Proviso.

for foot passengers, three cents; for all animals in droves, three cents each: Provided, that hogs and sheep shall not be taxed more than two cents each per head.

Rates to be posted.

The said company shall keep posted up, in some conspicuous place on said bridge, the rates of toll allowed by this act.

When to take

SEC. 5. This act shall be in force from and after its passage. FREDERICK W. HORN.

Speaker of the Assembla.

DUNCAN C. REED,

President pro tempore of the Senate.

Approved March 15th, 1851. NELSON DEWEY.

Chap. 383

An Act to authorise the construction of a Dam across the Baraboo river.

The People of the State of Wisconsin represented in Sensu and Assembly do enact as follows:

Who may construct a dam.

Section 1. Ann Garrison, her heirs, associates, successor and assigns, are hereby authorised to erect and maintain a dam across the Baraboo river, at any point she or they may deem most suitable, on any land she or they, or either of them may own, on section twenty-seven, in town number twelve, of range seven east; and to make use of the water in said stream for propelling any kind of machinery she or they may see fit w erect, and to sell or lease the right to use said water to any person whomsoever: Provided, said dam shall be so construct ed as not to interfere with any water privileges now improved on said stream, or overflow the lands of any individual.

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Dimensions of the same.

SEC. 2. Whenever the Baraboo river shall be improved and rendered navigable to said dam, the owner or owners of said dam shall construct a convenient lock, not less than one hurdred and twenty-five feet long between the gates, and thirty feet wide in the clear of the chamber, for the passage of boats, barges, and other water craft; the same to be completed and ready for use as before mentioned, when said river shall be in Passage of Lock proved; and the proprietor or proprietors of said dam shall to be free. maintain said lock and all the maintain said lock, and shall attend the passage of all boats, barges, and water craft through said lock, free of all charge

Slide to be constructed according to law.

to the owner thereof. SEC. 3. The said Ann Garrison, her associates, successors, and assigns shall, whenever they construct said dam, also com struct a slide or chute, of such dimensions as shall comply will the law upon that subject, approved March 2, 1849, applicable to the Wisconsin and its tributaries, for the passage of raff over said dam.

SEC. 4. The legislature may at any time alter or amend this Who may amend act. Mct.

> FREDERICK W. HORN, \ Speaker of the Assembly.

DUNCAN C. REED,

President pro tempore of the Senate.

Approved, March 15, 1851, NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to incorporate the Omro and Wanpun Plank Road Company.

Chap. 384

The Reople of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate und Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. That Wm. P. McAlister, Hiram Johnson, Marcus Commissioners appointed to re-Terwilliger, Nathaniel Frank, W. W. Wilcox, Benj. C. Sawyer, caive subscrip-Charles Hammond N. F. Beckwith, Seymour Wilcox, J. K. tions on notice. Smith, are hereby appointed commissioners, under the direction of a majority of whom, subscriptions may be received to the capital stock of the Omro and Waupun Plank Road Company, hereby incorporated, and they may cause books to be opened at such times and places as they shall direct, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions to the capital stock of said company; first giving thirty days' notice of the times and places of taking such subscriptions, by publishing the same in one or more newspapers printed in the counties of Winnebago and Fond du Lac.

SEC. 2. The capital stock of said company shall be seventy Capital stock. thousand dollars, in shares of ten dollars each; and as soon as five hundred shares of the capital stock shall be subscribed, and five per cent. of the amount thereof actually paid in, or secur-

ed to the said company, the subscribers to said stock, with such other persons as shall thereafter associate with them for that purpose, their successors and assigns, shall be, and they are hereby created and declared a body corporate and politic, by the name and style of the "Omro and Waupun Plank Road Corporate pow-Company," with perpetual succession; and by that name shall era be capable in law of purchasing, holding, selling, bargaining and conveying estate, real, personal or mixed; and in their

corporate name may sue and be sued, may have a common seal, which they may alter or renew at pleasure; and generally may do all and singular the matters and things which an incor-

porated company may by law do.

SEC. 3. The said commissioners, or a majority of them, commissioners to give notice of after said five hundred shares of stock shall have been sub-election of discribed, as aforesaid, shall give at least twenty days' notice, in rectors. one or more of the newspapers of the said counties of Winnebago and Fond du Lac, of the time and place of the meeting