

**Town of Linn** the same is hereby set off into a separate town, to be known  
 Town meeting when & where held. and distinguished as the town of Linn; and the first town meeting shall be held at the house of James Nelson in said town.

**Geneva.**  
 First election when & where held. § 7. That all that part of the present town of Geneva, in Walworth county, comprised in township two, range seven on east, is hereby set off and organized into a separate town, by the name of Geneva, and the first election in said town, shall be held at the Inn of Manning & Thompson in said town.

**Town of Stockbridge.**  
 Town meeting where & when held. § 8. All that part of the county of Calumet lying north of the north line of the tract known as the "Brothertown Reservation" extended west to the west line of said county and north of the township line between townships seventeen and eighteen of range twenty east, shall constitute a separate town by the name of Stockbridge, and the first town meeting therein shall be held at the house now occupied as the school house of said town.

**Town of Oconomowoc.**  
 Town meeting when & where held. § 9. That all that part of the town of Summit, in the county of Milwaukee comprised in township eight range seventeen, be, and the same is hereby set off and organized into a separate town by the name of Oconomowoc; and the first town meeting shall be held at Rockwell & Cotton's mills in said town.

§ 10. That the several towns set off and organized by this act, shall each be entitled to, and enjoy all the rights and privileges which are granted by law to the other towns in this Territory.

**Spelling of name of town changed.** § 11. That township five north of range eighteen east, now called Mequanego, shall hereafter be known and distinguished as Mukwonago.

§ 12. This act shall be of force and take effect from and after the first Monday in April next.

APPROVED, January 23, 1844.

## AN ACT to prevent disturbances and interruption at camp-meetings.

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

§ 1. That any person who shall sell any ardent spirits, wine, beer, cider, cakes, goods, wares, merchandize, or

other thing, within one mile of any camp-meeting, without the consent of a majority of all the tent holders at such camp-meeting, and of the minister or ministers having charge of such meeting, or who shall otherwise wilfully interrupt or disturb such meeting, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars nor less than five dollars, to be recovered on complaint before any justice of the peace within the county: *Provided*, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit any such sale at any regularly established store, tavern, or sale shop, established previously to such meeting, and not established with the intent to evade the provisions of this act.

APPROVED, January 25, 1844.

## AN ACT to amend "An act to prescribe the mode of proceeding in chancery."

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

§ 1. That all process issuing from the district court, in proceedings in chancery, shall be tested in the name of the judge of the court from which it shall issue, or of some one of the judges of the supreme court, and shall bear teste on the day on which the same shall be issued, and shall be made returnable on a day certain, therein to be mentioned, either in term time or vacation, and shall be served in the manner now required by law: *Provided*, that it shall not be necessary for the clerk to endorse thereon the day when the same was issued, nor for the sheriff to endorse thereon the day when the same came into his hands.

§ 2. On the return of a subpoena "served" by the sheriff, or other proper officer, the complainant may enter an order with the clerk of the proper court, requiring the defendant, if a resident of the county, to file his plea, answer or demurrer, by a day certain, to be not less than thirty days from the date of such order; and, if a non-resident, by a day certain, to be not less than ninety days from the date of such order; and if the defendant shall not file his plea, answer or demurrer within the time limited