

heretofore adopted, has been directed to be made in the manner provided by section 925—133 of the statutes of 1898 as amended by chapters 277 and 427 of the laws of 1903, shall be issued, and further proceedings in regard thereto shall be taken, in accordance with the provisions of this act.

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

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CHAPTER 312.

AN ACT to alter the boundaries of certain towns in the county of Lincoln and create the town of Somo, in said county.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Territory embraced in town of Somo. SECTION 1. All of that portion of the present town of Tomahawk in the county of Lincoln and state of Wisconsin, described as follows, to-wit: All of township number thirty-five north, range four east, and all of township thirty-five north, range five east, and now forming a part of the town of Tomahawk, is hereby set off and detached from the town of Tomahawk, and duly created and organized as a separate town, to be known and designated as the town of Somo, in said Lincoln county.

Territory detached and added to town of Lincoln. SECTION 2. All of that portion of the present town of Corning, and all of that part of the present town of Scott in said county, described as follows, to-wit: All of that part of the town of Corning lying north of the town line between townships thirty-three and thirty-four, north, and all of that part of the town of Scott lying north of the town line between townships thirty-three and thirty-four, north, are hereby detached from the towns of Corning and Scott respectively, and are hereby attached to and made a part of the town of Tomahawk, in said county of Lincoln.

Town of Somo created. SECTION 3. The said town of Somo is hereby created and organized with all the rights, powers and privileges conferred upon and granted to other towns in the state of Wisconsin, and shall be subject to all the general laws enacted for town government therein.

Apportionment of assets and liabilities of town of Tomahawk. SECTION 4. The assets and liabilities of the town of Tomahawk shall be apportioned to the said town of Somo pro rata in proportion as the valuation of all of the taxable property detached from said town of Tomahawk and created into the town of Somo, bears to the whole of the assessed valuation of said town of Tomahawk, according to the assessment roll of the town of Tomahawk for the year 1904 as equalized by the town board of review of said town.

Apportionment of assets and liabilities of towns of Corning and Scott. SECTION 5. The assets and liabilities of the said towns of Corning and Scott shall be apportioned to the said town of Tomahawk pro rata in proportion as the valuation of all of the taxable property detached from said towns of Corning and Scott, respectively, bears to the whole of the assessed valuation of said towns of Corning and Scott respectively according to the assessment rolls of said towns of Corning and Scott for the year 1904, as equalized by the town boards of review of said towns.

First meeting of town of Somo. SECTION 6. The first town meeting of said town of Somo shall be held on the second Tuesday of June, 1905, at Hotel Birchwood located on section 4 in township number thirty-five, north, range four east, and the same shall be conducted as now provided by law for the first town meeting in new towns.

Notice of. SECTION 7. Notice of said first town meeting shall be given by posting a copy of this act in at least six public places in said town of Somo, at least six days prior to the time of holding said first town meeting, by any duly qualified elector of said town, who shall make a proper affidavit of such posting, and file the same on the day of said first town meeting with the inspectors elected to conduct said first town meeting.

When town deemed duly organized. SECTION 8. When said town meeting shall have been held as herein provided, and the town officers required by law duly elected, the said town of

Somo shall be deemed and shall be duly organized and shall possess all the rights, powers and privileges and authority and shall be subject to all the liabilities of other towns in the state of Wisconsin. After said first town meeting all annual town meetings shall be held on the day provided by law for the holding of town meetings in other towns of the state of Wisconsin.

Common schools, how organized. SECTION 9. The common schools of the said town of Somo shall be governed by the township system of school government, until the same shall be changed as now provided by law. The clerks of the various sub-districts who reside in said town of Somo shall constitute the first board of school directors therein. No joint sub-school district shall be deemed to be created by the passage of this act, but all such sub-districts shall be deemed to be divided by the line between the towns of Tomahawk and Somo.

Supervisors to meet and make settlement between towns. SECTION 10. The supervisors of the town of Tomahawk and the supervisors of the new town of Somo shall, on the second Tuesday of July, 1905, meet at the office of the town clerk of the town of Tomahawk, or at such other place as shall be mutually agreed upon, for the purpose of making a settlement between said two towns according to the provisions of this act; and the supervisors of the said towns of Corning and Scott and the supervisors of the town of Tomahawk shall on the third Tuesday of July, 1905, meet at the office of the town clerk of the town of Tomahawk, or such other place as may be mutually agreed upon, for the purpose of making a settlement between the towns of Corning and Tomahawk, and Scott and Tomahawk, respectively, according to the provisions of this act, and at either and all of said meetings any three of the supervisors shall have full power and authority to send for persons, books, papers and records necessarily involved in such settlement; and the clerk of the town of Tomahawk shall be the clerk of such meetings, and the town clerk of each of the other towns with which settlement is to be made as herein provided by the town of Tomahawk shall assist, and sufficient duplicates of all proceedings had shall be made, in order that each town shall have one for the use and information of the town clerk thereof. Each town shall be chargeable with the expense and for the service and per diem of its own officers only.

SECTION 11. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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