

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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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1854.

CHAP. 330.

Chapter 330.

An act to make valid the doings of the inhabitants of the town of Kirkland, in the county of Penobscot.

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

Certain constables authorized to amend returns.

Town clerk authorized to amend records.

Certain acts and records made valid.

Proviso.

SECT. 1. Any person who has acted in the official capacity of constable, prior to the passage of this act, in the town of Kirkland, in the county of Penobscot, is hereby authorized to amend his returns and doings in said capacity conformable to the facts relating to the same; and any person who has acted in the capacity of clerk of said town is also authorized to amend the records thereof conformable to the doings of said inhabitants in town meeting assembled, and conformable to the returns of said constables as amended; and the returns and doings of said constables and clerks, and the record amended in manner aforesaid, shall be as valid as if done and made at the time when by law and usage the same should have been done; and all acts and transactions authorized by law, which have been done and performed by the said inhabitants in town meeting assembled, shall be as valid and effectual as if all the preliminary forms and requirements of law relating thereto had been observed and complied with: provided, however, this act shall not apply to or affect any existing right of action, nor to any action or process now pending.

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

[Approved April 11, 1854.]

Chapter 331.

An act to incorporate the Bethel Boom Company.

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

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Authorized to maintain a boom.

SECT. 1. A. H. Gerrish, William Gerrish, junior, and George S. Hammond, and their associates, are hereby constituted a corporation by the name of the Bethel Boom Company, with the powers and duties of similar corporations, and with authority to hold estate real and personal sufficient for carrying out the powers herein granted.

SECT. 2. The company is authorized to maintain a boom in Bethel, extending from a pier to be erected in the northerly