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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1858.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

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**CHAP. 237.** company shall have a lien on each and all of said logs, masts, spars, timber, rafts of boards, and all other lumber, materials and other property aforesaid; and may detain all the same under their control until the toll is paid; and in case of a refusal or neglect to pay said toll for the space of ten days after demand and after the same are driven into the booms, said corporation may sell at public vendue, so many and much of the same as will raise the amount due and demanded, and all the cost and expense incurred concerning the same, after posting written notices thereof in two public places in Phillips and Farmington in the county of Franklin, at least seven days before the day of said sale, stating the marks of the logs, masts, spars, timber, rafts of boards and other materials or property to be sold, the amount claimed and the place, day and hour of sale; and in case the owner or owners are unknown to said corporation, or do not reside in the county of Franklin, the same may be sold without demand being made, by posting notices as aforesaid, fourteen days at least before the day of sale, and publishing notices as aforesaid two weeks at least, in some newspaper published in said county of Franklin; or said corporation may have and maintain an action on the case against the owner or owners, for the amount due for toll, in any court of competent jurisdiction to try the same.

Lien.

In case of refusal to pay toll.

—may sell at public vendue.

—notices.

—if owners not known.

—how sold.

Prize logs, how disposed of, &amp;c.

Capital stock, \$10,000 Shares.

May hold real and personal property.

SECT. 4. Said corporation may sell the prize logs which may be taken in said river or branches, and appropriate the proceeds to defray the expenses of said company.

SECT. 5. The capital stock of said corporation shall be ten thousand dollars, and shall be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and said corporation may hold and possess, or sell and dispose of real or personal property.

[Approved March 26, 1858.]

## Chapter 237.

An act to incorporate the Bangor Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Franklin Muzzy, George Stetson, F. M. Sabine, Reuben S. Prescott, Samuel H. Dale, G. K. Jewett, Samuel P. Strickland, Aaron A. Wing and Joseph Wheelwright, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated as the Bangor Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for the purpose of insuring prop-

Corporate name.

erty, personal and real, against loss by fire, with all the rights, powers and obligations conferred on similar corporations by the general laws of the state; *provided*, that if said company, at any time, fails to take the risks usually taken by stock companies, the charter shall cease and may be declared null and void by the supreme court on application to it by petition, with such notice to the company as the court may order.

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Rights, powers, &c.  
Proviso.

SECT. 2. No policy shall be issued by said company until application for insurance shall be made by, at least, seventy-five persons.

Policies, when issued.

[Approved March 26, 1858.]

### Chapter 238.

An act to repeal the act incorporating the town of Elliottsville.

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

SECT. 1. The act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Elliottsville, approved February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, is hereby repealed; *provided however*, that the corporate existence, powers, duties and liabilities of said town shall survive for the purpose of prosecuting and defending all pending suits and causes of suits to which said town is or may be a party, and all needful processes growing out of the same, and for the further purpose of providing for the payment of all or any judgments, which may be recovered against such town.

Town of Elliottsville, incorporation of, repealed.  
Proviso.

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

[Approved March 26, 1858.]

### Chapter 239.

An act to change the names of certain persons.

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

SECT. 1. David Wasgatt, second, of Mount Desert, shall be allowed to take the name of David Perry Wasgatt; Abbie C. Smith, of Exeter, shall be allowed to take the name of Abbie C. Oak.

Names changed.