

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

115

OF THE

FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1870.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820,
February 26, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

AUGUSTA:

SPRAGUE, OWEN & NASH, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

1870.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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SECT. 3. Any two persons named in this act may call the first meeting by notice published in some newspaper printed in Bath, at least seven days before the day of meeting.

CHAP. 485.

First meeting,
how called.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 17, 1870.

Chapter 485.

An act additional to "an act to incorporate the Saint Croix Gas Light Company," chapter two hundred and fifteen of acts and resolves of eighteen hundred and fifty-eight.

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

SECT. 1. The Saint Croix Gas Light Company is hereby authorized to purchase at public or private sale all the property of the Calais and Saint Stephen Gas Light Company, situated either in Calais, in the county of Washington, State of Maine, or in Saint Stephen, in the county of Charlotte, and province of New Brunswick, together with all and singular the rights, franchises and privileges belonging to the said Calais and Saint Stephen Gas Light Company, and to hold, possess and enjoy the same in the same manner as now held, possessed and enjoyed by the last named company.

Authorized to purchase property of Calais and St. Stephen Gas Light Company.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 17, 1870.

Chapter 486.

An act in addition to an act to incorporate the Howard Slate Company.

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

SECT. 1. The Howard Slate Company is hereby authorized to subscribe for, purchase and hold stock in any company or companies which are or may be incorporated by the legislature, for the purpose of improving the navigation of Ship Pond stream, or for the purpose of constructing a wooden or iron railroad from Sebec lake up the valley of Ship Pond stream; *provided,* that said slate company shall not subscribe for stock or purchase stock in any such navigation or railroad company, except in pursuance of an order adopted at a legal meeting of the stockholders of said

Howard Slate Co. authorized to subscribe for stock in other companies for certain purposes.

CHAP. 487. slate company, and by a vote representing a majority of all the stock of said slate company.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 17, 1870.

Chapter 487.

An act for the protection of trout and pickerel in certain waters in Hiram and Porter.

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

Trout and pickerel, protection of.

SECT. 1. If any person shall take, kill or destroy any trout or pickerel in the west branch of Ten Mile brook in the town of Porter, or Clemon's pond, Jay Bird pond, Merrifield pond or Stanley pond, or their outlets, in the towns of Porter and Hiram, for the term of three years, or shall within the time aforesaid, sell, buy or have in his possession, any of the aforesaid fish taken or killed as aforesaid, he shall forfeit and pay for every such fish the sum of one dollar, to be recovered by an action of debt to the use of any person who may sue therefor.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect in thirty days from its approval.

Approved March 17, 1870.

Chapter 488.

An act to authorize the town of Brunswick to loan money to build a town building, to issue bonds, and provide for a sinking fund in payment therefor.

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

Town of Brunswick authorized to build town building.

SECT. 1. The inhabitants of the town of Brunswick are hereby authorized and empowered to build a town building on the lot recently purchased by the town, with hall and other rooms and apartments, which may be deemed convenient and necessary for the use of said town ; and for the purpose of obtaining a loan to aid in said erection, said town is hereby authorized and empowered to issue its bonds for a sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars, payable in twenty years, with coupons attached, at six per cent. interest payable semi-annually.

May issue bonds to aid in said erection.

Sinking fund.

SECT. 2. To insure the payment of the bonds authorized by this act, there shall be raised by taxation, each year the sum of one thousand dollars as a sinking fund, to be assessed and collected