

upon or down any river or stream; and any foreign corporation, formed or organized for similar or kindred purposes, may, and upon the assent of the holders of three-fourths of the capital stock thereof shall, have authority to purchase, take and hold stock in, and in its corporate capacity become a subscriber to, the capital stock of any other corporation or corporations, foreign or domestic, created or formed for any one or more of the same or similar purposes.

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

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CHAPTER 134.

AN ACT to prevent the obstruction of navigation of the waters of this state.

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

SECTION 1. Any person who shall carry or throw into or in any manner deposit in any lake or bay of this state connected with the great chain of lakes, navigable for vessels or steamers, or cause so to be carried, thrown or deposited therein, any saw dust, shavings, edgings or other mill waste, shall be punished therefor by fine not exceeding ten dollars; and in case of a second or any subsequent conviction of the same person within any one year, by fine not exceeding twenty dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not more than one month nor less than ten days.

Depositing
debris into
navigable
streams pro-
hibited.

Penalty for
violation.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall be so construed as to prevent the use of any material mentioned in section one, in the erection, construction or repair of any pier, piling, ground or dock, lawfully established, and being in any of the waters of this state.

Exception.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 21, 1881.