

places aforesaid may vote for judicial officers to be chosen on the same day and the votes cast for such judicial officers, whether for justice of the supreme court, judge of the circuit court or county judge, or all of them, shall be counted, canvassed and returned in the same manner and shall have the same effect as if said town were fully organized.

When town deemed organized. SECTION 5. When such election shall have been held as herein provided and the town officers required by law elected the said town of Breed shall be deemed and shall be duly organized and shall possess all the rights, powers, privileges and liabilities of other towns in this state.

Apportionment of indebtedness and road money. SECTION 6. On the 15th day of April, A. D., 1901, the town boards of the towns of Howe and Breed shall meet together in the town hall in the town of Howe and determine what portion of the legal indebtedness of the existing town of Howe shall be chargeable to the town of Breed and to the town of Howe, and shall also determine what portion of assets and credits of the existing town of Howe, together with such road moneys as shall be payable to said town, shall be due the towns of Howe and Breed respectively.

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 55.

AN ACT to authorize Emil Thomas, his associates, heirs and assigns, to erect and maintain a dam across Prairie river in section twelve, township thirty-two north, of range seven east, in the county of Lincoln.

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

Location of dam; height of; sluice-way; logs not to be detained.
SECTION 1. Emil Thomas, his associates, heirs and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to erect and maintain a dam across Prairie river on any lands owned or controlled by them in

section twelve, township thirty-two north, of range seven east, at such point on their said lands as they shall select, for manufacturing and other purposes, and to erect and maintain such piers and booms in connection therewith, as may be necessary or convenient for holding, storing, assorting and handling logs to be manufactured at or near said dam; provided, that said dam, when erected, shall not exceed six feet in height above the low water mark, and shall be so constructed as not to obstruct the running of timber or logs down said river, and that said dam shall be furnished with a suitable slide or chute, which shall be placed in the main channel of the river, and so located and constructed as to allow logs passing over the same to pass freely down the river, away from said slide or chute, and the same shall be kept open at all times when there are logs or timber to run over said dam, and logs destined for points below on said river shall not be detained longer than may be necessary to separate from the general drive of logs such as may be intended for manufacture at or near said dam, and no charge shall be made for separating said logs or for the use of said slide and chute for passing logs over said dam; provided further that said dam shall be so constructed by the building, erecting and maintaining of a fishway, sluice-way or other contrivance as to freely permit fish to pass through the same.

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

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CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT to amend section 1520 of Wisconsin statutes of 1898, relating to county superintendents of poor.

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

Poor superintendents, how elected; vacancy; trustees of county asylum, when to act as. SECTION 1. Section 1520 of the Wisconsin statutes of 1898, is hereby amended by striking out the