

AN ACT concerning removals from office.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

Removals, notice of.

§ 1. That on the removal of any person from office by the Governor, it shall be his duty forthwith to notify such person, in writing, of his removal, and also to file a notice of such removal, if a county officer, in the office of the clerk of the district court of the county in which such person may reside, or if a territorial officer, in the office of the secretary of the territory.

Certain officers shall not act.

§ 2. Any sheriff, judge of probate, or justice of the peace now in commission, or to be appointed by the governor previous to the first Monday of June next, who shall perform any official act after the time limited by the laws of the territory for the expiration of his term of service, shall be liable to the party or parties injured thereby in treble damages, and shall be subject to a fine of fifty dollars for every such act, to be recovered in an action of debt, on the complaint of any person; in behalf of the United States, which fine shall go to the support of the poor in the town or county where such officer resides, according as the same is under the town or county government.

April 17, 1843—returned from governor with veto. On reconsideration, the bill was passed—nine members voting in the affirmative, and but one in the negative.

JOHN P. SHELDON, Sec'y of Council.

Reconsidered, and passed by the House of Representatives, by ayes and noes, April 17, 1843; twenty-four members voting for the bill, and one against it. JOHN CATLIN, Chief Clerk.

AN ACT to provide for the payment of the expenses of the Legislative Assembly.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

Appropriations, how and to whom paid.

§ 1. That there shall be paid out of the proper appropriations made by the congress of the United States, for defraying the expenses of the legislative assembly previous to the seventeenth day of April, A. D. 1843, inclusive—

Jas. Lemon.

To James Lemon, for furnishing ninety cords of wood, and assisting in removing the library, for the session of the legislative assembly of 1841 and 1842, two hundred and fifty-five dollars: