

Repeal of inconsistent acts.

SEC. 7. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

When act to take effect.

SEC. 8. Sections, one, two and three of this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its ratification as aforesaid, and the other sections of this act shall take effect and be in force from after its passage.

Approved March 9, 1874.

CHAPTER CII.

AN ACT TO ESTABLISHED THE COUNTY LINE BETWEEN THE COUNTIES OF STEARNS AND TODD IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA.

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

Boundary lines.

SECTION 1. That the boundary line between the counties of Stearns and Todd in this state is hereby established and designated as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of section number thirty, township number one hundred and twenty-seven, n of range number thirty-five, west of the fifth principal meridian, thence due east on the section line running east and west to the southeast corner of section number twenty-five, township number one hundred and twenty-seven, n of range number thirty-two west of the meridian aforesaid; and the boundary line between the said counties of Stearns and Todd is hereby declared to be so [as] designated in this section.

To be submitted to legal voters of said counties.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of each and every town clerk in the several townships of each of said counties at the time of giving notice of the next general election to be held for the year A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-four to insert in such notice that the question of establishing the boundary line between the said counties will be submitted to the legal electors of said counties at said election for their rejection or approval and the said question is hereby declared to be submitted to said legal electors as aforesaid for their rejection or approval at said election; *Provided*, That if any town clerk fails to give the notice as required by this act it shall not in any manner invalidate the vote which may be taken upon said question.

SEC. 3. Each elector in each of the said counties who shall vote for the approval of the provisions of the first section of this act at said election shall have written or printed or partly written and partly printed upon their ballots the words "for county line," and those voting at said election who shall vote against the approval of said first section shall have written or printed or partly written and partly printed upon their ballots the words "against county line," and the said ballots shall be canvassed and returned by the same officers and in the same manner and at the same time as are now by law required to canvass and return votes for county officers and each of the auditors of the counties of Stearns and Todd are hereby required to forward to the secretary of state within ten days after the canvass of the votes for or against said county line a certified copy of the canvass so made, and if it appears from the returns so made that the provisions of the first section of this act has been ratified by a majority of the electors of each of said counties voting upon said question, then and in that case the governor of this state shall make proclamation thereof in due form of law declaring that the provisions of the first section of this act has been ratified as aforesaid and that the same is operative and of effect.

Form of ballot.

SEC. 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby declared to be repealed immediately after the ratification of the provisions of the first section of this act.

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SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage except as to the provisions of section one of this act which shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the legal electors of the counties of Todd and Stearns in this state.

When not to take effect.

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