

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1875.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1875.

CHAP. 140.

May remove obstructions.

Dams.

Booms.

May take land.

Damages.

Toll.

Lien for toll.

SECT. 2. The said corporation is hereby authorized to clear out the Olamon stream from its head branches to the Penobscot river, from all obstructions to the driving of lumber, to erect and maintain, repair and raise dams thereon for the same purpose, and also to make suitable side booms, at all necessary places, all for the purpose of facilitating the driving and booming of logs and lumber on said stream, and they may take such land as may be necessary for the purposes of the dams aforesaid, and all damages from any cause, flowage or otherwise, shall pay damages therefor as provided in chapter ninety-two of the revised statutes.

SECT. 3. Said corporation may demand and receive a toll for the passage of logs or lumber over a dam which they may erect on said stream on or near lot number ten, range six, in the town of Greenfield, ten cents per thousand feet, board measure, woods scale, and for all logs and lumber which may pass over a dam which they may erect or repair or improve, on or near lot number eight, range six, in the town of Greenfield, a toll of ten cents per thousand feet, board measure, woods scale.

SECT. 4. Said company shall have a lien on all logs and lumber which may pass over said dams, for the payment of said tolls, and if said tolls are not paid within twenty days after the passage of the lumber over said dams, said corporation may sell so much of said lumber or logs as may be necessary to pay such tolls and charges, by first giving ten days' notice of the time and place of sale, in some newspaper printed in the city of Bangor.

SECT. 5. When the company has received from the tolls a sufficient sum to pay amount of such improvements and repairs, and interest thereon, then the tolls shall cease.

SECT. 6. The county commissioners of the county of Penobscot for the time being, shall, upon petition of any three of land owners or operators on said stream, audit said bills and costs of improvements for the purpose of this act.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 18, 1875.

Chapter 140.

An act to amend "an act abating a portion of the state tax of Waterville, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and assessing the same upon the town of West Waterville."

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

Section two of chapter four hundred and sixty-eight of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Ch. 468, special laws of 1874, amended.

relating to abating a portion of the state tax of Waterville for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and assessing the same upon the town of West Waterville, is hereby amended by inserting after the words "West Waterville," in the sixth line, the words 'for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-five,' and striking out the word "January," in said section two, and inserting the word 'July,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows :

'SECT. 2. The treasurer of state is hereby authorized and directed to send his warrant, directed to the assessors of West Waterville, in said county of Kennebec, requiring them to assess the said sum of two thousand eight hundred fifty-eight dollars and seventy-two cents, upon the polls and estates of said town of West Waterville, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and requiring the same to be collected and paid into the state treasury on or before the first day of July next, being for three-tenths of the state tax of Waterville, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-three, chargeable to the town of West Waterville by an act approved February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled "an act to incorporate the town of West Waterville."'

Warrant for
assessment of tax.

Tax, when to be
paid.

Approved February 18, 1876.

Chapter 141.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the Saint Augustine School for Boys at Topsham.

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

SECT. I. O. L. Billings, Warren Johnson, W. B. Purinton, Wilds P. Walker, Henry A. Neely, Fred S. Sill, Ira Merriman, C. J. Gilman and George E. B. Jackson, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated a body politic by the name of the Trustees of the Saint Augustine School for Boys, at Topsham, Maine, for the promotion of literature, science and morality.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby vested with all the rights, privileges and immunities incident to similar corporations; may use a common seal, prosecute and defend suits at law, make and establish by-laws and regulations for the management of its affairs and the ordering of said school, not repugnant to the laws of this state, and hold estate, real and personal, that it may receive by gift, grant or otherwise, the yearly net income of which shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars.

Rights and privi-
leges.

Seal.

By-laws.

May hold real
and personal
estate.