CHAPTER 290.

AN ACT to amend chapter two hundred and eighty-six of the laws of Wisconsin for 1877, entitled, "An act to define the duties of towns and town officers in certain cases."

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

Orders not to be drawn until payment provided for.

SECTION 1. The chairman of the board of supervisors and the town clerk of any town are hereby prohibited from drawing, signing or countersigning any order or orders on the treasurer of their town for the disbursement of any money of such town, until the tax for the payment of such order or orders shall have been voted by the electors of such town, or until the board of supervisors of such town shall have authorized the issue of such order or orders, not exceeding the amount which such town is authorized to appropriate for the purpose for which such orders are issued.

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

Approved March 19, 1878.

CHAPTER 291.

AN ACT to authorize W. L. Sadler to erect and maintain a dam across Sucker Branch, in Polk county, for log driving purposes.

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

Construction of dam authorized

SECTION 1. W. L. Sadler his heirs and assigns, are hereby authorized to maintain and keep up a dam across Sucker Branch in section number twenty-six, township number thirty-three, of range seventeen west in Polk county: *provided*, that such dam shall not raise the head of water to exceed six and one half feet in Sucker Lake.

Duties of corporators, etc.

SECTION 2. The aforesaid person, his heirs and assigns, shall build a suitable slide or slides in said dam, for running the water from said dam, and shall keep the same in repair, and the same shall be kept open at all times when Apple river is in a driving stage, and