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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.

Снар. 325.

Chapter 325.

An act to protect the rights of Indians of the Penobscot tribe to certain islands.

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

Penobscot Boom Corporation liable in action of trespass for damage to grass or crops on island within limits of Penobscot Boom. Sect. 1. Whenever any damage is done, directly or indirectly, to the grass or crops on any island within the limits of the Penobscot Boom, which has been duly assigned to any of the Penobscot tribe of Indians, or is in the occupancy of any of said Indians, or whenever any other damage is done to the land of any such island, directly or indirectly, by any act of the Penobscot Boom Corporation, which said corporation is not authorized by law to do, the party so injured may maintain an action of trespass therefor against said corporation in any court proper to try the same, to the same extent as though the fee were in the plaintiff or plaintiffs; provided compensation for such damage has, previous to the commencement of the action, been demanded by the agent of said tribe of the treasurer of said corporation, and payment been neglected or refused for the term of fifteen days.

Proviso.

Indian agent authorized to prosecute in name of party injured. SECT. 2. The agent aforesaid is hereby authorized to commence and prosecute to final judgment the action provided for in the preceding section, in the name of the party or parties injured as aforesaid.

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

Approved February 21, 1867.

Chapter 326.

An act to make valid the doings of the town of Milo, in voting to exempt certain property in said town from taxation for the term of ten years.

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

Doings at town meeting in exempting certain capital from taxation, made valid. Sect. 1. That the doings of the town of Milo are hereby confirmed and made valid in passing a vote, at a legal meeting of the inhabitants of said town, held on the twenty-second day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, exempting capital invested subsequent to that time in building mills for manufacturing purposes, for the term of ten years, and also the vote passed instructing their selectmen to cause the same to be advertised in three different papers printed in this state, is hereby made valid and binding upon the inhabitants of said town.

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

Approved February 21, 1867.