

acent to Apple river from overflow at certain times," is hereby amended by striking out the word, "fourth," at the end of the last line but one, and insert in the place thereof the word, "thirtieth," and by striking out the word, "fourth" where it occurs in the first part of said line and insert in the place thereof, "first."

Company building dam to be liable for damages.

SECTION 2. Any company which now is or hereafter may be empowered by law to build and maintain a dam or dams on said Apple river shall be liable to pay for all damages which may be caused to the property of other persons by any overflow or inundation thereof caused by such dam or dams, which damages may be recovered by the person injured, in a civil action in any court of competent jurisdiction.

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

Approved March 5, 1869.

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## CHAPTER 80.

[Published March 9, 1869.]

AN ACT to amend chapter 167 of the general laws of A. D. 1864, entitled "an act to establish lumber districts in this state, and to regulate the traffic in logs and lumber in said districts."

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

Amended.

SECTION 1. Section 7 of chapter 167 of the general laws of 1864, is hereby amended by adding to said section as follows: And any person with whose logs or timber in any waters of this state such prize logs or timber shall become so intermixed that they cannot be conveniently separated for the purpose of being floated to the market or place of manufacture, may drive all such logs or timber with which his own may be intermixed, toward such market or place, when no special and different provision is made by law for driving the same, and shall be entitled to reasonable compensation from the owner for driving such logs, lumber, timber or other material, to be recovered after demand there-

for on said owner or agent, if known, and he shall have a prior lien thereon until thirty days after they arrive at their place of destination, to enable him to attach the same, and if the owner thereof cannot be ascertained, the property may be liable according to law, and enough be disposed of to defray the expenses thereof.

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

Approved March 5, 1869.

## CHAPTER 81.

[Published March 16, 1869.]

AN ACT to amend section 62 of chapter 155 of the general laws of 1863, entitled "an act to codify the laws of this state relating to common schools."

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

SECTION 1. Section sixty-two of the general laws of 1863, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: The clerk of each school district shall, on or before the first Monday of November in each year, deliver to the town clerk of the town in which the district is situated, a statement in writing, verified by his affidavit, showing the amount of the tax or taxes voted to be raised at the last preceding annual meeting, or at the first meeting after the organization of the district, or both as the case may require, and the tax voted at any special meeting held between the time of the annual meeting and the first Monday of November, together with a list of all persons and corporations liable to a school district tax therein. In case of a joint district, he shall deliver to the town clerk of each town in which any part of the district is situated, a statement so verified, showing the proportion of tax to be so assessed in that part of the district within such town, together with a list of all persons and corporations liable to a school district tax in that part of the district. Such proportion shall be ascertained from the valuation contained in the last as-

Amended.

District clerk shall deliver statement of taxes to town clerk.