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—price, how
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case of disagree-
ment.

—when tolls
cease.

When bridge
shall be free.

the legally authorized agent of the town for that purpose appointed; and said town is hereby authorized to buy said bridge, franchise and real estate. And in case the parties aforesaid shall be unable to agree upon the price that ought to be paid by said town to said proprietors, either party may apply to the supreme judicial court at any term thereof, held in the county of Penobscot, which court upon notice and hearing, shall have authority to appoint three commissioners, who shall examine said bridge and hear the parties and their evidence, and determine the price that ought to be paid as aforesaid. And in case said company shall refuse to convey for the consideration fixed as aforesaid, then their right to take any tolls from that time, shall cease.

SECT. 3. Whenever said town of Orono shall purchase said bridge, it shall thereafter be kept and maintained as a free bridge.

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

Approved February 23, 1889.

Chapter 422.

An Act to authorize the building of a wharf in the tide waters at Islesborough.

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

SECT. 1. A wharf may be erected and maintained in front of land of Samuel Warren at Islesborough, by the North Islesborough Wharf Company.

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

Approved February 23, 1889.

Chapter 423.

An Act to incorporate the Weld Telephone and Telegraph Company.

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

SECT. 1. D. F. Holt, A. H. Jones, C. G. Dummer G. N. Coburn, R. G. Dummer, Eben Newman, R. E. Scamman, F. A. Russell and A. D. Russell, their associates, successors

Corporators.

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and assigns, are hereby created a body corporate by the name of the Weld Telephone and Telegraph Company, with all the rights and privileges, and subject to all the duties provided by the general laws of this state, relating to corporations; with power by that name to sue and be sued; to have and use a common seal, and the same to change at pleasure; to establish any and all by-laws and regulations for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of this state, and to do and perform any and all other legal and lawful acts incident to similar corporations.

—corporate name.

—seal.

—by-laws.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby empowered and authorized to own, construct, maintain and operate, from some point in the town of Weld, a line or lines of telephone and telegraph, through the towns of Weld and Wilton, and through Perkins and Washington plantations, to some point in Wilton village, or to the depot in said Wilton.

Authorized to construct telegraph and telephone lines.

—route.

SECT. 3. For the purposes of this act, the said corporation shall have, and the power is hereby granted, to erect and locate its lines along and upon the highways, streets and bridges, as now traveled by the teams carrying the United States mail from Wilton to Weld, but in such a manner as not to incommode or endanger the customary public use thereof; and the company may cut down any trees standing within the limits of said highway or streets, except fruit, ornamental or shade trees, when necessary for the erection, use and safety of its lines.

May erect line along highway.

SECT. 4. Said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to connect its lines with the lines of any other telegraph or telephone company, by contract with said company, or to sell or lease its own lines at any time.

Authorized to connect with other lines.

SECT. 5. The capital stock of said corporation shall be of such an amount, not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars, as said corporation may from time to time deem necessary for all purposes contemplated by this act and said corporation may purchase, hold, sell and convey, all real and personal property necessary for said purposes.

Capital stock.

SECT. 6. The first meeting of said corporation shall be called by any one of said corporators, by giving to each of said corporators personal notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.