

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1868.

CHAP. 455.

Chapter 455.

An act to extend the corporate powers of the president, directors and company of the Waterville Bank.

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

Powers
extended to
Jan. 4, 1870.

Purpose.

Pending suits
not affected.

SECT. 1. The corporate powers of the president, directors and company of the Waterville Bank at Waterville are hereby extended and continued until the fourth day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy, for the purpose of collecting the debts due said bank, for selling and conveying its property, and for making a distribution of the proceeds thereof among its stockholders, and for no other purpose whatever. No suit pending in court at the time of the expiration of said charter, or instituted since, shall be affected or prejudiced thereby.

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

Approved February 6, 1868.

Chapter 456.

An act to amend section one of chapter three hundred and ninety-five of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

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

How amended.

Section one of chapter three hundred and ninety-five of the private and special acts of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, is hereby amended, by inserting after the words "the Bangor and Piscataquis Railroad Company," the words 'and also the 'Portland and Rochester Railroad Company.'

Approved February 6, 1868.

Chapter 457.

An act to incorporate the Maine Slate Company.

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

Corporators.

Powers, &c.

SECT. 1. Jeremiah B. Knowlton, Daniel V. B. Ormsby and Samuel Belcher, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby incorporated a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Maine Slate Company, with all the powers and privileges, and

subject to all the liabilities and duties, incident to manufacturing corporations by the laws of this state. CHAP. 458.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized and empowered to carry on the business of mining and working slate, paying and other stones, in the town of Strong, in the county of Franklin, and also to engage in such branches of trade and merchandize as may be necessary or convenient in connection with said business, and may purchase and hold for such purposes, real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars.

SECT. 3. The shares of said company shall be of such number as the directors may determine, the par value of the whole number not to exceed the aggregate sum of two hundred thousand dollars.

SECT. 4. Jeremiah B. Knowlton is hereby authorized to call the first meeting of the corporators, at Farmington or Augusta, Maine, by giving to each of the others a written notice of the same, fourteen days before such meeting.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 6, 1868.

Chapter 458.

An act granting to the towns of Buoksport and Verona the right to fish with seines along the bridge connecting said towns.

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

SECT. 1. The towns of Buoksport and Verona, in the county of Hancock, are hereby granted the exclusive right to fish with seines in the thoroughfare of Penobscot river where the bridge connecting said towns now is ; said right to include the space of ten feet above and ten feet below said bridge, and may lease the same upon such terms as the municipal officers of said towns may determine ; *provided however*, that no lease thereof shall be for a longer term than one year ; *provided further*, that this act may be repealed, altered or amended, at the pleasure of the legislature.

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

Approved February 7, 1868.