

Sec. 18. This act may be altered or amended by any future legislature of the state of Wisconsin.

J. McM. SHAFTER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

E. B. DEAN, JR.,
President pro tem. of the Senate.

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An Act to prevent the obstruction of the free navigation of Apple and Willow rivers for logs and lumber.

Chap 282

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

SECTION 1. No dam boom or other obstruction shall be placed by any person or persons in Apple or Willow rivers, unless the same shall be so constructed as to permit the passage of all logs or other lumber without unnecessary delay.

Rivers not to be obstructed.

Sec. 2. Any person or persons, or corporation obstructing said rivers except as aforesaid, shall be liable to pay all damages to owners of any logs or lumber, arising from detention or unnecessary delay in the passage of the same, to be collected from the owner or owners of said obstructions, in an action of debt in any court having competent jurisdiction, in the amount of damages.

Person obstructing liable for damages.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

J. McM. SHAFTER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

E. B. DEAN, JR.,
President pro tem. of the Senate.

Approved, April 13, 1852.

LEONARD J. FARWELL.

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An Act granting pre-emptions to settlers on the Lands granted for the Improvement of the Capitol.

Chap 283

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

SECTION 1. Every person who now is or may hereafter become a settler on any lands granted to this state for the improvement of the capitol, which are now selected, or that

Settlers entitled to pre-emption.