

of all the taxable property of said town, which facts the town clerks shall certify to the county auditor; and in case such certificate shall not be filed, the county auditors of said counties shall, at the time of making the tax duplicates of said counties, assess and levy upon the taxable property of each town in said counties one half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of one (1) mill on the dollar for the support of the poor of said town.

SEC. 3. The moneys so raised shall be known as the poor fund, and shall not be used for any other purpose than the relief and support of the poor.

SEC. 4. The General Laws of this State as to residence of poor persons, in order to obtain aid from counties, shall apply to townships in Benton and Morrison counties, and the rule applied to residence in the counties shall apply to residence of poor in towns.

SEC. 5. The county treasurers of said counties shall refund to the town treasurer of each township the amount of poor fund in his hands or that may come into his hands, belonging to each town or collected from each town.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first (1st) day of March, A. D., eighteen hundred and eighty-two (1882).

Approved March 3, 1881.

## CHAPTER 201.

AN ACT to authorize the construction and maintenance of dams and booms across the Red Lake river, in Polk county, on section thirty-three (33), in township one hundred and fifty (150), range forty-six (46).

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

SECTION. 1. It shall be lawful for the owners or lessees of lands on the banks of the Red Lake river, on section thirty-three (33) in township one hundred and fifty (150), range forty-six (46), in Polk county, to erect dams across the same for the purpose of boomage or for creating a water-power for milling or manufacturing purposes, with the same rights as to flowage and the same liabilities to damages as is provided in chapter thirty-one (31) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), and all the provisions of said chapter shall apply to said portion of said stream as fully in all respects as though said stream was not navigable. *Provided* that sections two (2) and three (3) of chapter thirty-two (32) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878) shall also apply to said portion of said stream.

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

Approved February 23, 1881.