

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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in section five of this act. All expenses attending such appraisal shall be paid equally by the parties. CHAP. 233

SECT. 7. The towns of Richmond, Dresden and Perkins are hereby jointly or severally authorized to take stock in, furnish aid for, or purchase said ferry and operate the same, with all the powers and privileges conferred on said corporation by this act; and to raise money therefor, by loan, taxation or otherwise.

Certain towns authorized to take stock, etc.

May raise money therefor.

SECT. 8. Any three of the persons named in the first section of this act are hereby authorized to call the first meeting of the proprietors, by giving notice thereof in the Richmond Bee, seven days before the time of said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 9. If the said corporation shall not have been organized, and the said ferry established, according to the provisions of this act, within two years from the time when this act shall be approved, then this act shall be void.

Act void if ferry is not established within two years.

SECT. 10. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

SECT. 11. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 17, 1883.

Chapter 233.

An Act to prohibit the taking of fish from Messabesic Pond, and its outlet, in the town of Alfred.

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

SECT. 1. All persons are forbidden to take fish of any kind, through the ice, from Messabesic pond, sometimes called Shaker pond, and its outlet as far down stream as the mill-dam of Littlefield Brothers, in the town of Alfred, county of York.

Taking of fish from Messabesic pond, through the ice, forbidden.

SECT. 2. All persons are forbidden to take fish of any kind from said pond and outlet, in any other way than by hook and line.

Taking other than by hook, forbidden.

SECT. 3. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this act shall pay the sum of five dollars for each fish taken, to be recovered on complaint before any trial justice in said

Penalty for violation of this act.

CHAP. 234 county of York, one-half to the use of the complainant, and the other half to the use of said county.

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

Approved February 17, 1883.

Chapter 234.

An Act authorizing a lease or transfer of the franchise and property of the Old Orchard Junction Railroad.

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

Old Orchard Junction R. R. authorized to lease or sell its road, etc.

The Old Orchard Junction Railroad is hereby authorized by vote of its stockholders, at a legal meeting, to lease or sell and transfer to any other railroad corporation, its said railroad and all rights, privileges and franchise, and all property, real, personal and mixed, acquired under its organization as a railroad corporation ; and such railroad corporation is hereby authorized to take by lease or purchase the rights, franchises and property of said Old Orchard Junction Railroad, and may enter into any contract for operating the line of said railroad corporation.

Approved February 17, 1883.

Chapter 235.

An Act to prevent the throwing refuse matter into the stream known as Howard's Stream between Howard's Pond and the Androscooggin River in the County of Oxford.

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

Throwing of shavings, etc., into Mill Brook, unlawful.

SECT. 1. It shall be unlawful for any owner or owners of mills on the stream known as Mill Brook, in the town of Hanover, in the county of Oxford, running from Howard's pond in said town of Hanover, to the Androscooggin river, or on any canal or branch of said stream, or for any person or persons employed in or about said mills or otherwise, to cast shavings, saw-dust, trimmings or waste from dowel-stock, tan-bark, buckwheat hulls, or trimmings from manufactured lumber, into the waters of said stream, canal, or branch