

COMMISSIONER DISTRICTS.

CHAPTER 4.

BON HOMME COUNTY.

AN ACT to repeal an act of the special and private laws of 1872-3, creating three commissioner districts in Bon Homme County.

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

Certain act
repealed.

SECTION 1. That chapter 8 of special and private laws of 1872-3, approved January 9th, 1873, creating three commissioner districts in Bon Homme county, be and the same is hereby repealed.

When to take
effect.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved, January 6, 1875.

CHAPTER 5.

LAKE COUNTY.

AN ACT to divide the county of Lake into three commissioner districts.

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

County divided
into three
commissioner
districts.

SECTION 1. That the county of Lake be and the same is hereby divided into three commissioner districts, to be bounded as follows:

Boundaries of
first district.

District No. 1 to commence at the northeast corner of the county; thence west to the northwest corner of the county; thence south to the southwest corner of section seven, (7) township 106, range 54; thence east to the northwest corner of section sixteen, (16) township 106, range 52; thence south one mile and a half; thence east to the east line of the county; thence north to the place of beginning.

District No. 2 to commence at the southeast corner of dis- Second district
 trict number one; thence west to the line between sections
 twenty-two and twenty-three, township 106, range 52; thence
 south to the south line of the county; thence east to the east
 line of the county; thence north to the place of beginning.

District No. 3 to commence at the southwest corner of dis- Third district.
 trict number one; thence along the south boundary of district
 number one to the northwest corner of district number three;
 thence south to the south line of the county, thence west to
 the west line of the county; thence north to the place of be-
 ginning.

SEC. 2. That at the first general election held in said county When com-
 missioners to
 be elected.
 and annually thereafter, there shall be elected one commis-
 sioner for each of the districts named, each of whom shall be
 a resident of the district which he is to represent, and to be
 voted for only by the electors of said district, whose duties
 and powers shall be the same as now prescribed by law.

SEC. 3. That at the first meeting of said commissioners and When com-
 missioners to
 provide for
 terms of office.
 immediately after qualifying, they shall provide for the expi-
 ration of the term of service of one of their number at the
 end of one, two and three years severally, the same to be de-
 termined by lot; and at all subsequent elections the vacancies
 thus provided for shall be filled by the election of one com-
 missioner, who shall hold his office for three years: *Provided* Proviso.
however, That vacancies which shall otherwise occur shall be
 filled as now provided by law, the vacancy thus filled to be
 for the unexpired term only.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and When to take
 effect.
 after its passage and approval.

Approved, January 12, 1875.

CHAPTER 6.

MOODY COUNTY.

AN ACT to create three commissioner districts in Moody
 County.

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

SECTION 1. That the county of Moody be and the same is County divi-
 ded into three
 districts.
 hereby divided into three districts to be known as commis-
 sioner districts, and to be bounded as follows:

Boundaries of
first district.

District number one to commence at the northeast corner of the county; thence west to the northwest corner of the county; thence south to the southwest corner of section seven (7), township 107, range 50; thence east to the east line of the county; thence north to the place of beginning.

Boundaries of
second district.

District No. 2 to commence at the southeast corner of district number one; thence west to the west line of the county; thence south eight miles to the southwest corner of section 19, township 106, range 50; thence east to the east line of the county; thence north to the place of beginning.

Boundaries of
third district.

District No. 3 to commence at the southeast corner of district No. 2; thence west to the west line of the county; thence south to the south line of the county; thence east to the east line of the county; thence north to the place of beginning.

When com-
missioners to
be elected.

SEC 2. That at the first general election, and annually thereafter, there shall be elected one commissioner for each of the districts named, each of whom shall be a resident of the district which he is to represent, and to be voted for only by the electors of said district, whose duty and power shall be the same as is now prescribed by law.

Commissioners
to decide term
of office by lot.

SEC. 3. That at the first meeting of said commissioners, and immediately after qualifying, they shall provide for the expiration of the term of service of one of their number at the end of one, two and three years severally, the same to be determined by lot, and [at] all subsequent elections the vacancies thus provided for shall be filled by the election of one commissioner, who shall hold his office for three years: *Provided*, That vacancies which shall otherwise occur shall be filled as now provided by law, the vacancy thus filled to be for the unexpired term only.

When to take
effect.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved, January 6, 1875.

CHAPTER 7.

UNION COUNTY.

AN ACT to re-establish commissioner and assessor districts in Union county, Dakota Territory.

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

First district
defined.

SECTION 1. That the townships known as Big Sioux, Jefferson and Civil Bend shall, and the same are hereby made to, constitute the first commissioner district.

SEC. 2. That the townships known as Elk Point and Brule Creek shall, and the same are hereby made to, constitute the second commissioner district. Second district defined.

SEC. 3. That the townships known as Sioux Valley, Virginia, Spink and Prairie shall, and the same are hereby made to, constitute the third commissioner district. Third district defined.

SEC. 4. That the townships of Big Sioux, Jefferson, Civil Bend, Elk Point, Brule Creek, Sioux Valley, Virginia, Spink, and Prairie, shall each constitute one assessor district. Assessors districts defined.

SEC. 5. That the legal voters in each such commissioner and assessor district shall have power to elect at the next general election, and biennially thereafter, one commissioner for each such commissioner district so constituted, and one assessor for each assessor district so constituted, who shall hold their respective offices for the term of two years, and until their successors are elected and qualified; and the duties of said officers shall be the same as now or may be prescribed by law. Power of voters to elect officers.

SEC. 6. That all laws in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed, so far as it relates to Union county. Conflicting acts repealed.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval. When to take effect.

Approved, January 12, 1875.

DISTRICT COURT.

CHAPTER 8.

UNION COUNTY.

AN ACT to provide for the holding of special terms of the district court in and for the county of Union, in the Territory of Dakota.

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

SECTION 1. That there shall be held annually two special terms of the district courts in and for the county of Union, in Two special terms to be held annually in Union county.