

[No. 287, A.]

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CHAPTER 153.

AN ACT relating to fencing the Pine River Valley and Stevens Point railroad.

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

SECTION 1. The Pine River Valley and Stevens Point railroad company is hereby exempted from the provisions of sections one thousand eight hundred and ten, one thousand eight hundred and eleven, one thousand eight hundred and twelve and one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, of chapter eighty-seven, of the revised statutes of 1878, relating to fences, for ten years from and after the passage of this act: *provided*, that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to release the said railroad company from liability for stock or persons killed or injured by the trains running on the said railroad. Exemption from fencing road.

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

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CHAPTER 154.

AN ACT to authorize Wm. Wilson, Andrew Tainter, T. B. Wilson, H. L. Stout and John H. Knapp, their associates and assigns, to erect and maintain a dam across Ten Mile creek, in Chippewa county, Wisconsin.

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

SECTION 1. William Wilson, Andrew Tainter, T. B. Wilson, H. L. Stout, John H. Knapp, their associates and assigns, are hereby authorized to construct and maintain a dam across Ten Mile Creek on land owned by The Knapp, Stout & Co. company, in section number thirty or number thirty-one, in township number thirty-three north, of range number nine west, of the fourth principal meridian, in the county of Chippewa; said dam to be constructed for hydraulic and manufacturing purposes, and for the purpose of facilitating the driving of logs and timber down said stream: *provided*, that said dam shall not interfere with the rights of any person heretofore acquired. Dam authorized; location.

Penalty for
damaging or
destroying
dam.

SECTION 2. Any person or persons who shall willfully break or destroy said dam, or shall open the same, shall be liable to the proprietor thereof in an action of trespass, to the amount of damages done, in addition to the penalties already provided by law, to be recovered before any court of competent jurisdiction.

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

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[No. 193, A.]

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CHAPTER 155.

AN ACT to authorize William Wilson, Andrew Tainter, T. B. Wilson, H. L. Stout, John H. Knapp, their associates and assigns, to erect and maintain a dam across Yellow river, in Barron county.

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

Dams author-
ized; location.

SECTION 1. William Wilson, Andrew Tainter, T. B. Wilson, H. L. Stout, John H. Knapp, their associates and assigns, are hereby authorized to construct and maintain a dam across Yellow river, on land owned by The Knapp, Stout & Co. company, in section number seven, in township number thirty-five north, of range number twelve west, of the fourth principal meridian, in the county of Barron; said dam to be constructed for hydraulic and manufacturing purposes, and for the purpose of facilitating the driving of logs and timber down said stream: *provided*, that said dam shall not interfere with the rights of any person heretofore acquired.

Penalty for
damaging or
destroying
dam.

SECTION 2. Any person or persons who shall willfully break or destroy said dam, or shall open the same, shall be liable to the proprietor thereof in an action for trespass to the amount of damages done, in addition to the penalties already provided by law, to be recovered before any court of competent jurisdiction.

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

Approved March 3, 1879.