[No. 301, A.]

[Published March 23, 1880.] CHAPTER 303.

AN ACT to authorize Thomas J. La Flesh, his associates and assigns, to build and maintain certain dams on the east fork of Black river, in the counties of Wood, Clark and Jackson.

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

SECTION 1. Thomas J. La Flesh, his associates and Location of assigns, are hereby authorized to build and maintain dams. certain dams on the east fork of Black river, in the counties of Wood, Clark and Jackson, said dams to be located as follows, to-wit: one dam on section fourteen, township twenty-three, range one east; one dam on sections five and thirty, in township twenty-three north, of range two east, one dam on section four, in township twenty-two nort", of range two east.

SECTION 2. The said Thomas J. La Flesh, his asso- Dam to be kept ciates and assigns, shall build suitable slides in said open. dams for running logs, timber and lumber over the same, and shall keep the same in repair. The same shall be kept open at all times when the river is in a driving stage, and when there are logs, timber or lumber to run over said dams, and when it is not necessary to hold the water back for the purpose of driving or flooding logs, timber or lumber below such dams, for which purpose flood gates shall be kept in repair in said dams, and built in such manner as to be shut or opened, as the case may require, to flood the said log-, timber or lumber.

SECTION 3. The said Thomas J. La Flesh, his asso- Length of time ciates and assigns, shall enjoy the privileges granted in granted. this act for the term of ten years from the first day of June, A. D. 1880.

Section 4. On the completion of the said dams by Tolls. the said Thomas La Flesh, his associates and assigns, they shall be empowered and are hereby authorized to receive and collect from the owners of all logs, timber and lumber put into said stream above the dam on section thirty, town twenty three range two east, the sum of ten cents, and upon all logs put in below the last named point and above the east line of section fourteen, town twenty-two, range two east, the sum of five cents; and for all logs put in below the last named point and above the east line of section thirty, town twenty-two, range two east, the sum of two and one-half cents per thousand feet, as a compensation for keeping up and maintaining such dams. And the said Tolls to be a Thomas La Flesh, his associates and assigns, shall

have a lien on all logs, timber and lumber put in as aforesaid, until said charges are paid: provided, that they shall at all times comply with the provisions of section two of this act.

SECTION 5. The control of said dams, and the slides and gates of the same, shall belong to the aforesaid La Flesh, his associates and assigns, but subject always to the provisions of section two of this act.

This act shall take effect and be in SECTION 6.

force from and after its passage.

Approved March 15, 1880.

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CHAPTER 304.

AN ACT to lay out and establish a state road from the village of Cumberland, in Barron county, to the village of Deer Park, in St. Croix county.

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

Names of com-

Section 1. William Wilson, George B. Kidder and names of commissioners, and G. C. Hodgkin are hereby appointed commissioners, with full powers and authority, to survey, lay out and establish a state road from the village of Cumberland, in the county of Barron, along either side of the right of way of the north Wisconsin railway company, or as near thereto as practicable, to the village of Deer Park, in the county of St. Croix.

Commissioners may award damages.

Section 2. In case of the sickness or disability of any one of said commissioners to act, the remaining commissioners shall appoint a substitute who shall act as one of said commissioners and have all rights and powers of those herein appointed. Said commissioners shall award damages to all persons through whose land said highways may be laid, or who may sustain injury by the laying out and opening of said road. All claims for damages shall be made within one year from the time said commissioners shall have filed the order and plat or survey of said road, in the county clerk's office in the counties through which said road may run.

Notice of meeting to lay out

Section 3. Said commissioners shall perform the duties herein prescribed before the first day of June 1880. Said commissioners shall give public notice in some newspaper published in each of the counties through which said road shall pass for at least three weeks before they shall meet to lay out said road, stating the time and place at which they will meet and proceed to lay out said road.