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## CHAPTER 43.

AN ACT to authorize Anthony J. Hayward, his heirs or assigns, to build, maintain and operate dams and other improvements across the Namakagon river and its tributaries, above the village of Hayward, on said river, and to repeal certain acts conflicting therewith.

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

SECTION 1. Anthony J. Hayward, his heirs or assigns are hereby authorized to build, maintain and operate dams across the Namakagon river and its tributaries, above the village of Hayward, for the purpose of equalizing the flow of water in said Namakagon river, in aid of driving logs down the same to the store booms at the village of Hayward, and in aid of manufacturing logs into lumber at said village of Hayward, by the water-power created by the dam across said river at said village.

Authorized to build dams.

SECTION 2. Said dams shall be constructed and maintained with suitable sluices for the passage over the same, of all logs destined for points below said village of Hayward.

How dams shall be constructed.

SECTION 3. Said Anthony J. Hayward, his heirs or assigns, may maintain and operate said dams so as to regulate the flow of water in said Namakagon river, in such manner, as in his or their judgment will best subserve the purpose specified in section one, of this act; provided, however, said dam shall not be so operated during at least twelve hours per day, in the day-time, as to diminish the natural flow of water in said river, when the same is needed to drive logs into the flowage of Hanscom dam, below the dam at said village of Hayward.

When dams shall be constructed.

SECTION 4. Said Anthony J. Hayward, or his assigns, for the purposes 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 section 1777, of the revised statutes.

Powers that may be exercised.

Repealed.

SECTION 5. Chapter 452, of the laws of 1869, and the acts amendatory thereof, so far as the same grants any rights, privileges or franchises on said Namakagon river or its tributaries above the west line of Sawyer county, are hereby repealed; provided, however, this act shall not prevent the use of said franchises to make the drive of 1885, prior to November 1st, 1885, or the collectors of the tolls authorized on logs destined for the St. Croix river, driven from above said range line during the season of 1885, said franchises under said chapter 452, not to be so used as to diminish the natural flow of said river after May 1st, 1885.

SECTION 6. The right to amend or repeal this act is hereby reserved.

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect and be in force, subject to the above provisions, from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 7, 1885.

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## CHAPTER 44.

AN ACT relating to the preservation of fish, in the pond, at the mouth of the Willow river in St. Croix county.

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

Preservation of  
fish in St. Croix  
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SECTION 1. Any person who shall catch or take, or attempt to catch or take, any fish of any kind, by any device or means whatever, from the waters of the pond at or near the mouth of Willow river, in St. Croix county, between the first day of December of each year and the first day of May of the succeeding year, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding thirty days, or by fine of not less than five, nor more than one hundred dollars; one-half of such fine, when imposed, to be paid to the person informing of such act.

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

Approved March 9, 1885.