CHAPTER 387.

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AN ACT to change the boundary line between Polk and Dallas counties.

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

SECTION 1. Townships thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, thirty-six and thirty-seven, all in range fifteen, and now included in the county of Dallas, are hereby set off and attached to and made a part of the county of Polk: *provided*, that a majority of the votes to be cast upon the decision [division] of Dallas county, as hereinafter provided, shall be " for change of the boundaries of Polk and Dallas counties ;" but if a majority of said votes shall be " against change of the boundaries of Polk and Dallas counties," then the boundary line between said counties shall remain unchanged. *Question of detaching certain townships from Dallas and attaching them to Polk.*

SECTION 2. At the general election to be held on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, at all the usual places of holding elections in the county of Dallas for the election of all officers required by law then to be elected, the question whether Dallas county shall be divided, as provided by section one of this act, shall be submitted to the people of said county of Dallas ; and if a majority of all the votes cast upon that subject shall be in favor of such division, then the territory embraced in the townships named in section one aforesaid, shall be, from and after the first day of December next, detached from said county of Dallas, and annexed to and made a part of the county of Polk. *When question to be submitted.*

SECTION 3. The votes cast upon the subject specified in the last preceding section, shall be by separate ballots, and deposited in a box used only for such ballots, and shall be written or printed on each of them the words " for change of the boundaries of Polk and Dallas counties," or "against change of the boundaries of Polk and Dallas counties," which words shall indicate the vote of the election for or against the change of the boundaries of Polk and Dallas counties ; *Form of ballot, return, &c.*

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and the ballots so cast shall be returned and canvassed in the same manner as votes cast for county officers, and said canvass, when made, shall be recorded by the clerk of the board of county supervisors of said Dallas county, in his office, and a certified copy thereof shall forthwith be transmitted by said clerk to the secretary of state, to be filed in his office.

Notice of submission.　SECTION 4. The sheriff of said Dallas county shall give notice of the submission of the question of the division of said county, in the same manner as notices of general elections are given, which notice shall be made part of the notice of the general election to be held in November of the present year.

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CHAPTER 388.

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AN ACT to provide for the protection of lumber and logs in the fourth district of this state.

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

File and record of marks.　SECTION 1. All persons who shall hereafter cut and manufacture logs and lumber in the fourth district of this state, shall, within thirty days thereafter, file an accurate description of their several marks upon said logs and lumber, in the office of the surveyor general of said district; and it is hereby made the duty of the surveyor general of said district to record said marks, the description of which shall be filed in his office as aforesaid, for which he shall be entitled to receive as fees, the sum of twenty-five cents for every mark so recorded.

Penalty for not filing mark.　SECTION 2. Any person who shall hereafter cut and manufacture logs and lumber in the said fourth district, and shall neglect or refuse to comply with the requirements of this act in relation to the filing of the descriptions of said marks, as set forth in the preceding section, is hereby declared to be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a