

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1872.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1872.

Chapter 90.

An act to authorize C. M. Holden and Lewis Freeman to extend their wharf at Bass harbor, Tremont.

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

Authorized to extend wharf.

SECT. 1. C. M. Holden and Lewis Freeman are hereby authorized to extend their wharf one hundred feet into tide waters at Bass harbor, in the town of Tremont.

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

Approved February 10, 1872.

Chapter 91.

An act to incorporate the Aroostook Steamboat Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. A. H. DeWitt, George H. Freeman, Sidney Cook and Nathan Perry, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby

Corporate name.

constituted a corporation under the name of the Aroostook Steam-

Purpose of.

boat Company, for the purpose of building, owning and running steamboats for the conveyance of passengers and merchandise and towing on the Aroostook river, in the county of Aroostook, from the east line of the state to the extreme head of steamboat navigation on said river, with power by that name to sue and be

Seal, powers and privileges.

sued, use a common seal, and have all the powers and privileges of corporations as defined by the laws of this state; said corporation to have the exclusive right to exercise the powers given it

Term, 25 years.

by this act for the term of twenty-five years from the date of its approval; *provided* said corporation shall commence running

Proviso.

steamboats within three years from said date of approval, and continue so doing during such time each year as shall be practicable and convenient; *and provided furthermore* that said corporation shall have no right to remove or otherwise interfere with the bridges which are now or hereafter may be built across said river.

No right to interfere with bridges.

Capital stock and right to increase the same.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized to hold capital stock to the amount of ten thousand dollars, with the right to increase the same at any time or from time to time, to twenty-five

Shares.

thousand dollars; said stock to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each; and said corporation is further authorized to

May purchase and hold real and personal property and sell the same.

purchase and hold such real and personal property as a majority of said stockholders may determine to be necessary and convenient to effect the objects and carry out the purposes of this corpo-

ration, and may sell and dispose of the same as they may deem expedient.

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SECT. 3. Any two of the persons named in this act may call the first meeting of said corporation by publishing the time and place one week in advance of said meeting in the Presque Isle Sunrise.

First meeting,
how called.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 13, 1872.

Chapter 92.

An act to make valid the doings of Hadley Fairfield as a justice of the peace and quorum.

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

SECT. 1. That the acts of Hadley Fairfield as a justice of the peace and of the quorum, within and for the county of Aroostook, from the ninth day of May, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, to the twenty-first day of October, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, are hereby made valid and as effectual to all intents and purposes as if said Hadley Fairfield had been legally commissioned and qualified to act in said capacity.

Certain acts
legalized.

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

Approved February 13, 1872.

Chapter 93.

An act in addition to chapter four hundred and twenty-five of the special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, in relation to holding meetings of corporations out of the state.

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

SECT. 1. The western transportation and mining company, the name of which corporation has been changed under the provisions of chapter one hundred and sixty-four of the general laws of eighteen hundred and seventy, to Lake Superior and Puget Sound Company, is authorized to hold meetings for the transaction of business beyond the limits of the state; and the organization and proceedings of said company under the names aforesaid are hereby made valid.

Authorized to
hold meetings
beyond limits of
the state.

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

Approved February 13, 1872.