

assigns are hereby authorized and empowered to erect, cation of dam authorized. keep up and maintain a dam (not exceeding eight feet in height) across the Wisconsin river, on sections two (2) and three (3) in township twenty-one (21) north, of range five (5) east, in the county of Wood, and also to erect, keep up and maintain a system of piers and booms, in connection with said dam, extending from some point on said section three (3) up, along or across said river to section thirty-six (36), in township twenty-two (22) north of range five (5) east, for the purpose of catching, holding, storing and sorting logs, lumber and timber.

SECTION 2. The said dam, piers and booms shall On whose lands to be erected. be erected only on lands of which the said John Edwards, his associates, heirs and assigns have the right of possession, and shall be so erected, kept up and maintained as not to interfere with the free navigation of said river, and the said John Edwards, his associates, heirs and assigns shall provide, keep up and maintain suitable slides and openings through and over said dam and boom for free passage of lumber, logs and timber passing down said river.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 12, 1874.

CHAPTER 277.

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AN ACT to amend chapter fifty-eight, laws of 1872, entitled "an act to amend section two (2) of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the general laws of 1864, entitled 'an act revising, amending and consolidating the laws relating to extra pay to Wisconsin soldiers, in the service of the United States, or of this state, and providing for the relief of families of such soldiers in certain cases, and to prescribe severe penalties for frauds committed in procuring such extra pay and extending the provisions of said chapter.'"

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

SECTION 1. Section two (2) of chapter fifty-eight Fixing time for filing papers for extra pay. (58), laws of 1872, is hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 2. All applications for extra pay, under the provisions of said chapter one hundred and seventeen of the general laws of 1864, as amended by

this act, must be filed with the secretary of state on or before the 31st day of December, A. D. 1875, and said chapter one hundred and seventeen, as herein amended for the purposes of this act, is hereby re enacted and declared to be in full force.

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

Approved March 12, 1874.

· CHAPTER 278.

[Published March 19, 1874.]

AN ACT to incorporate the city of Shawano.

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

CHAPTER I.

Creating the city of Shawano.

SECTION 1. All that district of country in the county of Shawano, hereinafter described, shall be a city by the name of Shawano, and the people now inhabiting, and those who shall hereafter inhabit said district, shall be a municipal corporation by the name of the city of Shawano, and shall have the general powers possessed by municipal corporations at common law ; and in addition thereto shall have and possess the powers hereinafter specifically granted, and the authorities thereof shall have perpetual succession, and shall be capable of contracting and being contracted with, suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded in all the courts of law and equity, and shall have a common seal and may change and alter the same at pleasure.

Chartered rights.

Boundaries of the city of Shawano.

SECTION 2. The west half of sections thirty (30) and thirty-one (31), in township number twenty-seven (27), range sixteen (16) east, the east half of the northeast quarter and the east half of the southeast quarter, and lots one (1), two (2), three (3), and four (4), all in section number thirty-six (36), township number twenty-seven (27), range fifteen (15) east ; also, the east half of the southeast quarter, and the east half of the northeast quarter, and lots two (2), three (3) and four (4), all in section number twenty-five (25), township number twenty-seven (27), range fifteen (15) east, shall be included in and constitute the limits of the city of Shawano.