

visions of this act unless at the time of such destruction the owner be an infant or otherwise disabled in law, in which case the same time shall be allowed after the removal of such disability.

Sec. 23. The provisions of this act shall not apply to Olmsted County, nor destroy or impair the right of any person to erect and maintain a dam under the law heretofore and now existing.

Exemption

J. W. FURBER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN B. BRISBIN,

President of the Council.

APPROVED—May twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

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SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Minnesota, }
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I hereby certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of the original bill now on file in this office.

CHAS. L. CHASE,

Secretary of Minnesota Territory.

CHAPTER XL.

An Act to Organize the County of Manomin.

- SECTION 1 Organizes and Defines the Boundaries of Manomin County.
 2 Admitted to all Rights and Privileges of other organized Counties.
 3 Governor to appoint first County Commissioners—Clerk and Register.
 4 Governor to appoint other County Officers.

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

SECTION 1. That so much of the County of Ramsey as is embraced within the following boundaries, be, and the same is hereby constituted and organized into a separate county Boundary lines under the name of the County of Manomin, to wit: Beginning at a point on the Mississippi river where the line between township twenty-nine and thirty, north of range twenty-four west, strikes the said Mississippi river, running thence

east on said line to a point where the line between ranges twenty-four and twenty-three intersect the same, thence north on said range line to the correction line between townships thirty and thirty-one, thence west on said correction line to the Mississippi River, thence along the center of the channel of said river to the place of beginning.

Rights **Sec. 2.** The said County of Manomin shall have all the rights and privileges of other organized counties of this Territory; and the Seat of Justice for said county shall be at the town of Manomin.

**County Com-
missioners** **Sec. 3.** The Governor of this Territory shall appoint three residents of said County having the qualification of electors for members of the Legislative Assembly, to constitute the first Board of County Commissioners of said County, who shall hold their office until the next general election, or until their successors are elected and qualified; and the said Board of County Commissioners so appointed shall, at their first meeting elect a suitable person having the qualifications of elector in said County, to act as Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners and the Register of Deeds for said County, who shall be duly qualified and perform the duties of his office until the next general election or until his successor is elected and qualified.

**Register of
Deeds** **Sec. 4.** The other County officers shall be appointed by the Governor, qualified according to law, and hold their office until the next general election, or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Other officers

J. W. FURBER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN B. BRISBIN,
President of the Council.

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