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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1887.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 128**Chapter 128.**

An Act to amend chapter three hundred and eighty of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, as amended by chapter seventy-one of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, relating to schools in Madawaska Territory.

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

Sec. 1, ch. 380,
Private Laws of
1873, as amend-
ed by ch. 71,
Private Laws of
1878, amended.

Section one of chapter three hundred and eighty of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, as amended by chapter seventy-one of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, is hereby further amended in the first proviso thereof, by striking out after the words "Saint John plantation" the words "sixty-five" and inserting the words 'seventy-five,' and by striking out after the words "Eagle Lake plantation" the word "sixty" and inserting the words 'seventy-five,' and by inserting after the clause "Eagle Lake plantation, seventy-five dollars," the following, 'Allegash plantation, seventy-five dollars; New Canada plantation, seventy-five dollars, and Winterville plantation, forty dollars.' And further amended by striking out in the second proviso thereof, the words "and that the primer, first, second and third readers of the Royal school series of New Brunswick, in English and French, shall be used in said schools," so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows :

Certain towns
and plantations
exempt from
statute require-
ment.

—entitled to
proportion of
school fund.

Proviso.

'SECT. 1. The towns and plantations mentioned in this act, shall be exempted from the operation of the statutes requiring every city, town or plantation to raise the sum of eighty cents for each inhabitant for school purposes, and shall be entitled to receive their proportional part of the school mill fund and of the tax on savings banks for the use of schools, and of all other school funds howsoever derived, as though they had complied with all the requirements of said statute, provided, Hamlin plantation shall raise for school purposes one hundred and fifty dollars; letter K plantation twenty-five dollars; Van Buren and Grand Isle, each two hundred and fifty dollars; Madawaska, three hundred and twenty-five dollars; Frenchville, three hundred and seventy-five dollars; Fort Kent, three hundred and fifty dollars; Saint Francis and Wallagrass plantations, one hundred dollars each; Saint John plantation, seventy-five dollars; Allegash plantation, seventy-five dollars; Eagle Lake plantation, seventy-five dollars; New Canada plantation, seventy-five dollars and

Winterville plantation, forty dollars. And the failure of one town or plantation to comply with the provisions of this act, shall not affect the rights of any other town or plantation under this act; provided, however, that no teacher shall be employed in any school receiving the benefit of this act, who is not able to speak and write the English language satisfactorily, and the English language shall be used in giving instruction and directing the discipline of the same.'

CHAP. 129

Failure of one town or plantation, not to affect rights of others. Proviso.

English language shall be taught.

Approved February 23, 1887.

Chapter 129.

An Act to make valid the doings of the town of Sidney.

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

SECT. 1. The acts and doings of the town of Sidney, so far as affected by the acts of Nathan W. Benson and Joseph H. Field, as constables, de facto, from the year eighteen hundred and eighty up to and including the year eighteen hundred and eighty-six, are hereby legalized and made valid.

Doings of the town of Sidney, legalized.

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

Approved February 23, 1887.

Chapter 130.

An Act to incorporate the Boothbay Water Company.

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

SECT. 1. Luther Maddocks, A. R. Nickerson, C. H. Fisher, Isaiah Lewis, K. H. Richards, D. H. Moody, Freeman Boynton, N. K. Merry, N. S. Baker, A. H. Kenniston, their associates, successors and assigns are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Boothbay Water Company, for the purpose of conveying to and supplying the inhabitants of the town of Boothbay and the neighboring territory, with water for all domestic, sanitary, municipal and commercial purposes, with all the rights and privileges, and subject to all the liabilities and obligations of similar corporations, under the general laws of this state.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Purposes.