

from the water mark, and shall be so constructed as to admit of the passage of all descending rafts or water crafts, and the said rafts and water crafts shall at any times be entitled to pass through the said dam free of all charges to the owner or owners of said rafts or water crafts.

Height of Dam.

Rafts to have
free way.

SEC. 3. The legislature may at any time alter or amend this act, when it shall be considered proper to provide for the improvement of the Pecatonica river.

Reservation.

FREDERICK W. HORN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

DUNCAN C. REED,

President pro tempore of the Senate.

Approved, March 13th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to authorise the citizens of the village of Waucoma to build a meeting house on the public square of said village.

Chap. 260

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

SECTION 1. The citizens of the village of Waucoma in the county of Rock, are hereby authorised to build a meeting house on the public square in the village of Waucoma in the county of Rock; said house shall be built by public subscription, and under the direction of three trustees elected by a majority of the stockholders to said meeting house; and when said [meeting house] shall be completed and ready for use, it shall remain free for any religious denomination, to hold their meetings therein.

Meeting house--
how built,

Free Occupancy

FREDERICK W. HORN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

DUNCAN C. REED,

President pro tempore of the Senate.

Approved, March 13th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

An Act to provide for the election of County Treasurers and Clerks of the Board of Supervisors.

Chap. 261

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

SECTION 1. The legal voters in the several counties of this state in which a county Treasurer or Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, or both, were elected at the general election in November, A. D. eighteen hundred and forty-nine shall at the general election in November, A. D. eighteen hundred and

Treasurers and
Clerks--when
elected.

fifty-one elect a county Treasurer and Clerk of the board of supervisors or either as the case may be, whose term of office shall be for one year from and after the first day of January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two: Provided, however, That nothing in this section shall be construed as extending to cases where either of the officers previously named were elected at the general election of eighteen hundred and fifty, and are legally entitled to hold their offices for two years.

Term of office. SEC. 2. That from and after said election in November A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, county Treasurers and Clerks of the Board of Supervisors shall be elected whose term of office shall continue for two years from the first day of January succeeding the time of their election.

Provide!

Future term of office. SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Repealing clause.

FREDERICK W. HORN,
Speaker of the Assembly.
 DUNCAN C. REED,
President pro tempore of the Senate.

Approved March 13th, 1851.

NELSON DEWEY.

Chap. 262 An Act to incorporate the Green Bay, Milwaukee and Chicago Rail Road Company.

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

Name of Incorporation. SECTION 1. James H. Rogers, Truman G. Wright, Daniel H. Chandler, John Bullen, Levi Blossom, Thomas B. Stoddard, Thomas Hood, Thomas P. Williams, Samuel Hale, Philo White, William Teall, Phineas M. Johnson, Frederick Hilgen, Moses Kneeland, A. P. Lyman, E. Fox Cook, George Reed, K. K. Jones, Henry S. Beard and David M. Lay, together with such other persons as may hereafter become associated with them in the manner hereinafter prescribed, their successors and assigns, are hereby created a body corporate by the name of the "Green Bay, Milwaukee and Chicago Rail Road Company," and by that name shall be, and are hereby made capable in law to purchase, hold, and enjoy, and retain to them and their successors, lands, tenements and hereditaments, so far as may be necessary for the purpose of said railroad, and the same to sell, grant, rent, or in any manner dispose of, to contract and to be contracted with, to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended, and also to make, have and use a common seal, the same to alter, break or renew at their pleasure ; and if either of the persons named in this section, shall die, refuse or neglect to execute the powers

Corporate powers.