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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 391.

An Act to amend "An Act to incorporate the Van Buren Lumbering and Manufacturing Company."

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

Section two, chapter thirty-four of the special and private laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one is hereby amended by striking out the words "connected therewith," in the eleventh line, and insert after the word "booms," in the tenth line 'with suitable piers there and elsewhere,' so that the section as amended shall read as follows:

Sec. 2, ch. 34,
private and
special laws of
1881, amended.

'SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture lumber and such other articles as may be conveniently connected therewith, with power to purchase, hold and sell such articles, and with power to lease, purchase and hold such real and personal estate as may be deemed expedient; also to make such by-laws and regulations for the management and government of said corporation as may be deemed necessary and proper. The said corporation is authorized to erect mills on land which it may acquire by purchase, at Van Buren, in the county of Aroostook, and to maintain a boom or booms with suitable piers there and elsewhere on the St. John river, for the purpose of holding logs for said mills, not, however, in any manner to interfere with the free navigation of said river.'

Purposes and
privileges.

Approved February 11, 1885.

Chapter 392.

An Act amendatory to "An Act relating to the schools in the city of Portland," approved March eighteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-one.

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

SECT. 1. Chapter one hundred and fifty-five of the private and special laws approved March eighteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Ch. 155, private
laws of 1881,
amended.

The school committee of the city of Portland shall consist of the mayor of said city, who shall be, ex-officio, chairman of the committee, and of seven other persons, one of whom

School committee
of Portland,
how constituted.

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shall be elected in each of the wards of said city at the annual election for municipal officers, in the same manner as aldermen are now elected, and such person shall be a resident of the ward in which he is elected.

—election and terms of office.

SECT. 2. At the annual election in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-five, a member of said committee shall be elected, in ward two, ward four, ward six and ward seven, and in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-six in ward one, ward three and ward five, and shall hold their office for the term of two years; and thereafter, at each annual election, such a number of said committee shall be elected as shall be necessary to fill the places of those whose term of office shall expire in that year.

—vacancy, how filled.

SECT. 3. In case of a vacancy in said committee, the city council shall, in joint convention, elect by ballot, some person resident in the ward in which the vacancy occurred, to hold office until the next annual election, when the unexpired term, if any, shall be filled as provided in section one of this act.

Provisions not to affect members of present board.

SECT. 4. This act shall not affect the term of office of any member of the present school committee in said city.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

SECT. 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

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

Approved February 11, 1885.

Chapter 393.

An Act to authorize the Lewiston Steam Mill Company to increase its capital stock.

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

Lewiston Steam Mill Co. authorized to increase capital stock.

SECT. 1. The Lewiston Steam Mill Company is hereby authorized to increase the capital stock of said corporation, by adding thereto the sum of fifty thousand dollars, so that the whole capital stock of said corporation shall amount to the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

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

Approved February 11, 1885.