

CHAPTER 295.

[Published April 18, 1864.]

AN ACT relating to the jurisdiction of certain counties on the Saint Croix lake and river.

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

SECTION 1. The counties of Pierce, Saint Croix, Polk and Burnett, and such other counties as shall hereafter be organized within this state, upon the Saint Croix river and lake, shall have jurisdiction, in common, in all offenses on said river, within the jurisdiction of the state, and such offenses may be heard and tried in either of said counties in which legal process against the offenders shall be first issued, in like manner and to the same effect as if the offense had been committed within the county in which such process shall be issued.

Persons guilty of offenses on St. Croix river, may be tried therefor in any county on said river.

SECTION 2. All civil processes from either of the counties named in the preceding section, and from such other counties as shall hereafter be organized upon the Saint Croix river or lake, may be executed upon that part of said river or lake which lies within the jurisdiction of this state.

Execution of process.

Approved April 1, 1864.

CHAPTER 296.

[Published April 19, 1864.]

AN ACT to provide for the expenditure of the drainage fund in Shawano county.

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

SECTION 1. That portion of the interest of the drainage fund due the county of Shawano, for the year 1864, shall be paid over to the county treasurer of said county, at the same time with the money due the said county from the school fund for the said year.

When fund to be paid.

To be expended
on Shawano and
Green Bay road.

SECTION 2. The moneys mentioned in the foregoing section, shall be expended on and for the improvement of that part of the Shawano and Green Bay road lying in Shawano county, under the direction of the commissioners hereinafter appointed.

Commissioners,
&c.

SECTION 3. A. G. Rockwell and Henry Snecke, of Shawano county, and W. J. Abrams, of Brown county, are hereby appointed commissioners to superintend the expenditure of the said moneys. They shall receive such compensation, not to exceed two dollars for each day actually and necessarily employed in their duties as such commissioners, as the board of supervisors of said county shall audit and allow.

Contracts to be
let to lowest
bidders.

SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of said commissioners, or a majority of them, to determine where and what kind of improvement is needed on said road. They shall let all contracts for such improvement to the lowest bidder, who shall give such security as they may deem necessary. They shall give notice of the day fixed for the letting of such contracts, and of the kind and amount of work so to be let, for at least two weeks, in any paper printed in said county, and by posting a copy of such notice in a public and conspicuous place in each town of said county. On completion of such work or contract, and no sooner, they shall draw orders on the county treasurer for the sums needed to pay for such work or contract, and the county treasurer shall pay the same out of the moneys of said fund.

When work to
be paid for.

Commissioners
not to be inter-
ested in con-
tracts.

SECTION 5. The commissioners so appointed shall not themselves take or bid on any such job or contract, nor shall they be either directly or indirectly interested therein. They shall keep a record of their proceedings and vouchers for all moneys paid out by them, and shall make a full report of their doings and expenditures to the county board of supervisors of said county, in the month of November, of said year.

To keep records,
&c.

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

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