

ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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May raise dam at Augusta to

certain height.

Rights and powers as to

use and disposal of water power.

Damages for flowage, how

ascertained, recovered, &c.

CHAP. 170. made to the person driving the logs, for the expense of driving them from said booms to the place where the said company take charge of them as aforesaid.

Approved January 19, 1867.

Chapter 170.

An act additional to an act to incorporate the Kennebec Company.

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

Sect. 1. The Kennebec Company, their successors and assigns, are hereby authorized to raise and maintain the dam across the Kennebec river in Augusta to a height not exceeding seventeen feet above common high water mark, and to flow the water of the said river and its tributaries by a dam raised to the height aforesaid; and they may occupy, use and enjoy the water power thus created, either upon the said dam, or in basins, canals or collateral sluices, or they may sell or lease the said water power, or any part thereof, and their franchises, or any of them; and all damages for flowage herein authorized shall be ascertained, secured and recovered in the manner pointed out in chapter ninety-two of the revised statutes; subject, however, to such modification, amendment or alteration of the provisions of the chapter aforesaid as have been, or may be hereafter, made.

Capital.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of the said company may be increased to three millions of dollars.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

Approved January 22, 1867.

Chapter 171.

An act to incorporate the Pictou Mining Company.

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

SECT. 1. F. Ellershausen, S. R. Jackson and J. L. Hodsdon, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Pictou Mining Company, with power to adopt a common seal, to sue and be sued, to acquire and hold real and personal estate and to lease, sell and convey, or otherwise dispose of the same, to adopt a code of by-laws not in-

Corporators.

Name, powers, æc.

consistent with the laws of this state, and to do and perform such CHAP. 172. other acts and things as may be necessary for the successful prosecution of the business of said corporation.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said corporation shall consist of Capital. seventy-five thousand shares of the par value of ten dollars for each share.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of said corporation for the choice of Organization. officers may be called to be held at Augusta, by the three persons named in this act, by publishing notice thereof in the state paper, published at Augusta, and the Boston Journal, published in Boston, three times, the last publication to be at least ten days before the day of said meeting; and until such officers are thus chosen, Government. the powers of said corporation may be exercised by the three persons above named, who may, for the time being, act as directors of said company, and a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Sect. 4. This act shall be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

Approved January 22, 1867.

Chapter 172.

An act to legalize the doings of the town of Skowhegan, at town meetings held on the twenty-fourth day of March, and on the eleventh day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

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

SECT. 1. The doings of the town of Skowhegan, at a town meet- Doings of town ing held on the twenty-fourth day of March, in the year of our relating to Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, in relation to a and hotel, made building proposed to be erected by the Skowhegan Hall Associa- valid. tion; also the doings of the same town at a town meeting held on the eleventh day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, in relation to a hotel establishment, are hereby made valid.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

Approved January 22, 1867.

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