

Penalty for wilful destruction.

SECTION 3. Any person who shall wilfully and without malice or by culpable negligence destroy, conceal, alter or cancel any ballot or ballots, cast at any election held within this state, except when authorized by law, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Amending sec. 464, laws 1885—secretary of state to provide selfsealing envelopes.

SECTION 4. Section 11, chapter 464, laws of 1885, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 11. The secretary of state shall provide a sufficient number of selfsealing envelopes to supply all the polls of this state for the use of the inspectors in preserving and returning the ballots cast at any general election, or at the election of a judge of the circuit or supreme court. In all other cases the county clerks of the several counties shall supply all the voting precincts within their respective counties, with a sufficient number of such selfsealing envelopes to enable the inspectors at the several precincts to preserve and return the ballots as herein provided. Such envelopes shall be distributed by the officers above named in the same manner as blanks are now distributed for use at elections.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.
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CHAPTER 251.

AN ACT authorizing Hugh B. Mills to improve Robinson creek, in Jackson county, for log-driving purposes.

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

Hugh B. Mills, et al., authorized to improve Robinson creek, Jackson county.

SECTION 1. Hugh B. Mills, his heirs, legal representatives or assigns are hereby authorized to build and maintain a dam or dams and otherwise improve Robinson creek, in township number

twenty, ranges one, two, three and four west, of the fourth principal meridian, in Jackson county, Wisconsin, by removing fallen timber or any other obstructions, and to straighten said stream where necessary, so that logs and timber can be run, floated and driven on the waters of said stream.

SECTION 2. When the said Hugh B. Mills or assigns shall have so improved said stream as to make it practicable and certain that logs may be driven down and out of said stream, he or they shall have the right to lay and collect a sum not to exceed forty cents per thousand feet, board measure, for all logs or timber so driven down said stream. May collect tolls.

SECTION 3. For all such tolls the said Hugh B. Mills, or assigns, shall have a lien on such logs, which may be enforced as mechanics' liens are enforced. The right to alter, amend or repeal this act is hereby reserved. Lien for tolls.

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

Approved April 1, 1887.

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CHAPTER 252.

AN ACT to incorporate the city of Durand.

(See Vol. 2.)