

CHAPTER 39.

[Published March 30, 1867.]

AN ACT to amend chapter 352 of the general laws of 1864, entitled "an act to provide for a tract index."

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

Time to procure index books extended.

SECTION 1. That chapter 352 of the general laws of 1864, entitled "an act to provide a tract index," is hereby amended, by adding a new section, to stand as section 4, and shall read as follows: "Section 4. The provisions of sections one and three of the abovenamed chapter, are hereby extended to June, 1867, and December, 1867, respectively."

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

Approved March 23, 1867.

CHAPTER 40.

[Published April 1, 1867.]

AN ACT to encourage the cultivation of cranberries.

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

Dams may be built over streams, &c.

SECTION 1. It shall be lawful for any person or persons owning or occupying lands within this state adapted to the culture or growing of cranberries, to build and erect, keep up and maintain such dam or dams upon and across any stream, ditch, sluice, slough or any other body of water, as shall be necessary for the purpose of flowing said marsh land.

Drains may be dug.

SECTION 2. It shall also be lawful for any such person or persons to dig, construct and keep open upon, across and through any lands below said marsh land, all such drains and ditches as shall be or become necessary for the purpose of draining and carrying off the water from such marsh land whenever it shall be desirable so to do.