

in the county auditor's office, and a copy thereof duly certified to by the auditor, forwarded by him to the secretary of state; and the governor shall thereupon, forthwith, if this law is adopted, make proclamation to that effect in such manner as he shall deem advisable.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from on and after its passage except as to section one of this act, which shall take effect after said section has been ratified by the electors of said county as proposed in this act.

When act to
take effect.

Approved February 3, 1872.

CHAPTER XC.

*An Act for removing the County Seat of Pine County
from Chengwatana to Pine City :*

February 28,
1872.

- SECTION 1. County seat to be removed.
2. Question to be submitted to the voters.
 3. Form of ballot to be used.
 4. Return of votes, by whom made.
 5. Duties of county canvassing board.
 6. Deposits and donations of money towards erection of county buildings made lawful.
 7. When act to take effect.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

SECTION 1. The county seat of Pine county, is hereby removed from the town of Chengwatana to Pine City subject to the proviso contained in section seven (7.)

County seat to
be removed.

SEC. 2. At the time of the giving of the notice of the next general election, which shall be the duty of the officers in said county required by law to give notice of such election, to give notice in like manner, that at said election the ques-

To be submit-
ted to a vote.

tion will be submitted to the electors of said county, as to whether this law shall take effect and be adopted by them.

Form of ballot.

SEC. 3. At said election, the electors of said county in favor of the adoption of this law shall have distinctly written or printed, or partly written and partly printed on their ballots, "For removal of county seat to Pine City." Those opposed to such adoption shall evince their opposition in the same manner by the words, "Against removal of county seat."

Canvass of votes.

SEC. 4. Such ballots shall be received and canvassed at the same time, in the same manner, and returned to the same officer by the judges of election, as ballots for county officers.

Duties of canvassing board.

SEC. 5. The county canvassing board in said county, to whom the returns of election are made, shall canvass the returns upon said question, in the same manner and at the same time, as returns for county officers, and the abstract thereof shall be made on one (1) sheet and signed and certified in the same manner as in the case of the abstract of votes for said officers, and shall be deposited in the county auditor's office immediately thereafter, and a copy thereof duly certified by the auditor, forwarded by him to the secretary of state, and the governor shall thereupon, forthwith, if this law is adopted, make proclamation to that effect in such manner as he shall deem advisable.

Deposits and donations.

SEC. 6. It shall be lawful for any citizen or citizens of said county to deposit any sum of money, or bonds, with the county treasurer, which they may propose to donate for the erection of public buildings at the said Pine City.

When act to take effect.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force on and after its passage, except as to section one (1) of this act, which shall take effect after its submission to the electors of said county at the next general election after its passage hereof and its adoption by a majority of such electors and not before, and in case the same is adopted all officers who are required to hold their offices at the county seat, shall within thirty (30) days after such adoption, move and hold their offices at said Pine City.

Approved February 28, 1872.