects and purposes, as authorized by law, or the drawing of any warrant, or order therefor. This section and section five of article first, of this Act, shall take effect immediately after its passage.

APPROVED, April 19, 1856.

AN ACT

Amendatory of and Supplementary to "An Act to Repeal the Several Charters of the City of San Francisco," etc., etc.

[Approved April 18th, 1857.]

Sections one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight (amended April 25th, 1857) nine, ten, eleven. *See Sections one, six, ten, eleven, nineteen, sixty-seven, seventy-four, eighty-one, eighty-five, eighty-six and ninety-five, of original Act, respectively.*

SEC. 12. The second section of this amendatory Act shall not be construed so as to shorten or otherwise to affect the term of office of the officers chosen at the last general election. But all officers then elected shall continue in office and hold office for the same time as if said amendatory section had not been passed.

SEC. 13. The Board of Supervisors shall have power to examine and approve, and the Auditor to allow, in the same manner as heretofore examined and allowed, and register in a book to be specially prepared for that purpose, the demands of all officers of the county, and the policemen of the city of San Francisco, for the months of April, May and June, A. D., 1856, in cases where the amount claimed has not been previously audited, and where the same is fixed by law, or by ordinance of the Common Council of said city, in pursuance of and by due authority of law. The said board shall also have power to examine and approve, and the Auditor to allow and register the demands for compensation of the Board of Examiners, created by virtue of an ordinance numbered eight hundred and thirty-one, passed by the Common Council of said city on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1855, and also shall have power to examine and approve, audit and register the demands for compensation of the Clerks and other persons actually employed by said Board of Examiners in aid of their official duties as such board; *provided*, that no amount exceeding thirty dollars per day for the time actually spent in said examination shall be allowed to the Chair-