

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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person or corporation occupying or using any of the streets in the city for the purposes aforesaid, without first obtaining a license therefor, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense, to be recovered on complaint for the use of the city.

—penalty for obstructing streets.

SECT. 26. The city council are hereby authorized and empowered to pass any ordinance or ordinances regulating or forbidding the erection of wooden buildings on any street or streets in said city, when they may deem it necessary or conducive to the public safety.

Council may regulate erection of wooden buildings.

SECT. 27. The municipal fiscal year shall end on the second Monday in February. And the reports of all city officials shall be completed and made to the city council at a meeting to be held on the third Monday of February. And the city treasurer shall cause to be published in all the city papers, at least one week prior to the first Monday in March, an accurate summary of the reports of all officials receiving or disbursing moneys of the city, and a statement of the condition of the several appropriations.

When fiscal year shall end.

SECT. 28. No appropriation of moneys for any purpose shall be made without a majority vote of all the members of each board of the city council.

Moneys, how appropriated.

SECT. 29. The city council may make and establish such ordinances or regulations as they may deem for the public good, for the regulation of the use of carts, drays or other teams in said city, and also prescribe the width of tire that shall be used.

Regulations for use of carts, etc., how made.

Approved March 4, 1883.

Chapter 483.

An Act to amend section five of chapter two hundred and eighty-one, Special Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Waterville."

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

Section five of chapter two hundred and eighty-one, special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-three, is hereby amended by striking out in line eight, the words "a majority," and

Sec. 5, ch. 231, special laws of 1883, amended.

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substituting the words 'two-thirds,' so that said section shall read as follows :

Laws, etc., to be approved by mayor.

'SECT. 5. Every law, act, ordinance or bill, appropriating money, having passed the board of aldermen, shall be presented to the mayor, and if he approve the same he shall sign it, if not he shall return it within seven days, with his objections, to the board of aldermen, which shall enter the objections at large on its journals, and proceed to reconsider said law, act, ordinance or bill. If upon such reconsideration, two-thirds of the whole number of the board of aldermen shall agree to pass it, it shall have the same effect as if signed by the mayor.'

Approved March 4, 1885.

Chapter 484.

An Act to amend the charter of the Pejepsot Water Company.

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

Sec. 1, ch. 109, private laws of 1881, amended.

Section one of chapter one hundred and nine of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "Bath," in the sixth line, the words 'or any part thereof,' and adding thereto the following words :

'The towns and city shall have no right, under any public or general law, to take water from any aqueduct, pipe or reservoir of the company without its consent ; but they may contract with said company for a supply of water for fire or other purposes, for a term of years ; and such contracts may be renewed or changed by mutual consent,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Corporators.

'SECT. 1. Charles J. Gilman, Benjamin Greene, John Furbish, Eliphalet W. Dennison, Albert G. Page, and Samuel D. Bailey, with their associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Pejepsot Water Company, for the purpose of conveying to the towns of Brunswick and Topsham and the city of Bath or any part thereof, a supply of pure water for domestic and municipal purposes, including the extinguishment of fires, the supply of

Corporate name.