

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

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CHAP. 233 improvements; and if said corporation shall fail to make such return, the right of said corporation to take toll shall cease.

SECT. 9. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 24, 1880.

Chapter 233.

An act to incorporate the Kennebec and Franklin Telephone and Telegraph Company.

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

- SECT. 1. William Harvey, Joseph R. Bodwell and Orville D. Baker, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby incorporated under the name of the Kennebec and Franklin Telephone and Telegraph Company, with all the powers and privileges granted by the general laws of this state to corporations, and subject to all the limitations and obligations therein provided. Said corporation shall have the right to locate, construct and operate lines of telephone and telegraph, from any point in the city of Augusta to the town of Farmington, or to any intermediate point, and branch lines to Wayne, Winthrop, and New Sharon, with the power to establish and collect tolls on the same.
- SECT. 2. Said company shall have the right, within the limits aforesaid, to locate and construct its lines upon and along any public way and bridge, or private lands, but in such manner as not to incommode or endanger the customary use of such way or bridge, with the right to cut down trees, and remove obstacles when necessary, within the limits aforesaid, except ornamental, fruit or shade trees.
- SECT. 3. If the land of any individual or corporation is taken under this act, and the parties cannot agree on the damages occasioned thereby, they shall be estimated, secured and paid in the manner provided in case of land taken for railroads.
- SECT. 4. The amount of the capital stock shall be fixed by vote of the corporation, not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars; and said corporation may purchase, hold, sell and convey real estate and personal property necessary for the purposes contemplated in this charter.
- Corporators.
- Corporate name.
- Rights and power.
- Rights and restrictions.
- Adjustment of damages.
- Amount of capital stock.

SECT. 5. Any one of the incorporators named in this act may call the first meeting of this company, by mailing a written notice, postage paid, to each of the other incorporators, seven days at least before the day of meeting, naming the time, place and purposes of such meeting. And at such meeting a president, secretary, treasurer and directors may be chosen, by-laws adopted, and any corporate business transacted.

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First meeting,
how called.Officers and by-
laws.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 24, 1880.

Chapter 234.

An act authorizing the location of a Way over the tide waters between Elwell's Point and Spruce Head Island, in South Thomaston.

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

Authority is hereby granted for the location and establishment of a way over tide waters, with suitable bridge, from the terminus of the town road, on Elwell's Point, in the town of South Thomaston, to Spruce Head Island, situated in South Thomaston aforesaid, a distance of about two hundred and thirty-seven feet at low water, and about three hundred and ninety-eight feet at high water, by the same proceedings, and in the same manner as would be required to lay out and establish such way if said waters were not tide waters.

Location and
establishment of
way, authorized.

Approved February 28, 1880.

Chapter 235.

An act to amend section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-four of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-two, concerning the Proprietors of Sheepscot River Bridge.

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

SECT. 1. Section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-four of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-two is hereby amended, by striking out the word "eighteen," in the second line, and inserting instead thereof

Sec. 2, ch. 164,
special laws 1862,
amended.