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CHAPTER 64

AN ACT to cede a portion of the town of Buffalo in the county of Buffalo and state of Wisconsin, being an island in the Mississippi river, to the state of Minnesota, and to accept and annex to this state certain territory heretofore constituting a part of the town of La Crescent in the county of Houston and state of Minnesota, being islands in the Mississippi river.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. All that portion of the present town of Buffalo in the county of Buffalo, and state of Wisconsin, which lies northerly and westerly of the following described line, to wit: commencing at the point in the center line of the main channel of the Mississippi river above Island No. 72, where the center line of the channel running between Island No. 72 and Island No. 71 intersects the center line of the said main channel, and running thence easterly and southeasterly along the center line of the channel between said islands, and between said Island No. 72 and the main Wisconsin shore to the center line of the main channel of said river, being lot number three, in section number one, township number eighteen, north of range number eleven, west of the fourth principal meridian, and commonly known and described as Island No. 72 in the Mississippi river, is hereby ceded and relinquished to the state of Minnesota in full and absolute right and jurisdiction; provided, and this cession is made upon condition, that no license or permit to sell or otherwise dispose of intoxicating liquors in the territory ceded shall ever be granted by the state of Minnesota or any of its municipalities.

SECTION 2. This act shall not take full effect nor be in full force until the state of Minnesota shall by like act of its legislature have ceded to the state of Wisconsin all that portion of the town of La Crescent in the county of Houston, and state of Minnesota, which lies easterly of the following described line, to wit: commencing in the northeast quarter of section number eleven, township number one hundred four, north, range number four, west of the fifth principal meridian, at the point of intersection of the center line of the west channel of the Mississippi river with the center line of the main east channel of said river, and running thence southeasterly along the center line of said west channel to its intersection with the center line of said east channel of said river in the easterly part of section number twenty-four in said township and range; nor until the acceptance of the cession of the territory described in section 1

of this act by the state of Minnesota, and the approval of the said respective cessions of territory by the congress of the United States.

SECTION 3. The cession and relinquishment of the territory described in section 2 of this act, when so made by said state of Minnesota, is hereby assented to and accepted by this state; and upon the filing in the office of the secretary of state of this state of a duly authenticated copy of the act of the legislature of the state of Minnesota relinquishing and ceding to this state the territory described in said section 2, and assenting to and accepting the cession of the territory described in section 1 of this act, and authorizing the governor of the state of Minnesota to file formal acceptance thereof in the office of the secretary of state of this state, the governor of this state is hereby empowered and directed to execute and file in the office of the secretary of state of the state of Minnesota a formal acceptance by this state of said territory described in said section 2. And upon the filing of such authenticated copy of such act of the legislature of Minnesota, and such acceptance by the governor of Minnesota, in the office of the secretary of state of this state, and the further filing in said office of a duly authenticated copy of the act of the congress of the United States approving of both said cessions and the consequent changes in the boundary line between said two states, this act shall take and have full force and effect; and the said territory described in said section 2 shall thereupon become and be a part of the county of La Crosse, and the secretary of state shall certify the fact and effect of said respective cessions to the county clerks of the said counties of La Crosse and Buffalo.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication, subject to all provisions of sections 2 and 3 hereof.

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CHAPTER 65

AN ACT to validate bonds issued by any city under the provisions of sections 1325m and 927—11 to 927—19, inclusive, of the statutes.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. All acts and proceedings of any city heretofore taken under section 1325m and sections 927—11 to 927—19, inclusive of the statutes for the issuing of bonds for the purpose