

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1846.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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real and personal estate may lawfully do. And the said company are authorized to carry on at the lower falls on the outlet of Thompson's pond in the town of Oxford, in the county of Oxford, the manufacture of cotton, and such other materials as may be necessarily or conveniently connected therewith, and may erect and construct such machinery, mills and other buildings as may be useful for that purpose.

CHAP. 336.

Articles of manufacture.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved July 10, 1846.]

### Chapter 336.

An Act regulating the stripping of weirs on the Damariscotta river.

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

All weirs upon the Damariscotta river that are covered with nets, shall hereafter be stripped, so as to admit the free passage of fish through the same, by the first day of October in each year, instead of the time now prescribed by law, under the same penalties as are provided in the fifteenth section of the sixty-first chapter of the revised statutes.

Weirs to be stripped by the first day of Oct. in each year.

—under same penalties as are provided in § 15, chap. 61, R. S.

[Approved July 10, 1846.]

### Chapter 337.

An Act constituting East Machias the shire town of the county of Washington.

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

SECTION 1. That from and after the first Tuesday of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, East Machias in the county of Washington, is hereby made the shire town of said county, and the terms of the supreme judicial court, the district court, and the court of county commissioners, now or hereafter established, to be held for said county, shall be held at East Machias.

East Machias constituted the shire town of Washington county.

SECT. 2. It is hereby made the duty of the county commissioners, previously to said first Tuesday of October, to provide at said East Machias and at the expense of the county, suitable buildings,

County commissioners to provide suitable buildings.