

CHAPTER 283.

AN ACT to declare O'Neil's creek, a tributary of the Chippewa river, a navigable stream, and to authorize the erection of floating dams thereon.

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

Declared a navigable stream. SECTION 1. O'Neil's creek, a tributary of the Chippewa river, in the county of Chippewa, is hereby declared a navigable stream for the purpose of floating timber and logs down said stream to market.

May erect and maintain dams. SECTION 2. Any owners of lands on said stream, upon which there may be pine or other timber that such owners may desire to cut and float down said streams to market, are hereby authorized and empowered to erect, maintain and use floating dams upon lands owned by them, for the purpose of floating or driving such timber down said stream, or into the Chippewa river.

How provisions to apply. SECTION 3. The provisions of this act shall not only apply to any person that may own pine timber on said stream, but also to all persons and organizations that now have dams for flooding purposes, or that may hereafter have such dams on O'Neil's creek as aforesaid.

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

Approved March 19, 1873.

 CHAPTER 284.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the Milwaukee and Northern Railway Company," approved February twenty-fourth, 1870, known as chapter ninety-four of the laws of 1870.

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

Amended. SECTION 1. Section ten of chapter ninety-four of the private and local laws of 1870, entitled "an act to incorporate the Milwaukee and Northern Railway Company," approved February twenty-fourth, 1870, is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the words, "this company is authorized to build," where