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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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therein, all moneys by them received and collected, as aforesaid, deducting necessary expenses, and a reasonable compensation for their services.

[Approved February 14, 1844.]

Chapter 135.

AN ACT to authorize the directors of the Machias Water Power and Mill Company to assess a tax, and for other purposes.

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

Directors to levy a tax not exceeding \$10.

SECT. 1. The directors of said corporation are authorized and empowered to assess and levy a tax, not exceeding ten dollars on each and every share of the capital stock, of said company, for the purpose of paying the debts of said corporation.

One director to be appointed to collect said tax. If stockholder refuse to pay, shares to be sold at auction.

SECT. 2. Said directors are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint any one of their number to collect said tax ; and in case any stockholder shall neglect or refuse to pay the same, on demand, said director, appointed as aforesaid, is authorized to sell, at public auction, the share, or shares, of any delinquent stockholder, to the highest bidder ; first giving public notice of the time and place of sale, by publishing the same three weeks successively, in any newspaper published in the county of Washington, and also by a like publication in any newspaper published in Boston, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts ; and said directors may direct the sale of said shares to be made either in said county of Washington, or in Boston aforesaid, as to them may be deemed for the interest of said stockholders.

Public notice to be given.

Directors to designate place of sale.

Act approved March 28, 1836, repealed.

SECT. 3. The act entitled "an act to increase the capital stock of the Machias Water Power and Mill Company," approved March 28, 1836, is hereby repealed.

[Approved February 15, 1844.]

Chapter 136.

AN ACT additional to an act to incorporate the proprietors of the Falls Sluiceway in Calais.

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

Shall have a lien upon all lumber sluiced.

SECT. 1. The proprietors of the Falls Sluiceway in Calais, shall have a lien on all lumber sluiced by them, also on all lumber