

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1870.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 334. the city public buildings and the custody and management of all city property, with power to let or sell what may be legally let or sold, and to purchase in the name of the city such real or personal property not exceeding the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, including the property now owned by the town, as they may deem of public utility. And the city council shall as often as once a year cause to be published for the information of the inhabitants an account of receipts and expenditures and a schedule of the city property, and no money shall be paid from the city treasury unless the same be appropriated by the city council and upon a warrant signed by the mayor, which warrant shall state the appropriation under which the same is drawn.'

They shall cause to be published an account of receipts and expenditures, and a schedule of city property.

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

Approved February 26, 1870.

Chapter 334.

An act to authorize Charles B. Sanford to build a wharf in the town of Winterport.

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

SECT. 1. Charles B. Sanford, his heirs, executors, successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to erect, build and maintain a wharf upon his own land in the town of Winterport, and extend the same into tide water.

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

Approved February 26, 1870.

Chapter 335.

An act to incorporate the Penobscot Valley Steamship Company.

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

SECT. 1. Samuel F. Hersey, William McGilvery, S. S. Lewis and Joseph P. Bass, their associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Penobscot Valley Steamship Company, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties, liabilities and restrictions set forth in the general laws of this state, which now are or may hereafter be in force and applicable to such corporations.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to build, purchase, charter, hold and convey one or more steam-

Authorized to build wharf.

Corporators.

Name.

Purposes, &c.

ships or propellers, and to navigate the ocean therewith, and employ the same in transporting freight and passengers between the city of Bangor, and Boston, Massachusetts, and any intermediate port or ports on Penobscot bay or river; and said company may let by charter, one or more of their steamships or propellers to any persons, *provided* such charter does not prevent said company from complying with the terms of this act.

SECT. 3. The capital stock of said corporation shall be fifty thousand dollars, with liberty to pay in and increase the same by adding thereto from time to time an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars, and shall be divided into shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each; said corporation shall have power to assess from time to time upon said shares such sums as may be deemed necessary to accomplish the object, not exceeding the par value of said shares. No certificates of stock shall be issued until the par value thereof shall have been actually paid in, and no steamship or propeller shall be run until at least thirty thousand dollars of its capital shall have been subscribed; the stockholders shall annually choose a board of directors, (not exceeding five in number,) president, treasurer, and clerk, and such other officers as they may deem expedient, all of which shall be stockholders, to manage the affairs of said corporation, and each share of one hundred dollars shall be entitled to one vote.

Capital stock.

—the same may be increased and divided into shares.

Assessments.

Certificates of stock, &c.

Directors and officers.

SECT. 4. Said corporation may hold real estate to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars.

May hold real estate.

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

Approved February 26, 1870.

Chapter 336.

An act for the preservation of fish in Ossipee lake and its tributaries.

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

SECT. 1. No person shall take any pickerel or other fish from Ossipee lake, in the town of Waterborough, or its tributaries, between the first day of November each year and the first day of the following June, during the term of five years, under a penalty of ten dollars for each fish so taken.

Pickerel and other fish in Ossipee lake, preservation of.

SECT. 2. The penalties imposed by this act may be recovered in an action of debt in the name of the person suing therefor, one-half of said fine to be paid to the person prosecuting and the other half to the town in which the offence is committed.

Penalties.

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

Approved February 26, 1870.