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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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Снар. 143.

Rates of toll es-

SECT. 2. Said corporation are authorized to demand and receive the rates of toll now established by law, to be in full for toll to the opposite bank: provided, however, that after twenty years from the commencement of taking toll upon the new bridge, the rates of toll shall be subject to the further regulation of the legislature.

[Approved February 19, 1844.]

Chapter 143.

AN ACT authorizing the surrender of the charter of the Portland Stage Company.

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

Surrender of charter. Sect. 1. The surrender of the charter of the Portland Stage Company is hereby accepted; and the same shall terminate when this act shall take effect.

To exist in its corporate capacity for two years to adjust its affairs. SECT. 2. The said company shall continue in its corporate capacity, for the term of two years, from the time this act shall take effect, for the sole purpose of collecting the debts due the corporation, selling and conveying the property and estate thereof, and doing those acts which may be necessary for properly closing the affairs of said corporation, and shall remain liable, during the term aforesaid, for the payment of all debts due from the same, and shall be capable of prosecuting and defending suits at law, and for choosing directors for the purposes aforesaid, and for closing its concerns.

Liabilities and power.

Trustees may be chosen.

Powers of said trustees in adjusting the affairs of the company.

To take effect from and after April 1, 1844.

To publish for three months notice that it has surrendered its charter, &c. Sect. 3. The said company may, if they see fit, choose one or more trustees for closing the concerns of the corporation, in the manner provided in the preceding section of this act; and said trustee or trustees shall have power to collect all debts due to the corporation, and to sell and convey the property and estate thereof for the purposes aforesaid, and to do all acts which may be necessary to close the concerns of said corporation.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four; and the said corporation shall publish for three months, weekly, in one or more of the papers printed in York county, if any there be, that it has surrendered its charter; stating the time when such surrender went into effect; and also when its liability for the payment of its debts will by law expire.

[Approved February 19, 1844.]