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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1867.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1867.

CHAP. 228. **SECT. 3.** This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

Approved February 6, 1867.

Chapter 228.

An act additional to "an act additional to an act to incorporate the city of Bangor."

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

Sect. 4, chap. 595, special laws 1852, amended.

Fee of harbor master established.

Proviso as to same.

Penalty for non-payment of fee and how recoverable.

Section four of chapter five hundred ninety-five of the special laws of Maine, approved the seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, entitled "an act additional to an act to incorporate the city of Bangor," be and is hereby amended by striking out the word "fifty" in the third line of said section, and inserting instead thereof, the word *thirty*, so that said section, when amended, shall read as follows:—The harbor master shall be entitled to demand and receive from the master or owners of any vessel exceeding the burthen of thirty tons, which shall arrive at the harbor of Bangor, a fee not exceeding the sum of one dollar, to be established by the city council; *provided however*, that no owners or master of a vessel shall be liable to pay such fee for their vessel more than once during the same year. And if the master or owners of such vessel shall neglect or refuse to pay such fee on demand therefor, he or they shall be liable to a penalty, not however exceeding twenty dollars, to be recovered on complaint by the harbor master before the police court of said city.

Approved February 6, 1867.

Chapter 229.

An act additional to "an act to incorporate the Ticonic Water Power and Manufacturing Company," approved February seventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

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

Capital.

SECT. 1. The Ticonic Water Power and Manufacturing Company may purchase and hold estate, real and personal, to an amount not exceeding in all two millions of dollars.

Dams and location.

SECT. 2. In addition to the dam authorized by the original charter, said company may erect and maintain, on its own land, a dam across the Kennebec river in Waterville and Winslow, at or near the College Rips, so called, and at either or both of said dams may carry on the kinds of business mentioned in said charter; *provided*

they shall, at all times, maintain and keep in repair in said dams, a safe and convenient sluice for running boards, logs and other lumber down said river ; and the damages to any person caused by the flowage of either of said dams, shall be ascertained, secured and recovered in the manner provided in chapter ninety-two of the revised statutes, subject to any alterations of the same that have been, or may be made.

CHAP. 230.
Sluices,
flowage, &c.

SECT. 3. Said company may construct, repair, and forever maintain any canals or sluices necessary for the use and development of their water power on either or both sides of the river, to draw water therein to propel machinery ; the canal on the eastern side to extend from either of said dams southerly not below the mouth of the Sebasticook ; and that on the westerly side from either of said dams southerly not below Leeman's Island ; and said company may enter upon, take, hold and use such land as may be necessary for constructing and maintaining the canals and sluices aforesaid ; and the damages to any person for the land so taken and used, shall be ascertained, secured, collected and paid in the manner provided in chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes, subject to any alterations thereof that have been or may be made ; and in case of a failure to pay said damages, the owner may maintain an action of trespass, or have any other remedy provided in said chapter.

Canals.

Land damages.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

Approved February 7, 1867.

Chapter 230.

An act to make valid the doings of the town of Frankfort.

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

SECT. 1. All acts and proceedings authorized by law which have been done by the inhabitants of Frankfort at either of the annual meetings of said town in the years eighteen hundred and sixty, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, eighteen hundred and sixty-five and eighteen hundred and sixty-six, shall be as valid and effectual as if all the preliminary forms and requirements of law relating thereto, including posting, return, and record of warrants, the administration of oaths to town officers and record thereof, had been fully complied with, and the records of said town are hereby made legal evidence of its doings at either of said meetings ; but nothing contained in this act shall

Doings at
certain meet-
ings and records
thereof made
valid.