

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1857.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1857.

CHAP. 2.**Chapter 2.**

An act to extend the time for the Waldo Mills Company to build their dam across Goose river.

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

Time extended
five years.

That the Waldo Mills Company, incorporated April ninth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, be, and are hereby allowed a further time of five years from the approval of this act, to build and complete their dam across Goose river, in the city of Belfast.

[Approved February 13, 1857.]

Chapter 3.

An act to make valid the doings of school district number one, in Madawaska plantation, in the county of Aroostook.

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

Certain acts
made valid.

That the doings of school district number one, in Madawaska plantation, in the county of Aroostook, at their school district meeting, holden at the dwelling-house of Amable Thibodeaux, in said district, on the twenty-second day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, are hereby declared valid, and all acts of the officers of said school district, in assessing and collecting the moneys voted at said meeting, are hereby ratified and confirmed; *provided, however,* that nothing herein contained shall affect any action now pending, touching the validity of the doings of said meeting.

Proviso.

[Approved February 16, 1857.]

Chapter 4.

An act additional to an act to incorporate the Banger House Proprietary.

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

Authorized to
sell property of
corporation.

That the said corporation, at any meeting or meetings of the stockholders, duly called for that purpose, may provide for and authorize, by vote of the majority of stock, the sale and conveyance of the property of said corporation, or any parts or parcels of the same, on such terms and conditions, and in such manner as the

stockholders may, by their vote or votes aforesaid, determine. And a conveyance or conveyances, made in pursuance of such vote or votes, shall be valid and effectual to pass any property therein described, held by said corporation, whether the same were acquired by virtue of the act to which this is additional, or of any acts additional thereto, heretofore passed.

CHAP. 5.

Conveyance shall be valid.

[Approved February 16, 1857.]

Chapter 5.

An act enlarging the powers of constables in the city of Calais.

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

SECT. 1. Any constable of the city of Calais may serve within its limits any civil process, wherein the damages sued for or recovered shall not exceed six hundred dollars, including those in which said city is a party; *provided, however,* that he shall first give to the treasurer thereof a bond, with sureties, in the penal sum of three thousand dollars, to be approved, in writing, on the back of said bond, by the mayor and aldermen. For every process served by him, before its approval, he shall forfeit not less than one hundred, nor more than five hundred dollars, to be recovered in an action of debt, to the use of any person who may sue therefor. Any person suffering through his default, or misdoings, may have the same remedies on his bond as are provided in respect to sheriffs' bonds, and shall be subject to the same liability for the payment of costs.

Constables, powers of, enlarged.

Proviso.

Bond, \$3,000.

—how approved.

Forfeiture.

Remedies for default.

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

[Approved February 19, 1857.]

Chapter 6.

An act relating to the municipal court of the city of Biddeford.

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

SECT. 1. The act entitled "An act further defining the jurisdiction and powers of the municipal court of the city of Biddeford," approved April first, eighteen hundred fifty-six, and an act additional to the same, approved April ninth, eighteen hundred fifty-six,

Certain acts repealed.