

essary to set forth the same by plea or otherwise; but such statutes, laws, acts, or resolves, may be given in evidence under pleadings and obligations (*allegations*) in the usual form in all courts in this state.

§ 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved, February 2, 1854.

Chap. 7.

AN ACT. *to organize the county of Dunn.*

Published February 9, 1854.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Boundary.

§ 1. All that portion of country embraced in the following boundaries, is hereby set off into a separate county, to be called and known as the county of Dunn, to wit: beginning in the Mississippi river at the mouth of Rush river, thence running east on the south line of Pierce county to the south-east corner of said Pierce county; thence north on the east boundary line of Pierce and St. Croix counties to Polk county; thence east on the township line between township thirty-one and thirty-two north, to the range line between ranges ten and eleven west; thence south on said range line to the township line between townships twenty-four and twenty-five north; thence west on said township line to the Chippewa river; thence down the centre of the main channel of Chippewa river to the Mississippi river; thence up the centre of the main channel of the Mississippi river, to the place of beginning.

§ 2. The said county of Dunn is hereby attached to the county of Chippewa for judicial purposes.

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§ 3. At the general election to be held in the month of November, 1854, there shall be elected in said county the proper county officers for county government, (not including clerk of the circuit court nor county judge,) which of-

ficers so elected, shall qualify as now provided by law, and enter upon the duties of their several offices the first day of January, 1855.

§ 4. The seat of justice in said county shall be and the same is hereby located at Colburn's at or near the Ferry across Red Cedar river, near its mouth in said county. Location of county seat.
Provided, That the electors in said county may, at the next general election, by vote, change the location of said county seat to any other point in said county, by a majority of the vote polled at said election. Proviso.

§ 5. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, February 3, 1854.

Chap. 8.

AN ACT to provide for the collection and appropriation of five per cent. returned on the delinquent tax list.

Published, February 10, 1854.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. That section seventy of chapter fifteen of revised statutes shall be so construed as to require the several town treasurers in this state to return with their delinquent list to the county treasurers the five per cent. allowed by law for collection fees, and the five per cent. on the delinquent tax list returned by the town treasurers to the county treasurers as collectors' fees, shall be collected by the county treasurers in the same manner that other delinquent county taxes are collected, and in like manner appropriated. How act construed.

§ 2. That all moneys previously so collected and now remaining in the hands of the county treasurers, shall be paid to the order of the county board of their several counties, the same as other county funds. Money to be paid out.

§ 3. This act shall be printed immediately after its passage, and when so printed shall be in force.

Approved, February 9, 1854.