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Снар. 225.

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Chapter 225.

An aot authorizing Abraham C. Fernald and others to build and maintain a fish weir in tide waters between Bear island and Mount Desert.

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

SECT. 1. Abraham C. Fernald, James Clement, junior, Charles H. Clement, James Clement, second, and Amos Clement, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby authorized to construct and maintain a fish weir in the tide waters between Bear Island, in the town of Cranberry Isles, and Mount Desert, providing they do not interfere with or obstruct navigation.

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

Approved February 1, 1876.

Chapter 226.

An act for the protection of fish in Pushaw pond in the county of Penobscot, and the streams flowing into and out of said pond.

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

SECT. 1. All persons are forbidden to take fish of any description, in any manner, except by hook and line, from Pushaw pond, in the county of Penobscot, or from any of the brooks or streams flowing into or out of said pond; and any person so offending shall, on conviction, forfeit and pay a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, to be recovered by complaint before any trial justice in said county of Penobscot, one-half to the use of complainant, and the other half to the town where the offence is committed.

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

Approved February 1, 1876.

Chapter 227.

An act to incorporate the Home for Aged Men at Bangor.

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

SECT. 1. George W. Pickering, Joseph S. Wheelwright, William C. Crosby, Reuben S. Prescott, John L. Crosby, Albert Noyes, George W. Snow and Albert W. Paine, and their asso-

Fishing in Pushaw pond, except by hook and line, prohibited.

Penalty for violation and how recovered.

Corporators.

ciates and successors, are hereby incorporated by the name of the CHAP. 228. Home for Aged Men, for the purpose of providing a home for the aged men at Bangor, upon the same general principles and with similar objects as the home for aged women in said Bangor.

The said corporation may take, by purchase, devise SECT. 2. or otherwise, any real or personal property, and hold the same personal estate. for the purposes aforesaid, to any amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, and may manage and dispose of the same according to their discretion.

SECT. 3. The said corporation shall have power to prescribe the terms of admission for members, may elect such officers as they may deem necessary or expedient for the management of its affairs, not repugnant to the constitution and laws of this state or of the United States.

SECT. 4. The four corporators first above named are authorized First meeting. to call the first meeting of said corporation, at such place within the city of Bangor as they may choose, giving seven days' notice, at least, of said meeting, by publication in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier.

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

Approved February 1, 1876.

Chapter 228.

An aot to prohibit the taking of fish of any kind from the Adams pond, so called, and its main tributary in the town of Newfield

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

SECT. 1. All persons are forbidden to take fish of any kind, in any manner, from the Adams pond, so called, and its main tributary, below the highway leading from West to North Newfield, direct, in the town of Newfield, county of York, for the term of five years.

SECT. 2. If any person shall violate the provisions of this act, Penalty for he shall forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for each fish so taken, to be recovered by complaint before any trial justice in said county of York, one-half to the use of complainant, and the other to the use of the said town of Newfield.

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

Approved February 1, 1876.

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Taking of fish in Adams' pond prohibited for five years.

violation.