

misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars and not exceeding twenty-five dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and any person who shall violate any provision of section 3, of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by fine not less than twenty-five dollars and not more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than sixty days nor more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.  
Approved April 16, 1889.

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[No. 935, A.]

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## CHAPTER 444.

AN ACT to amend the charter of the city of Rice Lake.

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[No. 511, A.]

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## CHAPTER 445.

AN ACT to authorize parties therein named to construct and maintain a dam or dams across the Chief river, town forty one north, range seven west, and to collect toll on same.

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

SECTION 1. For the purpose of improving Little Chief creek, from the north line to the south line of town forty-one north, of range seven west, in

James Wright et al. authorized to build dam across Little Chief creek, Sawyer county.

Sawyer county, Wisconsin, so as to improve and facilitate the driving and floating of logs and timber in and down the same, James Wright, his associates and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to improve said Little Chief creek by building and maintaining a dam or dams across the same, on section sixteen and other localities along said stream in town forty-one north, range seven west, in said Sawyer county, and by clearing and straightening channels, closing sloughs, driving piles and constructing and placing booms therein, and otherwise, so as to improve said creek for floating and driving saw logs and timber in and down the same, and keep said improvements in repair and at all times operate the same for the driving and floating of all logs and timber that may be put in said Little Chief creek for the purpose of being driven and floated down and out of said creek

May collect tolls.

SECTION 2. Whenever the said James Wright, his associates or assigns shall, with the aid of the improvements heretofore made by him thereon, have so improved said Little Chief creek so as to render the floating and driving of logs and timber down said creek, reasonably practicable and certain, and shall maintain and operate the same, so that logs and timber can be so floated and driven down said creek with reasonable certainty, on such freshets and with such rises of water as are necessary to float and drive logs in connection with the aforesaid improvements, the said James Wright, his associates or assigns, in consideration of such improvements, and the facilities obtained thereby, shall be and hereby is and are authorized to charge, and shall be entitled to collect and receive of any and all persons owning or controlling logs and timber, or either thereof, in said Little Chief creek, ten cents per thousand feet, board measure, providing that no tolls shall be charged or collected on logs or timber put into said creek below the south line of town forty one north, of range seven west, for all logs and timber put into said Little Chief creek, as toll, on all such logs and timber so designed and intended to be floated or driven down the same, from sections sixteen, forty-one, seven, and for all logs and timber put into said Little Chief above section sixteen and up to the town line

of forty-one and forty-two, the sum of fifteen cents per thousand feet, board measure.

SECTION 3. Whenever the said James Wright, his associates or assigns, shall have so improved said Little Chief creek, as aforesaid, as provided in the preceding sections, he and they shall be and hereby are authorized to take possession of all logs and timber put into said creek to be floated or driven down the same, the owners or persons in control of which shall not have made adequate provisions for driving the same, or which may be in the way of the main drive on said creek, and to drive the same down said Little Chief creek, and shall be and hereby are authorized to charge and entitled to collect and receive of the owners of such logs or timber, sixty cents per thousand feet, board measure, for all of such logs or timber so driven down and out of said Little Chief creek.

Tolls on Little Chief creek.

SECTION 4. For all such charges for toll or otherwise on account of such improvements, and for driving any logs or timber under the provisions of this act, the said James Wright, his associates, and assigns, may, and shall have, and the same shall be a lien upon all such logs and timber as may be put in said Little Chief creek, to be floated or driven down said creek, or that may be driven down said creek by the said James Wright, his associates or assigns; and such liens, whether for tolls or driving, or both, may be enforced in the same manner in every respect as other liens for labor or services on logs or timber is or can be enforced under or pursuant to chapter 143, of the revised statutes of this state, for the year 1878, and the acts amendatory thereof.

To have lien for charges.

SECTION 5. The right to alter, amend or repeal this act is hereby reserved.

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SECTION 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 16, 1889.