

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.

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Chapter 544.

CHAP. 544.

An act to amend chapter eighty-six of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-six, relating to Somerset Railroad.

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

SECT. 1. Chapter eighty-six of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-six is hereby amended, by striking out the words "to Anson village," so that said chapter shall read as follows :

'The provisions of an act of the legislature of Maine, approved March nineteenth, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty, entitled an act to incorporate the Somerset Railroad Company, are hereby revived, renewed and extended, so that said company may avail themselves of said act; *provided* the said corporation shall have been organized, and the location, according to actual survey, filed, as stipulated in said act, on or before the first day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy, and said road completed to Carratunk falls, on or before the first day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two.'

SECT. 2. This corporation is hereby authorized, by majority vote of its stockholders at a legal meeting, to lease, sell and transfer to any other railroad corporation in this state, all rights, privileges and franchises, and all property, real, personal and mixed, acquired by virtue of the act of incorporation of said company, or any act amendatory thereof; and such railroad company is hereby authorized to take, by lease or purchase, the rights, franchises and property of said Somerset Railroad Corporation, and may enter into any contract for operating the line of said railroad corporation, and to subscribe to the stock of said Somerset Railroad Company.

Approved February 20, 1868.

Chapter 545.

An act to incorporate the Gray Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

SECT. 1. Warren H. Vinton, Thomas Hancock, Jacob Clark, James Small, Thomas Skillings, William Elder, Simeon Skillings, Nathan Doughty, Jabez M. Latham, John W. Webster, John Merrill, Jr., Hezekiah Whitney, G. T. Merrill, George Perley, John Mayall, and all others who may hereafter become members of said company in the manner herein prescribed, are hereby incorpo-

CHAP. 546.	rated and made a body politic, by the name of the Gray Mutual
Name and location.	Fire Insurance Company, for the purpose of insuring in the town of Gray only, their respective dwelling houses, stores, shops, barns and other buildings, household furniture and merchandise, against
Purpose, &c.	loss or damage by fire, whether the same happen by accident, lightning, or by 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 their association, and may sell and convey the same at pleasure.
By-laws and regulations.	SECT. 2. Said company may make, establish and put in execution such by-laws, not contrary to the laws of the state, as may seem necessary or 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.
Organization.	SECT. 3. The first meeting may be called by any three persons named in this act, by posting up in four public and conspicuous places in said town of Gray, notice of the time and place, 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 own affairs in any way not repugnant to the general laws of this state relating to such companies.

Approved February 20, 1868.

Chapter 546.

An act to incorporate the Boothbay Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

Corporators.	SECT. 1. Benjamin Reed, John McClintock, Parker Wilson, Cyrus McKown, Joshua R. Trevett, 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
Name and purpose.	the Boothbay Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for the purpose of insuring dwelling-houses, stores, shops, barns and other buildings, household furniture, merchandise 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.
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 necessary or convenient for the regulation and management of their