

purchase other lands with the same, in the county of Bond, and to take a deed for the same to Nathan McCracken, James McCracken, and John McCracken, heirs of James McCracken, deceased; and she is hereby required to make report of all her proceedings under this act, to the judge of probate of Clinton county aforesaid.

Certificate,

This bill having been returned by the Council of Revision at the end of the last session of the General Assembly, as not acted upon for want of time, and not having been laid before the legislature on the first day of the present session, it has become a law the eighth day of December 1835.

A. P. FIELD,  
*Secretary of State.*

In force, Jan.  
12, 1836.

*AN ACT to establish the County of Will.*

Boundaries

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, That all that tract of country lying within the following bounds, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of township thirty-seven north, of range nine east, and running thence east, to the east line of range ten; thence south, six miles; thence east, six miles; thence south six miles; thence east, six miles; thence south, six miles; thence east, to the state line; thence south, to the Kankakee, and down the same to the north line of township thirty-one; thence west, to the west line of range nine; thence north, to the place of beginning, shall constitute a county, to be called the county of Will.*

Seat of justice

SEC. 2. The permanent seat of justice of said county, shall be at the village of Juliet; and the public buildings thereof, shall be erected on the public square, recorded in the plat of said town as public ground, and adjoining to section fifteen.

Courts

SEC. 3. The said county of Will shall constitute a part of the sixth judicial circuit; and a circuit court shall be held for said county, at some convenient house in the village of Juliet, until the public buildings shall be erected. The times of holding said courts, shall be appointed by the judge presiding on said circuit.

County officers

SEC. 4. All justices of the peace, constables, and the county surveyor, heretofore elected and commissioned in

and for the county of Cook, that now reside within the above boundaries, shall hold their offices in and for said county of Will.

SEC. 5. The legal voters of said county, shall meet at the several places of holding elections, in the different precincts, as now organised, within the above boundaries, on the first Monday of March next, appoint judges and clerks of elections, and proceed to elect three county commissioners, a sheriff, a coroner, and recorder for said county; and the returns of said election shall be made by said judges and clerks, to the justices of the peace in said county, any three or more of whom, shall meet at the village of Juliet, within seven days after the said election, and proceed to open said returns, and in all things perform the duties required by law of the clerks of county commissioners' courts, and justices of the peace, in like cases. Elections

SEC. 6. For all officers, except county officers, the county shall vote with the county of Cook, the returns of the elections of which, shall be made to the clerk of the county commissioners' court, for the county of Will, by whom a certified abstract of the returns of such election, shall be made to the clerk of the county commissioners' court of Cook county, within seven days thereafter. Officers, how chosen.

APPROVED, Jan. 12, 1836.

*AN ACT relating to the Gallatin Saline, and the Lands belonging to the same.*

In force Jan. 16, 1836.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly,* That it shall be the duty of Tyler D. Hewitt, present commissioner of the Gallatin Saline, to make out an accurate map of the saline reserve, noting therein, by distinct shades, the amount of lands that have heretofore been directed to be sold, and such as have not been directed to be sold. He shall also note on said map the particular section, or subdivision of a section that contains salt wells that have heretofore been used, or are now used for making salt, at said saline: and he shall, moreover, procure a well bound book, in which he shall enter, in proper order, the lands that may remain the property of the state, after the land is taken out which has been already sold, or directed to be sold; all which he shall fully certify, with explanatory notes of said map, and a full description of land not directed to be sold. Commissioner to make a map, and how made. Procure a book.