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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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## CHAP. 459.

## Chapter 459.

An act to authorize the city of Bangor to lay out and extend Exchange street, in said city, to low-water mark in Penobscot river.

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

Limits.

SECT. 1. The city of Bangor is hereby authorized and empowered to lay out, establish, make and maintain a street or public way, from the present southerly terminus of Exchange street, in said city, to low-water mark in Penobscot river, not exceeding sixty-eight feet in width; *provided* said street shall not be laid out over and across the track of the European and North American Railway Company, without the consent of said company.

Proviso as to crossing track of E. & N. A. R.

Duties of city council.

SECT. 2. The city council of said city, before laying out and establishing said street, shall give the same notice that is required by law in laying out other streets in said city, and shall estimate damages, if any, sustained by any person by said laying out, and apportion and assess benefits in conformity with the city charter and acts in addition thereto, and with the provisions of chapter eighteen of the revised statutes.

Damages, how estimated and assessed.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 7, 1868.

## Chapter 460.

An act to incorporate the Appleton Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. C. M. Jameson, Andrew Burkett, Lafayette Fuller, Andrew H. Wentworth, T. A. Wentworth, George Smith, and all others who may hereafter become members of said company in manner herein prescribed, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic, by the name of the Appleton Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for the purpose of insuring dwelling-houses, stores, shops, barns, and other buildings, household furniture, merchandize and other property, the contents of any building, against loss or damage by fire, whether the same happen by accident, lightning, or any other means excepting that of design in the insured, and may purchase and hold such real and personal estate as may be necessary to effect the object of this association, and may sell and convey the same at pleasure.

Purpose.

Corporate property.

By-laws.

SECT. 2. They may make, establish, and put in execution such by-laws, not contrary to the laws of the state, as may seem neces-

sary and convenient for the regulation and management of their affairs, and do and execute all such acts as may be necessary to carry into effect the purposes intended by this act. CHAP. 461.

SECT. 3. The first meeting may be called by any three persons named in this act, by posting up in three public and conspicuous places in that town notice of the time, place, and business to be acted upon, at least ten days before such meeting, at which time and place the members present may elect all needful officers, fix their compensation, and manage their affairs in any manner not repugnant to the general laws of this state relating to such companies. Organization.

SECT. 4. No policy shall be issued by said company until application for insurance shall have been made to the amount of twenty thousand dollars. Restriction in issue of policies.

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

Approved February 7, 1868.

### Chapter 461.

An act to regulate the taking of trout and pickerel in Wilson pond, in the town of Auburn.

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

SECT. 1. No person shall take or destroy any trout or pickerel in Wilson pond, in the town of Auburn, its tributaries and outlets, within the limits of this state, except by the ordinary process of angling, with single baited hook and line or artificial fly. Taking of trout and pickerel, except by hook and line, prohibited.

SECT. 2. Whoever sets any net, seine, weir, or trawl, or uses any grapnel or spear in the aforesaid waters, for the purpose of taking or destroying trout or pickerel, shall forfeit for each offence ten dollars, and whoever takes or destroys any trout or pickerel therewith shall forfeit five dollars for each fish so taken or destroyed. Penalties for taking fish by other means than foregoing.

SECT. 3. All nets, seines, weirs or trawls, set in said waters contrary to the provisions of this act, shall be forfeited to any person seizing the same, and no action shall be maintained in any court in this state against any person or persons for the recovery of damages for the taking or destruction thereof. Unlawful implements for fishing subject to seizure.

SECT. 4. The penalties and forfeitures provided for in this act may be recovered and appropriated as in section fifty-one, chapter forty, of the revised statutes. Penalties and forfeitures, how recovered.

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

Approved February 7, 1868.