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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1862.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 114.

An act authorizing the United States to hold certain territory at the mouth of the Kennebec river, in the county of Sagadahoc, for a fort, and providing for the mode of ascertaining and paying compensation to the owners thereof.

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

SECTION 1. The United States may hold forever for the erection and maintaining of a fort thereupon, certain territory situated at Hunnewell's point, at the mouth of the Kennebec river, in the town of Phipsburg, within the county of Sagadahoc, included within the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the limits of the land of the United States on Adkins bay at low water; thence running by low water westerly to a point fourteen rods west of the old wharf; thence south, thirty-one degrees east, three hundred and fourteen feet to a point abreast of, and seven rods from, the first ledge of rocks; thence southerly six degrees east, to high water mark, on land owned by George Irvin; thence by high water mark to Larcy's rock; thence easterly by said rock to low water mark; thence by low water mark to land owned by the United States; thence by said land to the place of beginning, and containing five and a quarter acres, with all the buildings, structures and improvements of every kind situated thereon; reserving such jurisdiction as the state has in other places within the same, ceded to, or held by the United States for similar purposes; *provided* that the United States shall pay to the owners of said estate such compensation as shall be ascertained in the manner prescribed by this act as hereinafter provided.

United States
may hold cer-
tain territory.

Boundaries.

Proviso.

CHAP. 115.

County commissioners to estimate the compensation to owners.

SECT. 2. The county commissioners for the said county of Sagadahoc, after notice eight days already given, or that may hereafter be given of the time and place of their meeting for such purpose, which said notice shall be published in two public newspapers printed in said county, and posted up in three public places in the town where said territory is situated, may and shall proceed forthwith to estimate the compensation for the estate held for the purpose herein provided to be paid by the United States to the owner or owners thereof.

In case owner of estate is unknown.

SECT. 3. In case any owner of said estate so held as aforesaid is unknown, or is a minor, idiot, lunatic or insane person not under guardianship, or is absent from the state, not having an agent or attorney within the state, the compensation awarded by said commissioners for the share of said estate belonging to such person, shall be paid to the treasurer of the state of Maine, to be held by him and his successor in office, in trust for, and to be repaid to such owner when ascertained, to the lawful guardian of such incompetent person, or to the lawful agent or attorney of such absent person, on demand.

—compensation to be paid to the treasurer of state.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved January 9, 1862.]

Chapter 115.

An act additional to "an act to increase the capital stock of the International Bank."

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

Increased capital stock, time of for paying in extended.

SECT. 1. A further time of one year from the first day of April next, is hereby allowed for paying in the last half of the increased capital stock of the International Bank, authorized by an act passed on the first day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one, with such privileges and under such limitations, in all other respects, as are provided by said act.

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

[Approved January 17, 1862.]