

stables, sheds and their contents, except as provided in the constitution\*or by-laws of the corporation.

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

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## CHAPTER 94.

AN ACT to authorize the board of supervisors of any county in this state bordering on a navigable river which is the boundary line between such county and another state, to build and maintain a bridge or bridges across such river conjointly with the board of supervisors of such adjoining county in such other state.

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

**Power to build and maintain bridges along navigable streams on state lands.** SECTION 1. The board of supervisors of any county in this state bordering on any navigable stream which is the boundary line between such county and a county in another state is hereby authorized in conjunction with the board of supervisors of such adjoining county in such other state, to construct and maintain a bridge or bridges across such river at a place or places within the limits of such county as may be agreed upon by said respective boards of supervisors, whenever said board of supervisors in this state shall deem it necessary, and to enter into a contract with such board of supervisors of the adjoining county of such other state for the construction, maintenance and repair of such bridge or bridges.

**County boards may levy tax and issue bonds; certain cities excepted.** SECTION 2. The board of supervisors of such county in this state, as aforesaid, is hereby authorized to levy a special tax on all the property of such county, excepting property within the corporate limits of any city in such county which

builds and maintains its own bridges, or bond said county, exempting from any tax, levy or any liability whatsoever for the payment of said bonds, all property within the corporate limits of any city in such county which builds and maintains its own bridges, for such part of the cost of building, maintaining and repairing said bridge or bridges as shall be allotted to said county by any arrangement between the said respective boards of supervisors, respecting the building, maintaining, repairing or rebuilding the said bridge or bridges. Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to contravene the provisions of sections 1319, 1320 and 1321 of the statutes of 1898, or as authorizing the levy of any tax on the property in any city which builds or maintains its bridges.

**Bridges, how constructed.** SECTION 3. Said bridge or bridges shall be constructed and maintained so as to offer and afford reasonable, adequate and proper means for the passage of boats, vessels, saw logs, floating timber and rafts through the same so as not to obstruct or materially interfere with the navigation of such river.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 95.

AN ACT to authorize the attorney general to institute suit relative to school lands in Indian reservations.

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

**Rights of state to be determined.** SECTION 1. The attorney general of Wisconsin is hereby authorized to institute suit in the supreme court of the United States, under the provisions of an act of congress passed March 2d, 1901, to determine the rights of this state to what are commonly known as school lands, within any reservation or Indian concession within this