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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

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and thence running westwardly on said division line to said Letter A, No. 2; thence south nineteen degrees east, on the line between said Letter A, No. 2, and said Surplus, twenty eight rods; thence south sixty nine degrees west, about two hundred and fifty rods to the division line between lots, numbered eleven and twelve, in the thirteenth range of lots in said Letter A, No. 2; and thence south eight degrees west, on the said last mentioned line about five hundred rods to the old north line of said Newry.

Acts, &c. inconsistent, repealed

SECT. 2. All acts and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, hereby are repealed.

[Approved February 22, 1842.]

Chapter 9.

AN ACT to divide the town of Minot, and incorporate the easterly part thereof into a town by the name of Auburn.

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

Part of Minot set

SECT. 1. All that part of the town of Minot lying easterly of the curve line, so called, is, hereby set off from the town of Minot, and incorporated into a town by the name of Auburn; and the inhabitants thereof are hereby vested with all the powers, privileges and immunities, which the inhabitants of other towns in this State enjoy.

General powers.

Taxes and debts, how paid.

SECT. 2. The inhabitants of said town of Auburn shall be holden to pay the arrears of all taxes, which have been legally assessed on them, and of assessments which may have been voted by said town of Minot, together with their proportion of all the debts due from the said town of Minot, at the time this act shall take effect; and the said town of Auburn shall be entitled to receive and hold their proportion of the debts and taxes due to said town of Minot; said proportion to be ascertained by the last valuation of their respective towns.

How divided.

Of the support of paupers.

Sect. 3. All persons now chargeable as paupers to said town of Minot, shall be supported by the towns of Minot and Auburn in proportion to their valuation for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty. And all persons who may hereafter become chargeable as paupers, shall be considered as belonging to that town on whose territory they may have gained a legal settlement, and shall be supported by the same.

Powers of collectors of taxes. Sect. 4. The several collectors of taxes for the town of Minot, are hereby authorized and empowered to collect and pay all taxes

to them already committed agreeably to their several warrants; and _ also all taxes which have been legally assessed, and which may be hereafter committed to said collectors.

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Sect. 5. The said town of Minot shall retain the entire prop- Public buildings. erty and interest in any and all public buildings now owned by said town.

John Anderson of Portland, Edmund Mann of Gor- Committee to eham, and Job Prince of Turner are hereby appointed to determine pense of supporting bridges. and award what sum of money shall be paid by either of said towns to the other, to equalize the expense of supporting bridges And said committee, or the major part of them shall Award to be in make their award in writing, and furnish copies thereof to the clerks writing and copies furnished of said towns within six months from the passage of this act; and in six months. shall also determine the time of payment, and which of said towns shall pay the expenses of said committee. And if the town against Expense of committee, how to be which the award may be, shall not, within thirty days, after such paid, &c. sum, or any part thereof shall become payable, pay the same, the town in whose favor such money may be awarded, may have an action of the case therefor, in any court proper to try the same. And if either of said persons shall die, or decline to serve on said Committee to fill committee, the other members of said committee may select another person to act in his stead.

Until another state valuation shall be taken, all state Assessment of and county taxes shall be assessed upon said towns in proportion to the valuation for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty. This act shall be in force and take effect from and after its approval When to be in force. by the governor.

[Approved February 24, 1842.]

Chapter 10.

AN ACT to incorporate the East Bethel Bridge Company.

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

Timothy Carter, Israel Kimball, Elias M. Carter, Names of corpo-Edmund Bean, Peter Kimball, Elipaz C. Bean, Hiram Holt, rators. Phineas Frost, Reuben B. Foster, Joseph Holt, Alpheus Swan, John Y. Duston, Humphrey Bean, Samuel Bean, with their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a corporation by the name of the East Bethel Bridge Company; and by that name corporate name. may sue and be sued, have and use a common seal, and, at any