

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820,
February 18, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

AUGUSTA :
SPRAGUE & SON, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.
1883.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

CHAP. 209

all purposes contemplated by this act, and said corporation may purchase, hold, sell and convey all real and personal property necessary for said purposes.

Damages, how estimated

SECT. 6. If the land of any individual or corporation is taken under this act and the parties cannot agree upon the damages occasioned thereby, they shall be estimated, secured and paid in the manner provided by the general laws of the state in the case of lands taken for railroads.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 14, 1883.

Chapter 209.

An Act to amend the charter of the Dirigo Telephone Company of Maine.

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

Charter of Dirigo Telephone Co. amended.

SECT. 1. The Dirigo Telephone Company of Maine, a corporation duly incorporated under the general laws of this state, in addition to the rights obtained thereby, is hereby authorized and empowered to carry on the business of providing practical telephonic communication by usual and proper methods, and in the prosecution thereof to locate, construct, maintain and operate acoustic, magnetic and electric telephone lines and appurtenances, and license the use of the same by others, and acquire such rights by lease or purchase from others throughout this state, submarine, under ground, upon, along and over any and all public highways, bridges and places, in such manner as not to endanger the appropriate public use thereof, railroads, canals and lands and buildings of any and all individuals, societies and corporations, with as many lines and branches, wires, posts, supports and appurtenances, and terminating at such points and places, as said corporation may deem necessary; and to remove trees and other obstacles, except that fruit or ornamental trees shall not be removed or defaced by trimming, for said purposes, and to connect by agreement with other telephone or telegraph lines.

Powers, privileges and limitations.

SECT. 2. The damages for taking land under this act, when the parties cannot agree, shall be estimated, secured and paid as for land taken for railroads.

Land damages, how estimated and paid.

SECT. 3. This corporation is authorized to exercise its powers, carry on its business, and do all acts pertaining thereto, in any other state or country, upon acquiring therefor all sanction and authority necessary under the laws thereof.

CHAP. 210

May do business in other states, under sanction of laws thereof.

SECT. 4. The capital stock of this corporation may be increased to any amount not exceeding one million dollars.

May increase its capital stock.

Approved February 14, 1883.

Chapter 210.

An Act to authorize Samuel L. Lord to rebuild and maintain the Shepherd's Wharf, in Union River, within the limits of the city of Ellsworth.

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

SECT. 1. Samuel L. Lord, his heirs and assigns, are hereby authorized to rebuild and maintain the Shepherd's wharf, a wharf located on the western bank of Union river, within the limits of the city of Ellsworth, extending the same ten feet into the tide waters beyond its present bounds.

Samuel L. Lord authorized to rebuild wharf.

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

Approved February 14, 1883.

Chapter 211.

An Act to incorporate the Little Wilson Falls and Dam Company.

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

SECT. 1. Samuel H. Blake and associates are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Little Wilson Falls and Dam Company, with all the powers and privileges of similar corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to improve the falls upon the Little Wilson, in township nine, range nine, N. W. P., in county of Piscataquis, by blasting and damming and the construction of sluices and in such other ways as may be found practicable with a view of making it possi-

Authorized to improve navigation of Little Wilson.