

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1857.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1857.

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## Chapter 128.

An act additional to "An act to incorporate the proprietors of Ticonic Bridge."

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Certain rights  
granted.

SECT. 1. The proprietors of the Ticonic Bridge shall have the right after they shall have erected and opened a new bridge across the Kennebec river, to continue to take the tolls granted by the act to which this is additional, for and during the term of thirty years from the approval of this act; and after the expiration of said term, the toll shall be subject to be regulated or wholly discontinued by the legislature; *provided, however*, that when satisfactory proof shall be given to the supreme judicial court at any time after the expiration of five years from the date of this act, that funds sufficient for the purchase of said bridge and franchise at their fair value, to be determined by three disinterested persons to be appointed by said court on notice and hearing of parties, have been raised, upon the payment of the amount of the appraisal to the treasurer of the corporation by any individual, town or towns, or association, said bridge shall be free.

Authorized to  
rebuild, &c.

SECT. 2. It shall be lawful for said corporation to rebuild their bridge across said river, on the site of the old bridge; and the legislature shall have no right to restrict or annul the provisions of this act.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved April 17, 1857.]

## Chapter 129.

An act additional to provide for the expenses of government.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

State prison, ap-  
propriation for.

SECT. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the treasury, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, four thousand dollars, for the payment of the debts of the state prison; and the governor and council are hereby authorized to draw their warrants for the same, if they shall deem it advisable.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved April 17, 1857.]