

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1869.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1869.

CHAP. 190.**Chapter 190.**

An act to change the name of Esther M. Fish.

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

Name changed.

From and after the approval of this act, Esther M. Fish of Fairfield, shall be allowed to take the name of Etta M. Nowell.

Approved March 1, 1869.

Chapter 191.

An act to supply the people of Bangor with pure water.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Thomas Mason, Solomon Parsons, Henry A. Wood, James Dunning, J. S. Rowe, John Lane, J. W. Palmer, S. F. Hersey, W. H. Bishop, with their associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation, by the name of the Bangor Water Company, for the purpose of conveying to the city of Bangor a supply of pure water for domestic and municipal purposes, including the extinguishment of fires and the supply of shipping.

Corporate name and purpose.

May hold real and personal estate.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may hold real and personal estate necessary and convenient for the purpose aforesaid, not exceeding in amount six hundred thousand dollars.

Powers.

SECT. 3. Said corporation is hereby authorized for the purpose aforesaid, to take and hold the water of Hat Case pond, so called, in the town of Dedham, and the streams tributary thereto in said town, and may also take and hold, by purchase or otherwise, any land or real estate necessary for erecting dams and reservoirs, and for laying and maintaining aqueducts for conducting, discharging, distributing and disposing of water, and for forming reservoirs thereof.

Liabilities for land damages, flowage, &c.

SECT. 4. Said corporation shall be liable to pay all damages that shall be sustained by any persons in their property, by the taking of any land or mill privilege, or by flowing or excavating through any land for the purpose of laying down pipes, building dams, or constructing reservoirs; and if any person sustaining damage as aforesaid and said corporation shall not mutually agree upon the sum to be paid therefor, such person may cause his damages to be ascertained in the same manner and under the same conditions, restrictions and limitations, as are by law prescribed in the case of damages by the laying out of highways.

Capital stock and shares, how applied.

SECT. 5. The capital stock of said company shall not exceed six hundred thousand dollars, and shall be divided into shares of