

such lands shall be no longer needed for the purposes aforesaid, the said company are hereby authorised to sell and convey the same.

FREDERICK W. HORN,
Speaker of the Assembly.
DUNCAN C. REED,
President pro tempore of the Senate.

Approved, March 13th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 76 of the Revised Statutes.

Chap. 265

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. Section 9 of Chapter 76 of the Revised Statutes is amended so that the same shall read as follows : No mortgage of personal property hereafter made shall be valid against any other person than the parties thereto, unless possession of the mortgaged property be delivered to and retained by the mortgagees, or unless the mortgages, or a copy thereof, be filed in the office of the Town Clerk where the mortgagor resides, or in case he does not reside in the State, in the town where the property mortgaged may be at the time of executing the same ; and such Clerk shall endorse on such instrument or copy, the time of receiving the same.

Chattel Mortgage—against what parties valid.

Clerk to endorse at time of reception

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Approved, March 13th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to incorporate the Columbia and Sauk county Bridge Company.

Chap. 266

The People of the State of Wisconsin represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. That James F. Flanders, James Maxwell, Isaac H. Palmer and Chester Matson, and such other persons as may associate with them, be and they are hereby incorporated by the name and style of "The Columbia and Sauk county Bridge Company," and by such name may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in any court in this state, may have a common seal, and change the same at pleasure.

Incorporation.

Corporate powers.

SEC 2. The capital stock of said company shall be ten thousand dollars, and shall be divided into shares of ten dollars each : Provided said company shall have power to increase the

Division of capital stock.

Provide: