

No. 428, A.]

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CHAPTER 288.

AN ACT to authorize A. C. Weber, his heirs, associates or assigns, to build and maintain a dam across the Red river in Shawano county, Wisconsin.

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

Location of dam; construction; fishway. SECTION 1. A. C. Weber of Shawano, Wisconsin, his heirs, associates or assigns, are hereby authorized to build and maintain a dam across the Red river in Shawano county, Wisconsin, at a point he or they may select on sections 21 or 22, in township 27, of range 15 east, and to use the water of said river for the purpose of operating any and all kinds of machinery he or they may hereafter see fit to erect, and for general hydraulic purposes, and for aiding and assisting in driving logs; provided, said dam shall not exceed twenty feet in height above low water mark; provided further, that said dam shall be so constructed and maintained as not to obstruct or impede the running of logs or timber down said river, and that a suitable log slide, sufficient in width, shall be maintained at the expense of the owners of said dam, together with such piers and guide booms as shall be necessary so as to pass all logs and timber down and over said log slide without hindrance or waste. Provided, that the dam erected under the provisions of this act shall be provided with a good and sufficient fishway to be approved by the state board of commissioners of fisheries, which shall at all times be kept in good repair and open for the free and easy passage of fish up and down said dam. In case the owner, or owners, of said dam shall neglect or refuse to construct or keep in repair or keep open such fishway as required by the provisions in this act, they shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

Powers conferred. SECTION 2. That said A. C. Weber, his heirs, associates or assigns, for the purpose of acquiring any flowage rights that he or they may deem necessary in carrying

out the provisions of this act, may exercise all powers granted to corporations by sections 1777a to 1777d, inclusive, of the statutes of 1898.

Legislative rights reserved. SECTION 3. The right of the legislature to repeal or amend this act is hereby reserved.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 289.

AN ACT, to appropriate a certain sum to the Wisconsin state fireman's association.

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

Purpose of appropriation. SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Wisconsin state fireman's association the sum of eight hundred (800) dollars, out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated. This appropriation is for the years 1903 and 1904, and the said sum so appropriated shall be paid to said association in two equal payments, to be made on or before the first day of June in each of said years. Provided, that the secretary of the Wisconsin State Fireman's association shall file each year on or before the 31st day of December a verified itemized statement of the expenditure of the money received from the state during the year.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved May 15, 1903.