

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTIETH LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 62.

STATE OF MAINE.

A minority of the Committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred the petition of the Selectmen of Pittsfield, to legalize the doings of said town, have had the same under consideration, and ask leave to report a bill, which is herewith submitted.

Per order.

R. FOSTER.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-ONE.

AN ACT to authorize the town of Pittsfield to loan its credit in aid of manufactures therein and “for the benefit of the people of this state.”

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

SECTION 1. Whereas, upon due investigation and
2 consideration we deem it for the benefit of the town of
3 Pittsfield and of the people of this state, said town is
4 hereby authorized to loan the sum of twenty-seven
5 thousand five hundred dollars to Robert Dobson, Wil-
6 liam Dobson and others, in accordance with a vote
7 taken by said town on the twenty-third day of Decem-
8 ber, eighteen hundred and seventy, for the encourage-
9 ment of manufactures and the improvement of unim-
10 proved water-power in said town.

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

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 16, 1871.

Reported from minority of Committee on Judiciary, by Mr.
FOSTER, and laid over to be printed under the Joint Rule.

SAMUEL W. LANE, *Secretary.*

To the Hon. Senate and House of Representatives of Maine in Legislature assembled :

The undersigned, Selectmen of the town of Pittsfield, in the county of Somerset, and State aforesaid, by virtue of a unanimous vote of the legal voters of said town in town meeting assembled, respectfully request your honorable bodies to pass an act legalizing the votes, acts and proceedings of the qualified voters of said town, passed and had at a town meeting held in said town on the twenty-third day of December, A. D. 1870, whereby they voted to loan to Robert Dobson, William Dobson and others, the sum of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars, for a period of ten years, to aid in the erection of a dam and woollen mill in said town, and authorizing said town to carry the same into effect.

A. P. McMASTER, } *Selectmen*
 ARBA POWERS, } *of*
 EMERY WHITTEN, } *Pittsfield.*

January 4th, 1871.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 16, 1871.

On motion of Mr. VOSE,

Ordered, to be printed in connection with the minority report of the Committee on the Judiciary.

SAMUEL W. LANE, *Secretary.*