

two east, according to the intention of the original projectors, and the actual location of said village of White Oak Springs.

SEC. 2. The treasurer of said town of White Oak Springs is authorized and required to collect the delinquent taxes assessed upon the lots in the said village of White Oak Springs, for the years 1849 and 1850, of the owners of said lots, in the same manner that he might have done had said lots been described and designated as lying and being situate upon the west half of the northeast quarter of section number two, in town one, north of range number two east, and that none of the acts of said treasurer shall be held illegal or void on account of the difference which may exist between the description of the said lots as set forth in the recorded plat of said village, and the description contained in this act.

J. McM. SRAFTER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

TIMOTHY BURNS,
Lt. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved, February 5, 1852.

LEONARD J. FARWELL.

As Act to change the name of Catharina Kroeger and make her the heir in law of Bernhard Stoevekin and Francisca Stoevekin. **Chap. 14.**

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

SECTION 1. The lawful name of Catharina Kroeger, Name changed. shall hereafter be Catharina Stoevekin, by which name she shall be called and known to all legal intents and purposes.

SEC. 2. The said Catharina Stoevekin shall be the child and heir at law of Bernhard Stoevekin and Francisca Stoevekin, and it shall be the duty of the said Bernhard Stoevekin and Francisca, his wife, to maintain and educate the said Catharina Stoevekin in the same manner as if she were their natural child: To be heir. *Provided,* Proviso. however, That nothing in this act shall preclude the court of chancery or any other court of competent jurisdiction, from taking into their custody the said Catharina Stoevekin as a ward of said court, and from disposing of her in such manner as shall seem meet to them; nor shall any thing in this act contained prevent the natural father of said Catharina Stoevekin from having the custody [and] care of her, in case any court or courts may deem it for the best interest of the said Catharina Stoevekin, that her nat-

ural father should have the care of maintaining and educating her.

J. McM. SHAFTER.

Speaker of the Assembly.

TIMOTHY BURNS,

Lt. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved, February 5, 1852,

LEONARD J. FARWELL.

Chap. 15

An Act to incorporate the Berlin, Wautoma, and Plover Turnpike and Plank Road Company.

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

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To open books.
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Created body corporate.

SECTION 1. That Charles A. Sweet, Luther Forsyth, Ira O. Seeley, Nathan H. Strong, Lewis D. Phelps, Horace Merriam, Ezra Wheeler, George M. Mitchell, and J. Volney Swetting, be, and are hereby, appointed commissioners, under the direction of a majority of whom, subscriptions may be received to the capital stock of the Berlin, Wautoma, and Plover Turnpike and Plank Road Company; and they may cause books to be opened at such times and places as they shall direct, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions, by publishing in a newspaper printed in the county of Marquette, at least thirty days previous to opening the books of said company for the purpose of receiving subscriptions to the capital stock of the company, giving notice of the times and places of receiving subscriptions.

SEC. 2. All persons who shall become stockholders pursuant of the provisions of this act, are hereby created a body corporate in law, with continued succession, by the name and style of the Berlin, Wautoma, and Plover Turnpike and Plank Road Company, for the purpose of constructing a turnpike and plank road from the village of Berlin in Marquette county, by way of Wautoma in Wau-shara county, thence to the village of Plover in the county of Portage; also, to establish and construct a branch of said road from any point on the line of said road to Waupacca Falls, in the county of Waupacca, or to any other point on Waupacca River as shall be deemed most advantageous to said corporation; which company shall have power to sue and be sued in all courts, to receive by gift or purchase, and hold all such real estate and personal estate as may be necessary for the construction and management of said road; to have and to use a common seal, and to