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## CHAPTER 19.

AN ACT to divide the town of Marshland in  
Burnett county.*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in  
senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. The territory of the town of Marshland, Burnett county, shall be divided into the following towns, to-wit: The town of Marshland shall consist of sections one, two and three of township thirty-eight of range eighteen west, and township thirty-nine of ranges seventeen and eighteen west, and fractional township thirty-nine of range nineteen west, and fractional township forty of ranges seventeen, eighteen and nineteen west, and fractional township forty-one of range seventeen west. The first meeting of said town of Marshland shall be held at the Freya schoolhouse in school district number two, on the first Tuesday in April, 1899. The town of Meenon shall consist of the west half of township thirty-nine of range fifteen west and township thirty-nine of range sixteen west, and township forty of ranges fourteen, fifteen and sixteen west, and township forty-one of ranges fourteen and fifteen west, and fractional township forty-one of range sixteen west, and township forty-two of ranges fourteen and fifteen west, and fractional township forty-two of range sixteen west. The first meeting of the town of Meenon shall be held at the Orange school house in district number seven the first Tuesday of April, 1899.

SECTION 2. On the fifteenth day of April, 1899, the town boards of the town of Marshland and of the town of Meenon, as by this act constituted, shall meet together and determine what

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portion of indebtedness legally incurred by the the old town of Marshland shall be chargeable to the town of Marshland and the town of Meenon as by this act constituted, and shall also determine what portion of the credits of the old town of Marshland each of the towns as by this act constituted shall be entitled to. Said town boards shall apportion the indebtedness aforesaid in such manner that the town of Marshland as by this act constituted shall be chargeable with one-third thereof, and the town of Meenon with two-thirds thereof, and the town of Marshland as by this act constituted shall be entitled to one-third of the credits aforesaid, and the town of Meenon shall be entitled to two-thirds of said credits. The said town board shall set off against each other such indebtedness and such credit, and determine which town is indebted to the other and the amount of such indebtedness. The town board of the town so found indebted shall levy a tax upon all the taxable property of such town sufficient to pay such amount.

Powers of  
county board  
not abridged.

SECTION 3. Nothing in this act shall be so construed as to abridge any of the powers of the county board of Burnett county to set off, organize, vacate or change the boundaries of said towns at any time hereafter, in accordance with the powers conferred by law upon county boards.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 17, 1899.