

ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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WHARF .- FISH IN ST. CROIX RIVER .- AIR LINE STEAMSHIP CO.

Chapter 591.

An act to authorize Jared C. Nash and others to build a wharf in tide waters in the town of Addison.

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

SECT. 1. Jared C. Nash, Henry Nash, their heirs and assigns, Authorized to ex-tend wharf. are hereby authorized and empowered to maintain, build and extend a wharf along the front of their land in the town of Addison, commencing south of John B. Hall's wharf and extending towards the channel of the Branch stream, so called, as far as and on a line with said John B. Hall's wharf, and extending down said Branch stream two hundred and fifty feet into tide waters of Pleasant river, thence easterly by Pleasant river two hundred and seventy-five feet to J. C. Nash and company's eastern line.

Said wharf shall not interfere in any way with the Wharf not to ob SECT. 2. rights and privileges of the citizens of said Addison nor obstruct &c. the navigation of Pleasant river.

Approved February 28, 1874.

Chapter 592.

An act to extend the close-time for landlocked salmon, togue and trout, in the St. Croix river and its tributaries.

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

SECT. 1. The close-time in which it is unlawful to catch, take Protection of fish or kill any landlocked salmon, togue or trout, in the St. Croix time extended. river and its tributaries, is hereby extended from the fifteenth day of September to the first day of March, during the five years beginning with the fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

SECT. 2. The provisions of chapter forty of the revised statutes shall apply to all violations of this act.

Approved February 28, 1874.

Chapter 593.

An act to incorporate the Air Line Steamship Company.

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

SECT. 1. John H. McLarren, Seward B. Hume, C. B. Paine, Corporators. C. H. Hayden, J. W. Hinkley, George I. G. Rice, E. C. Pike, J.

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TOWN OF LITCHFIELD.

CHAP. 594. M. Livermore, S. D. Leavitt, C. C. Norton, W. C. Newcomb, G. G. Shead, A. H. Bibber, Simon Stevens and R. B. Clark, their associates, successors and assigns are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Air Line Steamship Company, for the purpose of carrying on the business of navigation by vessels propelled by steam or otherwise, to and from Eastport, or to and from any other port in America or Europe, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all duties and liabilities provided by the general laws of this state.

> SECT. 2. The capital stock of said corporation shall not be less than one thousand nor more than one hundred thousand shares of one hundred dollars each, and any person subscribing to said stock shall be personally liable to pay the assessments thereon, not exceeding one hundred dollars per share.

> SECT. 3. Any three persons named in this act may call the first meeting of said corporation, for the purpose of organizing the same, by giving notice thereof by publication in the Eastport Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Eastport, Maine, at least fourteen days before the appointed time of meeting.

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

Approved February 28, 1874.

Chapter 594.

An act to authorize the town of Litchfield to raise money for agricultural purposes.

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

The town of Litchfield, in the county of Kennebec, at . Sect. 1. its annual town meeting to be holden March, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, may, by a vote of two-thirds of the legal voters present and voting, raise a sum of money not exceeding four hundred dollars, for agricultural purposes, the same to be assessed. collected and paid into the town treasury in the same manner as other taxes.

SECT. 2. Said four hundred dollars shall be expended in defraying expenses already incurred in the erection of a building in which to hold agricultural exhibitions and which may accrue in the completion of said building. Said money to be drawn from the treasury only by order of the selectmen, which order shall be drawn in payment of bills properly vouched by a committee which shall have been duly elected by the town for the supervision of the expenditure of said four hundred dollars.

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

Approved February 28, 1874.

Authorized to raise money for agricultural purnoses.

Money, how expended.

-how drawn from the treasury.

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Corporate name.

Purpose of.

Capital stock. Shares.

First meeting, how called.