cial oaths, and for recording such bond the register of deeds shall receive a fee of fifty cents from the person executing the same.

Duty of officers heretofore elected.

Sec. 3. That all persons within this territory, elected to the office of justice of the peace or constable at the general election held in October last, who have not, on or before the date of the approval of this act. qualified into office agreeable to the provisions of any law now in force, shall be required to qualify and give bond as provided in this act.

Other acts to conform to this.

Sec. 4. All acts and parts of acts now in force shall be so construed as to conform to the provisions of this act.

When to tak a effect.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved, December 27th, 1865.

## COURTS.

## CHAPTER 13.

An Act Fixing the time of holding the District Courts in the First, Second and Third Judicial Districts; and the time of holding the Courts in the county of Union.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Dakota:

Time and place of holding court

Section 1. That the District Court in and for the third juin third district dicial district, shall be held at the town of Bon Homme, in the county of Bon Homme, on the second Monday of May and the first Monday of September in each year.

In second district.

Sec. 2. That the District Court in and for the second judia cial district, shall be held in the town of Yankton, in the county of Yankton, on the first Monday of June and the first Monday of October in each year.

- Sec. 3. That the District Court in and for the first judicial In aret district district, shall be held in the town of Vermillion, in the county of Clay, on the fourth Monday of June and the fourth Monday of October in each year.
- Sec. 4. That the District Court in and for the county of Incounty of Union in the first judicial district, shall be held at the county seat of Union county, on the second Tuesday of March and the third Tuesday of November in each year.
- Sec. 5. All acts and parts of acts, so far as they conflict Acts repealedwith the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.
- Sec. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and when to take effect. after its passage.

Approved, January 8th, 1866.

## ELECTIONS

## CHAPTER 14.

An Act providing for Elections and to prescribe the Canvass and Return of the same.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of

Section 1. That all elections hereafter to be held for terri- Elections held torial, district, county, precinct, city, and other officers provisions of ded by law, shall be held and conducted in the manner prescribed in this act.

Sec. 2. A general election shall be held in the several elec- when general tion precincts in this territory, on the second Tuesday in Octo- and what officers ber in each year, at which there shall be chosen so many of the following named officers as are by law to be elected in each year, that is to say: A delegate to Congress, territorial officers, members of the legislative assembly, judges of probate, district attorneys, sheriffs, county commissioners, coroners, registers of deeds, treasurers, justices of the peace, constables,