

to the subject matter of said laws, and shall be printed and bound in one volume; *provided, however*, should the number of pages exceed twelve hundred, the commissioners of public printing may, should they deem it advisable, order the state printer to bind said laws in two volumes, as nearly equal in size as may be, each volume to be indexed separately, and to be entitled volume one and volume two respectively. Each act, as it is printed, shall be compared by the secretary of state with the original enrolled act, and at the end of the volume or volumes the said secretary of state shall annex his certificate, certifying that he has compared the printed copy with the original enrolled act, and that it appears to be correctly printed.

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

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## CHAPTER 267.

AN ACT to improve the Cunningham creek, in Clark county, Wisconsin, and to grant to Chauncey Blakeslee, his heirs or assigns, certain powers and privileges therein named.

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

SECTION 1. For the purpose of improving the Cunningham creek, in Clark county, Wisconsin, so as to facilitate the driving and floating of logs and timber down said creek through and out of said county, it is hereby provided and enacted that Chauncey Blakeslee, of Sparta, Monroe county, Wisconsin, his heirs or assigns, if he or they shall improve said creek in said county, by cleaning and straightening its channel, closing sloughs, or in erecting dams for the purpose of flooding, and creating reservoirs of water, for driving purposes, and shall keep in repair and operate the same, so as to render the floating and driving of logs and timber down said creek through said county, from the south line of township number twenty-four north, of range number one west, to a point in section twenty-seven, in township number twenty-four north, of range number two west, in said county, where said Cunningham creek empties into Black river, shall be entitled

Authority to improve Cunningham creek.

Rates of toll.

to receive and may charge and collect for such service, in toll, twenty cents per thousand feet, board measure, for and upon all logs and timber put in said branch of said creek, designed and intended to be run out of the same; the amount of said logs and timber to be determined by and under the direction of the lumber inspector of lumber district number 2, or one of his deputies, or by the mutual agreement of both parties.

Charges for toll to be lien on logs and timber.

SECTION 2. For any tolls or charges as herein provided, which shall remain due and unpaid, the said Chauncey Blakeslee, his heirs and assigns, shall have a lien upon and on all such logs or timber upon which such tolls or charges, or any part thereof, shall remain unpaid, and may enforce such lien in the same manner as other liens for services and labor are enforced under the laws of the state of Wisconsin relating to the subject of liens for labor and services upon logs and lumber in said state.

Logs may be seized and held

SECTION 3. For the purpose of enforcing the collection of said tolls and charges, the said Chauncey Blakeslee, his heirs or assigns, may seize, hold and detain such logs at any place or point on said Cunningham creek, or upon the Black river, in said state of Wisconsin, until such tolls and charges are paid.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication; and all acts or parts of acts conflicting with this act are hereby repealed.

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## CHAPTER 268.

AN ACT to regulate the practice in certain cases.

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

When application may be made to file and serve answer in certain cases.

SECTION 1. In any and all cases now pending in any court of this state or which shall hereafter be brought therein, in which a party has appeared before the time for answering expired, and judgment has been or shall be entered before the time for answering has expired, without giving the full five days' notice of application for judgment, an application may be made at