

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1864.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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SECT. 2. The capital stock of said association shall be fifty thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, with power to increase said capital stock by a vote of a majority of its members to one hundred thousand dollars; and said association shall have power to appoint and maintain agents for the management of its affairs in this country and in Europe, and all contracts made by said agents in any foreign country shall be held as valid and binding in this state.

CHAP. 356.

Capital stock
\$50,000.
Shares.

May appoint
agents.

—contracts of,
made valid,
&c., in this
state.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of said association may be called by any three persons named in the first section of this act, by public notice thereof in any newspaper printed in each of the cities of Portland and Bangor, stating the time and place of said meeting.

First meeting,
how called.

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

Approved March 10, 1864.

Chapter 356.

An act to change the name of certain persons.

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

SECT. 1. Samuel W. Royal, Martha G. Royal, of Hampden, shall be allowed to take the name of Weller P. Anderson and Lizzie G. Anderson; Mary Chase Patten of Blanchard, shall be allowed to take the name of Mary Elizabeth Leslie; Elizabeth A. Brawn of Bradley, shall be allowed to take the name of Elizabeth A. Lenfest; Walter Brown of Albion, shall be allowed to take the name of Walter Morrison; Alpha M. Varnum of Bucksport, shall be allowed to take the name of Viola M. Harriman; Sophrona M. Cushman of Hebron, shall be allowed to take the name of Sophrona M. Bonney; Alvah Gibson of Farmington, shall be allowed to take the name of Charles Alvah Morrill; Benjamin Cox of Hebron, shall be allowed to take the name of Benjamin Watson; Laurinda Geer of Lewiston, shall be allowed to take the name of Laurinda Stevens; Margaret G. Jones and Nettie M. Jones of Jefferson, shall be allowed to take the name of Margaret G. Weeks and Nettie M. Weeks; Cornelius T. S. B. Pride of Westbrook, shall be allowed to take the name of Cornelius B. Pride; Caroline Barbara Annie Coffin of Vassalborough, shall be allowed to take the name of Caroline Annie Coffin; Nathaniel B. Hoar, John L. Hoar, John T. Hoar, Isaac E. Hoar, Dorcas Hoar, Geneva E. Hoar, all of Rangely, shall be allowed to take the names respectively of Nathaniel B. Nile, John L. Nile, John T. Nile, Isaac E. Nile, Dorcas Nile and Geneva

Names
changed.

CHAP. 357. E. Nile; James Franklin Mathews of Boothbay, shall be allowed to take the name of James Elbridge Mathews.

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

Approved March 14, 1864.

Chapter 357.

An act authorizing the reassessment of certain taxes in the town of Alton.

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

Authorized to reassess certain taxes.

SECT. 1. The assessors of the town of Alton, in the county of Penobscot, are hereby authorized to reassess upon the real estates of non-resident owners situate in said town, set forth in the advertisements of the treasurer of said town, published in the Kennebec Journal on the sixteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty-three, the several taxes named and set against each lot in said advertisements according to the valuation therein named, the same being the taxes assessed on said lots for the years of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one and one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two and now remaining unpaid, the right to enforce the collection of said taxes having been lost by the same not having been seasonably advertised as the law requires.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 14, 1864.

Chapter 358.

An act to amend chapter two hundred fifty-three of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, entitled an act in reference to the claims of Miles Wilson upon the county of Penobscot.

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

Chap. 253, sec. 2, laws of 1863, amended.
Proviso.

Section two of said act is hereby amended by adding thereto as follows: *Provided however, that if said road shall not have been legally laid out and accepted by the town of Howland and to the acceptance of the county commissioners of the county of Penobscot, by the first day of December, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty-four, then this act is null and void, and the original laying out of said road by the county commissioners and their contracts for*