

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

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• CHAPTER 331.

AN ACT to authorize H. W. Wright, his heirs or assigns, to construct and maintain a dam across a branch of the Manitowish river in Vilas county.

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

SECTION 1. H. W. Wright, his successors, heirs or assigns, is hereby authorized and empowered to raise, build and maintain a dam across a branch of the Manitowish river not more than three feet high above low water mark on section 14, township 41 north, range 6 east, for the purpose of facilitating the booming and running and driving of logs and timber; provided, that said dam shall be so constructed as not to impede the running of logs and timber down said river; and so located and constructed as to allow logs passing over the same to freely pass down the river. And for the purpose of erecting and maintaining such dam, and of acquiring any flowage rights they may deem necessary in carrying out the provisions of this act, the said H. W. Wright, his successors, heirs or assigns, may exercise all powers granted to corporations by section 1777 of the Wisconsin statutes of 1898.

Location of dam.

SECTION 2. The legislature may at any time amend or repeal this act.

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

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CHAPTER 332.

AN ACT to prohibit discrimination against members of labor organizations.

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

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ganizations.

SECTION 1. No person, corporation, agent or officer on behalf of any person or corporation, shall coerce or compel any person or persons into an agreement, either written or verbal, not to join or become a member of any labor organization, as a condition of such person or persons securing employment or continuing in the employment of any such person or corporation, and no person or corporation shall discharge an employee because he is a member of any labor organization.

Penalty.

SECTION 2. Any person or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall be fined not less than two hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed nine months or both.

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

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