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CHAPTER 31.

AN ACT to repeal chapter 181 of the laws of 1903, entitled, An act to authorize Alwin A. Muck, of the town of Brule, Douglas county, Wisconsin, his heirs, associates and assigns, to build and maintain a dam across the Brule river, in Douglas county, Wisconsin, for the purpose of improving the navigation of said river and creating hydraulic power for the operation of machinery and for other lawful purposes.

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

Repeal. Section 1. Chapter 181 of the laws of 1903 is hereby repealed.

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

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CHAPTER 32.

AN ACT to amend subsection 13 of section 776 of chapter 38, statutes of 1898, relating to towns.

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

Section 1. Subsection 13 of section 776 of chapter 38 of the statutes of 1898 is amended to read as follows:

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

Approved March 27, 1907.

Supervisor of assessments: per diem and number of days service per year. Section 772l. The provisions of this act fixing the maximum and minimum rate of compensation to be paid to the supervisors of assessment * * * shall apply to all such officers who have been or who shall be elected or appointed for the term commencing the first Monday in January, 1905, or for any portion of said term. If any county board shall have fixed the rate of such compensation for said term at less than three dollars per day, * * * such board may re-determine such rate for said term at not less than three nor more than four dollars per day, at any annual or special meeting but until the rate shall be so re-determined in the cases aforesaid, the rate of the compensation of the supervisor of assessment during said term shall be three dollars per day. The power herein given to the county boards to limit the period for which the supervisor of assessment shall receive compensation may be exercised at the annual meeting to be held in November, 1905, in respect to the remainder of the said term commencing in January, 1905, but not as to the first year of said term.

(Ch. 510, 1907.)

Village powers conferred upon towns. [Section 776.] 13. All powers relating to villages which are conferred upon village boards by the provisions of chapter 40 of the statutes and the provisions of chapter 143 of the laws of 1901 and all acts amendatory thereof, excepting those the exercise of which would conflict with the statutes relating to towns and town boards, are conferred upon towns which contain one or more unincorporated villages having each a population of not less than one thousand, and may be exercised by the board of such town when directed by a resolution of the electors thereof, at an annual town meeting.

(Ch. 32, 1907.)

Town meetings: lands costly of access, power to buy; negotiable bonds therefor. [Section 776.] 15. To authorize the purchase of any lands within such town lying in such a position that the cost to the town of constructing and maintaining roads, bridges and other means of access thereto shall in the near future exceed the purchase price of such lands; and to provide how the money necessary for such purchase shall be raised, and to authorize the town board to issue bonds or obligations of such town in an amount not exceeding such