

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "an act to authorize the construction of certain dams across the Rock River," approved April 1st, 1843.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

SECTION 1. That section two, of an act entitled "an act to authorize the construction of certain dams across the Rock River," be and the same is hereby repealed; and that the second section of this act be and the same hereby is substituted in the place and stead thereof.

SEC. 2. Such dam shall be raised to such a height as will give a fall of not more than four feet at an ordinary stage of said Rock River; and the proprietors of said dam shall construct a convenient lock in their canal, not less than one hundred and twenty feet long between the gates, and not less than twenty-four feet wide in the clear of the chambers, for the passage of boats, barges and other water craft. Said lock to be in readiness for the passage of boats, barges and water craft, at the time, or as soon as said Rock River shall be improved and rendered navigable from the southerly line of this Territory to the village of Janesville, and the proprietors of said dam shall maintain said lock and shall attend to the passage of all such boats, barges and water craft through said lock, free of all charges to the owner thereof.

SEC 3. That the proviso contained in section five, of the aforesaid act, be and the same is hereby repealed. The legislature may at any time alter, amend or repeal this act.

APPROVED January 27, 1846.