

shall be ascertained, assessed, and paid in the manner provided for by an act entitled "An act in relation to mills and mill dams," approved January 13, 1840.

Water in
Third Lake
not to be rais-
ed so as to in-
jure water
power.

SEC. 5. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to raise the Third Lake by damming the outlet thereof, or in any other manner to interfere with or injure the water power contemplated by the provisions of the said act to which this is amendatory.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

WILLIAM SHEW,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

MASON C. DARLING,

President of the Council.

APPROVED, February 11, 1847.

HENRY DODGE.

AN ACT

To amend an act entitled "An act to regulate taverns and groceries."

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

Separate bal-
lot-boxes to
be provided.

SECTION 1. That it shall be the duty of the board of supervisors in the several towns, and of the judges of elections in the several precincts, on the first Tuesday in April next, and thereafter at the times provided by law for the election of precinct and town officers, on each year, to cause to be provided a separate box in which shall be deposited the ballots for or against license.

SEC. 2. That the electors of the several towns and pre-

precincts authorized by law to vote for town or precinct officers, ^{To vote for or against licenses.} may at the said elections vote for or against granting license to sell or retail spirituous or vinous liquors and wines, by presenting to the judges of said elections ballots upon which shall be written or printed "For License," or "Against License," which ballots shall be canvassed in the same manner as the ballots for officers of said towns are by law required to be canvassed, and in those counties under county government certified and returned to the clerks of the boards of county commissioners in the same manner and under the same penalties and restrictions that votes for county officers are required to be certified and returned.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the clerks of the boards of ^{How votes returned.} county commissioners of the several counties under the county government, and the judges of the elections of the several towns, to canvass said votes in the same manner as is provided by law for county or town officers; and if it shall appear that a majority of all the votes cast in said town in the towns under the town government, or in the counties under the county government, are "For License," then licenses shall be granted in said town or county as now provided by law. But if it shall appear that the majority of all the votes cast as aforesaid are "Against License," then no licenses shall be granted within the town or county having such last named majority, for the year next ensuing, or until a majority of the votes [voters] in said town or county shall by their votes authorize the granting of licenses as herein provided.

SEC. 4. All licenses for the sale of liquors and wines as ^{Time when licenses expire.} aforesaid, hereafter granted, shall expire within six days after the time appointed for holding the next election, at which the voting herein provided for may be taken; and where said licenses may be granted for part or parts of a year, the price paid therefor shall be in proportion to the price for license for the whole year.

SEC. 5. All the provisions of this act shall apply as well ^{Law to apply to incorporated towns and cities.} to incorporated towns and cities, when said towns and cities have the sole right of granting licenses for the sale of spirituous or vinous liquors, as to counties under county govern-

ment ; and the result of the votes in cities and towns where the same may apply ; shall be certified from the several wards or election districts to the clerk of the corporation, and be canvassed in the same manner as the votes for presiding officers of said corporation are by law required to be canvassed.

WILLIAM SHEW,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

MASON C. DARLING,

President of the Council.

APPROVED, February 11, 1847.

HENRY DODGE.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of the interest on certain liquidated bonds therein named.

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

Interest to
be paid.

SECTION 1. There shall be paid out of the territorial treasury the following named sums of money in full for interest which has accrued on territorial bonds surrendered upon payment of the principal thereof, to wit :

To Edward
Elkerkin.

To Edward Elderkin, the sum of fifty-three dollars and seventy-five cents, on bond issued to him 19th February, 1841, for the sum of three hundred dollars :

James Mor-
rison.

To James Morrison, the sum of twenty-one dollars and sixty-four cents, on bond No. 86, issued to William C. Bostwick for the sum of fifty dollars, dated March 16th, 1841; and also the sum of fifty-four dollars and forty-four cents for in-