

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 39.**Chapter 39.**

An act to change the names of Amelia and Adelia Bullock.

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

Names changed.

SECT. 1. The names of Amelia and Adelia Bullock of Deer Isle, are hereby changed to Amelia and Adelia Webb.

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

Approved February 13, 1878.

Chapter 40.

An act to make valid the doings of the town of Limestone, in the county of Aroostook.

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

Organization of town of Limestone, made valid.

SECT. 1. The proceedings of the inhabitants of the town of Limestone, in the county of Aroostook, in effecting its organization, are hereby confirmed, and said organization is hereby made valid; and the official acts of the town officers of said town under said organization, if otherwise legal, are hereby made valid.

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

Approved February 13, 1878.

Chapter 41.

An act to prohibit the taking of Fish from Withee's Pond and its tributaries, in the town of Dover.

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

Taking of fish in Withee's pond, prohibited.

SECT. 1. All persons are forbidden to take fish of any kind, in any manner, from Withee's mill pond or its tributaries, in the town of Dover, county of Piscataquis, for the term of two years.

Penalty for violation of act, how recovered and appropriated

SECT. 2. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall pay the sum of five dollars for each fish taken, to be recovered on complaint before any trial justice in said county,

or before any court having jurisdiction in the case, one-half CHAP. 42.
to the use of the complainant, and one-half to the use of the
town of Dover aforesaid.

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

Approved February 13, 1878.

Chapter 42.

An act to vest the franchise and property of the proprietors of Merrymeeting bridge
in the inhabitants of the county of Sagadahoc.

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

SECT. 1. The proprietors of Merrymeeting bridge are hereby authorized to transfer and convey, by gift, their said bridge, with all the franchises, buildings, land and appurtenances thereto belonging, to the county of Sagadahoc; and when the stock, or a majority of the shares, shall have been conveyed to said county, as provided in this act, all the franchises of said Merrymeeting bridge company, together with all the powers, rights and privileges granted to the proprietors of said bridge by an act of the legislature, approved March twenty-one, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, shall vest in the inhabitants of said county of Sagadahoc, subject to the servitudes, duties and obligations imposed by said act.

Proprietors authorized to convey Merrymeeting bridge to county of Sagadahoc.

—franchises, powers, &c., to vest in inhabitants of Sagadahoc county.

SECT. 2. The county of Sagadahoc is hereby authorized and empowered to take and hold said bridge as a toll bridge, with all the franchises, buildings, land and appurtenances thereto belonging, and maintain the same in suitable repair.

County authorized to take and hold bridge.

SECT. 3. So much of the land and location of said bridge, with the approaches thereto, as lie within the county of Cumberland, including the road leading thereto from the county road, or road leading from Brunswick to Bath, are hereby set off from the county of Cumberland and annexed to the county of Sagadahoc, and no portion of the expense of construction, repair or maintenance of said bridge shall ever be required to be paid in any event by said Cumberland county.

Certain land in Cumberland county annexed to Sagadahoc county.

Expense of construction, &c.

SECT. 4. The county commissioners of Sagadahoc county are hereby authorized to restore and keep in repair said

Commissioners authorized to make bridge safe and convenient.