

charged and liable for the amount then due the employes and laborers upon said road, for a period not exceeding six months prior to becoming such successor.

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

Approved March 18, 1885.

[No. 133, S.]

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CHAPTER 86.

AN ACT to amend the charter of the city of Tomah.

(See Vol 2.)

[No. 6, S.]

[Published March 26, 1885.]

CHAPTER 87.

AN ACT concerning the powers of county boards of supervisors, and to amend section 693, of the revised statutes of 1878.

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

SECTION 1. Section 693, of the revised statutes of 1878, is amended so as to read: Section 693. The county board of every county may annually at their first meeting, or within the month of June, and as often thereafter as they shall determine, select some bank, banks, or banking association, with which all funds then in the county treasury, or which shall thereafter be received by the treasurer of such county, shall be deposited; provided however, that such bank, banks, or banking association, shall, before receiving such funds, give security in the same manner as is now required of the treasurer of such county, for the safe keeping and proper disbursement of such funds, which security shall be approved by the county board. Such county board shall, before or after so selecting depositaries, contract with them for the payment to such county of such interest upon the

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funds deposited as they may mutually agree upon; and the county board may, at any time, when in their opinion the safety or interest of the county requires it, direct all sums so deposited by the county treasurer to be paid into the county treasury, or to such other bank or banks, as they may select. This act shall not apply to counties in which the total assessed valuation, as determined by the state board of assessment for the year 1884, is less than six millions of dollars.

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

Approved March 18, 1885.

[No. 30, S.]

[Published March 28, 1885.]

CHAPTER 88.

AN ACT to amend chapter 209, of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1883, entitled, "an act to authorize the erection of a dam across Black river, in the county of Clark, Wisconsin, and to grant certain powers and privileges to certain persons therein named.

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

Law author-
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of dam across
Black river
amended.

SECTION 1. Section 1, of chapter 209, of the laws of Wisconsin, for the year 1883, is hereby amended by striking out the words "six hundred" where they appear in said section, and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "six thousand," so that said section, when so amended, will read as follows: Section 1. James Hewitt, his heirs and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to erect, keep up and maintain a dam, not exceeding ten feet in height, across the Black river in Clark county, Wisconsin, at a point on said river not more than six thousand feet distant from where O'Neill's creek empties into the said Black river. Said dam to be erected and constructed for manufacturing and boomage purposes; provided, that said dam shall be provided and furnished with a suitable slide or chute, so as to allow the free and unobstructed passage of saw logs.