

No. 636, A.]

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**CHAPTER 273.**

AN ACT to authorize the city of De Pere to construct and maintain a bridge across the Fox river in said city.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. The city of De Pere is authorized to construct and maintain a foot and wagon bridge over and across the Fox river at George street westerly to Main avenue in said city; and for the purpose of constructing and maintaining said bridge, said city may erect piers, drive piles, sink cribs and do all things necessary for the proper building, construction and maintenance of such bridge.

SECTION 2. The bridge authorized to be constructed shall be provided with a suitable draw or bascule lift in the channel span of said bridge for the passage of boats, and said draw or lift shall be maintained in good repair and working order by the city of De Pere. Said bridge shall be constructed at such height over the water line of said river and shall generally be so constructed as not to materially interfere with the navigation of the waters of said Fox river.

SECTION 3. Said bridge shall be constructed according to plans approved by the secretary of war of the United States.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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**CHAPTER 274.**

AN ACT to amend section 3347a of the statutes, relating to lien of owner of breeding animals and providing a penalty.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 3347a of the statutes is amended to read: Section 3347a. Every owner of a stallion or jackass kept and used for breeding purposes shall have a lien upon *any dam served and upon* any colt gotten by such stallion or jackass for the sum stipulated to be paid for the service thereof, and may seize and take possession of said *dam and colt or either* without process at any time before \* \* \* *the colt* is one year old, in case the price agreed upon for such service remains unpaid, and sell the same at public auction upon ten days' notice, to be

posted in at least three public places in the town where the  
 \* \* \* *service was rendered*, and apply the proceeds of such  
 sale to the payment of the amount due for such service and the  
 expenses of such seizure and sale, returning the residue, if any,  
 to the party entitled thereto; provided, no such lien shall be  
 effectual for any purpose as against an innocent purchaser of  
 such colt or the dam thereof for value unless such owner having  
 a claim for the service of such stallion or jackass shall file with  
 the clerk of the city, village or town where the owner of the  
 mare served resides a statement showing that such service has  
 been rendered and the amount due therefor. *Any person who  
 sells, disposes of or gives a mortgage upon any dam which to his  
 knowledge has been served by a stallion or jackass, the fee for  
 which service has not been paid, without giving written informa-  
 tion to the purchaser or mortgagee of the fact of such service,  
 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be  
 fined not more than ten dollars or by confinement in the county  
 jail not to exceed sixty days.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and pub-  
 lication.

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## CHAPTER 275.

AN ACT to repeal section 2220 and to create a new section of  
 the statutes to be numbered 2220, relating to acknowledgment  
 of deeds or other instruments and the execution of convey-  
 ances taken outside the United States, uniform with the laws  
 of other states.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and  
 Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 2220 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. There is added to the statutes a new section to be  
 numbered and to read: Section 2220. 1. All deeds or other  
 instruments requiring acknowledgment, if acknowledged with-  
 out the United States, shall be acknowledged before an ambassa-  
 dor, minister, envoy or charge d'affaires of the United States,  
 in the country to which he is accredited, or before one of the fol-  
 lowing officers commissioned or accredited to act at the place  
 where the acknowledgment is taken, and having an official seal,  
 namely: any consular officer of the United States; a notary pub-  
 lic; or a commissioner or other agent of this state having power  
 to take acknowledgments to deeds.