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PRIVATE

AND

SPECIAL ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

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Chapter 273.

AN ACT to prevent the destruction of Pickerel in the Twelve Mile Pond.

Approved March 14, 1837.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That if any person within ten years from the passing of this Act, shall take or destroy, otherwise than by hook and line, any Pickerel in the Twelve Mile Pond, so called, lying in China and Vassalborough in the County of Kennebec or in any of the streams emptying into, or issuing out of said Pond, he shall forfeit and pay a fine of three dollars for every Pickerel so taken or destroyed. And all fines arising from a violation of this Act may be recovered by action of debt, one moiety thereof to the use of the town in which the provisions of this Act shall be violated, and the other moiety thereof to any person who may sue for the same.

May take fish
with hook and
line.

Penalty for a vio-
lation of this Act.

How recovered,
and for whose
benefit.

Chapter 274.

AN ACT to incorporate the Narraguagus Company.

Approved March 14, 1837.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Charles H. Coffin, Harmon Westervet, Newton Hayes, David E. Wheeler, Ferdinand S. Wilsey, Edward Soley, James M. Quin, Daniel P. Bacon, Charles F. Grim, and their associates, successors and assigns, be and they hereby are created a corporation by the name of "the Narraguagus Company for the purpose of manufacturing lumber at Cherryfield in the County of Washington, and they shall be entitled to all the powers and privileges and subject to all the duties and requirements contained in the several Acts regulating manufacturing corporations and the pro-

Corporators.

Corporate name.

visions of the Act concerning corporations passed the sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, and may have and hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars and may sell and dispose of the same at pleasure such property to be divided into and held by shares of one hundred dollars each.

Capital Stock,—
\$250,000.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said company may erect and maintain a Railroad, on their own land and upon the land of others, with the consent of the owner or owners thereof, from their Mills in said Cherryfield to the navigable tide waters for the purpose of transporting thereon lumber and other property, belonging to said company, and also for other persons upon such terms as may be agreed upon by the parties—*Provided however*, that said Railroad shall not cross any town road or roads in the said town of Cherryfield without the consent of said town first had and obtained.

Powers, &c.

Proviso.

Chapter 275.

AN ACT to incorporate the West Musquash Canal and Sluice Company.

Approved March 14, 1837.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That George Jewett, Martin Gore, Charles Mussey, Joshua Richardson, and Luther Jewett, with their associates and successors be and they hereby are made a body politic and corporate by the name of West Musquash Canal and Sluice Company, for the purpose of making and maintaining a Canal and Sluice Way on a stream called the West Musquash Stream in the County of Washington, to be laid out and pass through

Corporators.

Corporate name.