

Penalty.

within this Territory, he shall forfeit, for every such offence, the sum of fifty dollars, to be recovered by any person, who will sue for the same in his own name, in an action of debt, before any Justice of the Peace of the county, in which the offence shall be committed; and if the person so convicted shall be a licensed grocer, or tavern keeper, he shall, in addition thereto, forfeit his license, and it shall be unlawful for the county commissioners to grant a license to such person to keep a grocery or tavern for the space of one year after such conviction.

Intoxicating liquor may be seized and destroyed if found within, &c.

SEC. 2. It shall not be lawful for any person to sell, give, or dispose of, or keep for any such purpose, any intoxicating liquors, at any place within five miles of the mouth of Wolf river, in the county of Brown, and any agent Indian Agent, or any civil Magistrate, sheriff or constable, shall have, and is hereby given the authority to seize and destroy any liquor found within the said five miles, without any other or further warrant therefor. Provided, that this section shall not authorize any such officer to enter a permanent dwelling, or storehouse, of a person residing within said five miles, nor shall such permanent resident be prohibited from keeping or disposing of liquors, within his said dwelling or storehouse, if thereunto licensed by the proper authorities of the county.

Approved, January 8th, 1840.

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No. 18.

AN ACT for the relief of the county officers of Crawford county.

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

Certain actions against, barred unless commenced in one month from, &c.

SECTION 1. It shall not be lawful for any person, who may have paid the taxes, levied by the county officers of Crawford county, in the years 1837, 1838, and 1839, for county purposes or to defray the expenses of building a bridge across the Marais St. Friel, in said county, to sue for or recover the same from the Collector of said county, unless suit to recover the same shall be commenced within one month after this act shall take effect.

SEC. 2. The county commissioners shall be, and are hereby authorized to levy and collect taxes equal to and to pay judg-

ments from the County Treasury of said county, the amount of any judgment recovered, or to be recovered against the Collector for or on account of the collection of said tax. Amount of judgments against, to be assessed and collected again.

SEC. 3. It shall not be necessary for the county commissioners to make a separate tax roll, or assessment, for the collection of the tax, authorized by law, to pay the expense of constructing said bridge, but the same may be included in the tax for county purposes which may be levied in each year, until the same shall be paid; and this act shall take effect on the twentieth day of January, 1840. How assessed.

Approved, January 9th, 1840.

No. 19.

AN ACT to establish the town of Bristol in the county of Racine.

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

SECTION. 1. That all that part of the town of Pleasant Prairie, comprising township one north of range twenty-one east, be, and the same is hereby set off into a separate town, by the name of Bristol, which town shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges which the other towns in said county have by law, and the elections hereafter to be holden shall be held at such place in said town of Bristol, as shall be designated by the board of county commissioners of said county. Set off from Pleasant Prairie.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, January 9th, 1840.

No. 20.

AN ACT to organize the county of St. Croix.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin, That, from and after the first Monday in August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, all that portion of the Territory of Wisconsin which lies north and west of a line commencing at the mouth of* Boundary lines of