

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

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Chapter 171.

CHAP. 171.

An Act amendatory to "An amended Act incorporating the Kennebec Log Driving Company," approved March five, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

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

SECT. 1. The directors of said Kennebec log driving company are hereby authorized to assess the tax for driving logs, contemplated in said charter, immediately after the close of the drive on the East Branch, so called, and in anticipation of the actual cost of driving on the Main river, so called. And if after said logs and other timber shall have been driven and all expenses ascertained and estimated, it shall be found that said assessment shall be more than sufficient to pay said expenses, then the balance so remaining shall be by the directors refunded to said owner or owners, in proportion to said sum to them respectively assessed.

Directors of the Kennebec log driving Co., may assess tax for driving logs.

If tax proves too large excess may be refunded.

SECT. 2. The treasurer of said company is hereby authorized to enforce the lien on logs and other timber contemplated in said charter within fifteen days from the date of said assessment.

Treasurer to enforce lien in fifteen days.

SECT. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Repealing clause.

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

Approved February 27, 1879.

Chapter 172.

An Act to authorize the County of Penobscot to procure a Temporary Loan.

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

SECT. 1. The county of Penobscot is hereby authorized to procure, by loan on the faith and responsibility of said county, a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars, to be used and expended by and under the direction of the county commissioners of said county, for the purpose of paying the floating debt of said county. And the treasurer of said county is hereby authorized, under the direction of said commissioners, to raise said sum by notes or bonds. The interest on said notes or bonds shall not exceed six per cent. per annum, and be payable semi-annually at the office of the county treasurer for said county. The principal of said notes or bonds shall be reimbursed by said county at such time or times, not exceeding two years, as the said commissioners may decree; and none of these notes or bonds shall be sold or negotiated by said county at a less sum than par. Said notes or bonds shall be

Penobscot county authorized to procure loan.

Amount.

How used.

How raised.

Rate of interest.

How and where payable.

Principal reimbursed.

Bonds to be sold at par.

CHAP. 173. signed by the treasurer of the county, and countersigned by the board of county commissioners, and attested under the seal of the county by the clerk of courts for said county.

How signed.

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

Approved February 27, 1879.

Chapter 173.

An Act to amend section thirteen of chapter five hundred and thirty-two, Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-five, relating to the State College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts:

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

Sec. 13, ch. 532 private laws of 1865 amended.

Section thirteen of chapter five hundred and thirty-two of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-five, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Tuition.

How determined.

Trustees and employees to use every effort to reduce cost of subsistence to the students.

‘SECT. 13. A reasonable charge shall be made for tuition, the amount of which shall be determined from time to time by the trustees; and the trustees and all persons employed by them shall constantly endeavor, by the adoption of judicious and effective arrangements in all the labor departments of the college, to reduce the cost of subsistence to the students, and to render the institution, as far as possible, self-sustaining.

Approved February 27, 1879.

Chapter 174.

An Act to authorize the inhabitants of School District Number Nine in the town of Kittery, to elect a District Treasurer.

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

School district No. 9 Kittery authorized to elect treasurer.

Term of office.

Powers of treasurer.

SECT. 1. The inhabitants of school district number nine, in the town of Kittery and county of York, are hereby authorized to elect by ballot at their annual meeting, a district treasurer, who shall hold his office for one year, unless sooner removed.

SECT. 2. Said district treasurer shall have power to receive and disburse all money assessed upon the inhabitants of said district, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness caused by the erection of the new school building in said district, to issue his warrant against the collector of said district when necessary, and shall have such other powers as are necessary to a full and complete discharge of his official duties.