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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1869.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820, February 26, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

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Sect. 6. The number of corporate members of the Cornish Chap. 144. Savings Bank shall not be less than ten nor more than twenty, Number of memand such corporation, at any legal meeting, may establish by-laws Members removproviding that members removing from the state or failing to attend the annual meetings for two successive years, unless excused by said corporation, shall cease to be members thereof.

bers limited. &c., shall cease to be members

This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 22, 1869.

Chapter 144.

An act to incorporate the Sebois Dam Company.

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

Sect. 1. Isaac M. Bragg, Ebenezer Webster and William E. Corporators. Mann, their associates, successors and assigns are constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Sebois Dam Com- Corporate name. pany, with all the privileges, powers and liabilities of similar Powers and corporations.

Said company are authorized to improve the naviga- May improve Sect. 2. tion of the Sebois waters, between township A, in eighth and ninth waters. ranges, W. E. L. S., and the Piscataquis river by deepening the channels, removing obstructions, erecting booms and piers and building dams necessary for the purpose of facilitating the driving Purpose. of logs and timber, and for that purpose to do whatever may be necessary in and upon said waters and the bed, shores and banks thereof to accomplish the object aforesaid.

Said company may demand and receive a toll of twelve Toll. cents per thousand feet, woods scale, for all logs which may be driven over the dam to be built as aforesaid, at or near the outlet of Trout lake, and they shall have a lien on all said logs and timber Lien. for the payment of said toll. And if said toll is not paid within ten days after a major part of the logs come out of Penobscot boom, then the company may take and sell enough of said logs and May sell logs and timber to pay such toll and all necessary charges, notice in writ- and charges, ing of such sale to be given to the owners of said logs, if how given. known, and of the time and place thereof, seven days at least before the day of sale, such notice to be also published in one of the Bangor daily papers at least seven days before the day of sale, any surplus in such case to be paid to the owner, when ascertained.

Either of the corporators may give notice of the first First meeting. Sect. 4.

CHAP. 145. meeting and the time and place of its being held, by giving a written notice to each.

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

Approved February 22, 1869.

Chapter 145.

An act to incorporate the Wilton Village Corporation.

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

Boundaries

SECT. 1. The territory in the town of Wilton, comprising all of school district number nine, excepting the farms now owned and occupied by James E. York and Justin E. Hodgkins, and the territory on the following described roads leading from Wilton village, viz: All on the road leading to Farmington, northerly of the estate of H. D. Marble; all on the road leading to Wilton railroad depot easterly of Charles Bartlet's mills; all on the old road leading to Jay, southwesterly from Moody K. Lake's estate, and all on the road leading to East Dixfield, westerly of Charles Lufkin's estate, and all of said territory not herein exempted, together with the inhabitants thereon, is hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Wilton Village Corporation, with all the rights and privileges provided by the general laws of the state relating to corporations.

Corporate name.
Rights and privileges.

Power and purpose.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized and vested with power at any legal meeting called for the purpose, to raise money to defray the expenses of a police and all other necessary regulations for the better security of property and the promotion of good order and quiet within its limits; for the purchase of one or more engines and all other apparatus for the extinguishment of fires; for the construction of reservoirs and aqueducts to supply water, for the erection of suitable engine houses, and for organizing and maintaining an efficient fire department.

Taxes and valuation.

Sect. 3. Any money raised by said corporation for the purposes aforesaid, shall be assessed upon the property and polls within the territory aforesaid by the assessors of said corporation in the same manner as is by law provided for the assessment of town taxes, and said assessors may copy the last valuation of said property by the assessors of the town of Wilton and assess the tax thereon; or if the corporation shall so direct may correct said valuation or make a new valuation thereof, according to the principles established by the last state tax, and assess the tax on that valuation.