

any property except for purposes connected with the erection completion or repairing of a house of public worship, or for purposes connected therewith.

SEC. 2. That any three of the above named persons shall have power to call a meeting by giving ten days notice thereof by posting up notices in three public places in the town of Milwaukee.

Power of society.

SEC. 3. That said society shall have power to form a constitution and enact by-laws for its government, to prescribe the number and title of its officers, and to define their powers and duties and such other powers necessary for governing and promoting the welfare and interest of said society.

To keep record.

SEC. 4. Said society shall keep a full and complete record of all ordinances, by-laws, rules and regulations made by them, and shall keep a full and complete record of all notices, elections, and a full record of all the names of such persons as shall become or be elected officers of said society, and of all monies received, paid out or expended by them or any of them in and about the affairs of said society, which said record shall always be open to inspection and examination of the members of said society, and said record shall be received in all courts as competent evidence of all facts therein stated.

Banking powers withheld.

SEC. 5. Nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to give to said society banking powers.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect from and after its passage, and may be amended altered or repealed at any time by the Legislature of Wisconsin.

APPROVED, February 22, 1845.

AN ACT to authorize the construction of a free bridge across the Sheboygan river.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

Duty of county com'rs.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the county commissioners of Sheboygan county to levy a tax of two hundred dollars upon the taxable property in said district number one in said county, to be laid out and expended under the direction of the supervisors of

said district, in the building of a free bridge across Sheboygan river in the village of Sheboygan, said bridge to start from the north side of said river, at or near block No. one hundred and thirty-three, as laid down in the map of Sheboygan, thence crossing the river so as to correspond with the county road, leading to the house of B. L. Gibbs, and known as the Gibbs road, which said bridge when so constructed shall be a part of said road district.

SEC. 2. The supervisor of said road district, shall be authorized to receive subscriptions and donations to aid in the construction of said bridge, and when a sufficient sum shall be thus raised, he shall proceed to advertise and let out the same according to law. Supervisor may receive subscription.

SEC. 3. Said bridge shall be erected on piles or bents, and shall be constructed with a convenient draw over the channel of said river, not less than forty feet wide in the clear, so as to admit the free passage of all water craft navigating said river: *Provided however*, That no tax shall be levied, as provided in the first section of this act, unless the requisite sum including such tax shall be secured to be paid as contemplated in the second section of this act sufficient to complete the said bridge. How bridge to be constructed. Proviso.

SEC. 4. This act may at any time be altered, amended or repealed.

APPROVED, February 8th 1845.

AN ACT to authorize William H. Thomas, Waldo Rosebrook and Martin C. Frary, to alter a certain territorial road therein named.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of Wisconsin Territory.

SECTION 1. That William H. Thomas, Waldo Rosebrook and Martin C. Frary, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out a road agreeable to the provisions of an act to provide for laying out and opening Territorial roads, and for other purposes, passed January 11th, 1840, beginning in the Territorial road leading through said town of Manomine to Milwaukee, at an angle in said road seventy-two rods east of the west line of said town, and running thence in a southeasterly direction to the westerly end of the mill dam belonging to Abram Nottingham, thence along the Commissioners appointed.