

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1878.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

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## CHAP. 17.

City marshal,  
deputy and  
policemen of  
Portland, how  
appointed.

‘SECT. 1. The city marshal, deputy marshals and policemen of the city of Portland, shall hereafter be appointed by the mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the aldermen, and shall hold office during good behavior, subject however, after a hearing, to removal at any time by the mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the aldermen, for inefficiency or other cause. The mayor may, for cause, suspend any policeman from duty, and such suspension shall continue in force till the next meeting of the aldermen.’

Approved February 5, 1878.

### Chapter 17.

An act granting the towns surrounding Toddy pond, in Hancock county, the right to build and maintain a bridge across said pond.

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

Free bridge  
across Toddy  
pond, authorized.

SECT. 1. The inhabitants of the towns surrounding Toddy pond may build and maintain a free bridge across Toddy pond, at the upper narrows, with a span of sufficient height to permit the passage of scows and logs.

Land and materials  
for construction  
may be taken.

SECT. 2. And to take land and materials for such constructing, and if the parties owning the land and materials cannot agree upon the damage thereof, then said damages shall be estimated by the county commissioners for the county of Hancock, as provided by law in case of taking lands for public highways.

—damages, how  
estimated.

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

Approved February 5, 1878.

### Chapter 18.

An act to amend chapter seventy-five of the Special Laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-six, entitled “an act creating the South Paris Village Corporation.”

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

Sec. 2, ch. 75,  
special laws 1866,  
amended.

SECT. 1. Section second of chapter seventy-five of the special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-six, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words: ‘also for