

transferred to said municipal court, with all papers and records concerning the same, and said municipal court shall take cognizance of such causes and proceedings, and proceed therein as if the same were originally commenced in said municipal court. And the dockets, records, files and papers in the custody of and all justices of the peace of said city shall at once be transferred and turned over to the said municipal court, which shall have full jurisdiction to finish and complete all proceedings pending before any justice of the peace, and to enforce, by execution or otherwise, all judgments theretofore rendered by justices of the peace within the present city of Minneapolis, and such judgments shall stand on the same footing as judgments of said municipal court. And after the election and qualification of said municipal judge, no justice of the peace within the city of Minneapolis shall issue any process, nor take cognizance of any action or proceeding, civil or criminal; but the jurisdiction of said municipal court shall, within said city, be exclusive in all causes heretofore cognizable before justices of the peace, except that this clause shall not effect the jurisdiction of any court of record having general jurisdiction, such as is conferred upon the district court.

SEC. 23. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 13, 1874.

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## CHAPTER CXLII.

AN ACT TO DETACH FROM THE TOWN OF BELLE PLAINE, IN THE COUNTY OF SCOTT, AND STATE OF MINNESOTA, A PORTION THEREOF, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE TOWNSHIP ORGANIZATION OF THE PORTION SO DETACHED, AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS THEREFOR.

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

SECTION 1. That so much of township one hundred and thirteen north of range twenty five west, as lies in the county of Scott and state of Minnesota, except the easterly tier of sections thereof, be and the same is hereby [detached from the town of Belle Plaine,

and that the same be and the same is hereby] organized as a town under the name of Blakeley.

SEC. 2. That the board of county commissioners of the county of Scott, in said state, shall at their first session had after the passage of this act, make out notices designating a suitable place for holding the first town meeting in such town of Blakeley, and provide for the holding of a town meeting therein within twenty days thereafter. And the county auditor of said county, shall deliver such notices to the sheriff of said county who shall cause the same to be posted in such town not less than ten days before the day set for such town meeting.

SEC. 3. That all taxes heretofore assessed upon any property within the limits of the town of Blakeley, as described in section one of this act, and which are now in the treasury or delinquent, shall accrue to and be paid over to the treasurer of said town of Blakeley, except taxes assessed for state or county purposes; *Provided*, That all taxes heretofore assessed and delinquent shall be collected in like manner as if this act had never been passed.

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

Approved March 9, 1874.

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## CHAPTER CXLIII.

### AN ACT TO SUPPLY RECORD EVIDENCE OF CERTAIN ASSESSMENTS IN MILLE LACS COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That the county auditor be and he hereby is authorized to procure certified copies of the assessment rolls from the town clerks of the several towns of Mille Lacs county, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two, which said assessment rolls when so procured, certified by the respective clerks of said towns, and filed with the auditor of said county, shall be taken as lawful evidence of such assessment.

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

Approved March 9, 1874.