

Chapter 24, laws  
1865 and 66  
repealed

Sec. 111. That chapter twenty-four of the laws of 1865 and 1866, entitled, "an act in relation to territorial and county revenue," and all parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed; *Provided, however,* That this act shall in no wise abrogate, annul or repeal the provisions of an act of this session entitled, "an act in relation to taxing real and personal property," and, *Provided, further,* That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to repeal any of the provisions of the common school laws now in force, and *Provided, further,* That nothing in this act shall be construed as to effect any proceedings had under the provisions of any former act of the legislature.

Act to take effect  
—When

Sec. 112. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, Jan. 12, 1869.

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## TIMBER.

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### CHAPTER 26.

#### AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE THE PLANTING AND GROWING OF TIMBER.

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

Number of acres  
to be planted.  
Lands exempt—  
Not exceeding

Section 1. That any person or persons, owning or claiming any prairie lands, in this Territory, who shall sow seed thereon, set out, plant or cultivate, protect and keep in good growing condition, five acres timber, the trees to be not more than eight feet apart; every such person or persons owning or

claiming such lands, shall be allowed to hold exempt from taxation, the one-fourth of the one-fourth section whereon the same may be situated, with all improvements thereon, not exceeding one thousand dollars in value.

Sec. 2. The exemptions provided for in this act shall continue and be in force for the term of ten years from and after the planting of the timber aforesaid. Exemptions shall continue in force how long

Sec. 3. The change of ownership of the lands referred to in this act, shall in no way change the operation of this act; Change of ownership  
*Provided*, The owner or claimant of said lands shall protect and keep the timber as aforesaid, in a good growing condition.

Sec. 4. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed. Acts conflicting repealed

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Governor. To take effect when approved

Approved, Jan. 5, 1869.

## TOWNSITES.

### CHAPTER 27.

AN ACT SUPPLEMENTARY TO AN ACT ENTITLED  
 "AN ACT IN RELATION TO TOWNSITES ENTERED  
 AS SUCH UNDER THE ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED MARCH 2d, 1867," APPROVED DECEMBER 18th, 1867.

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

Section 1. That whenever any tract of land shall have been settled upon and entered as a townsite under the provisions of