

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

EXTRA SESSION OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 1853,

AND THE

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1854.

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1854.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1854.

CHAP. 276. travelers happening through any known defect in said bridge in the same way and manner that towns are liable for defects in public highways and bridges.

Location or damages, how determined in case of disagreement.

SECT. 4. In case the majority of the persons named in this act should not agree and determine upon the location of said bridge, or the amount of damages the land owners may sustain in consequence of said location, with said owners, it shall be the duty of the selectmen of the town of Kittery to determine the location of said bridge, or land damages, or both, whenever desired so to do, in writing, by the majority aforesaid.

Penalty for willful mischief.

SECT. 5. If any person or persons shall willfully and maliciously take up, remove or in any way injure any part of said bridge, or shall be known to aid or assist in any such trespass, they shall forfeit and pay to the said company or their agent double such damages as the said company or their agent shall, to the justice or the court and jury before whom the trial shall be, cause to appear that they have sustained by means of the said trespass.

[Approved March 29, 1854.]

Chapter 276.

An act authorizing the city council of Portland to appoint a surveyor of lumber under certain regulations.

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

Surveyor of lumber, election of, &c.

The common council of the city of Portland are authorized if they see cause, to elect at any time they may hereafter determine suitable, any citizen of this state to be surveyor of lumber in the city of Portland, and to be governed in his survey by the laws regulating the survey of lumber by the surveyor general and his deputies, in the county of Penobscot, excepting so much of an act entitled "An act in addition to an act to regulate the survey of lumber in the county of Penobscot, approved March twenty-second, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four," as requires the numerical mark to be placed on each piece of lumber showing the particular sort or quality to which it belongs.

[Approved March 31, 1854.]