

shall take and have precedence of all demands, decrees and judgments against said company.

SEC. 5. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and the act of which this is amendatory, are hereby repealed.

Repeals [inconsistent acts]

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 9, 1867.

CHAPTER XV.

An Act authorizing the La Crosse, Trempeleau and Prescott Railroad Company to erect a bridge across the Mississippi River at the City of Winona.

February 8, 1867

SECTION 1.—Railroad Company authorized to build bridge at certain point.

2.—Empowered to secure payment of bonds.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. The La Crosse, Trempeleau and Prescott Railroad Company a corporation incorporate by the state of Wisconsin, and their successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to lease, purchase, build or construct a railway bridge at and from any point in the city of Winona, state of Minnesota, across the Mississippi river, to such point on the east side of the river as now is or shall be authorized by the State of Wisconsin. Said bridge shall be so constructed, with a suitable draw or draws, as not to materially impede or incommode the navigation of said river.

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SEC. 2. Said La Crosse, Trempeleau and Prescott Railroad Company, their successors and assigns, are also hereby authorized and empowered to secure the

How payment of bonds to be secured

payment of any bonds to be issued by them by a mortgage or trust deed containing the usual covenants and agreements covering said bridge and this franchise.

Approved February 8, 1867.

CHAPTER XVI.

March 4, 1867.

An Act to authorize the Green Bay and Lake Pepin Railway Company to construct a Bridge across the Mississippi River.

SECTION 1.—Company authorized to build bridge.

2.—When act to take effect.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

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bridge

SECTION 1. The Green Bay and Lake Pepin Railway Company is hereby authorized and empowered to build or construct a bridge at any point near the city of Wabashaw, Wabashaw county, state of Minnesota, across the Mississippi river, for the purpose of crossing the same with a railway track or tracks: *Providing* such bridge shall be so constructed with draws that the navigation of the river shall not be unnecessarily incommoded thereby.

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

Approved March 4, 1867.