

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1891.

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proper sewerage, upon conformity to the rules and regulations of said company, and payment of the prices and rentals established therefor.

SECT. 8. Any person who shall place or leave any offensive or injurious matter or materials in the conduits, catch basins or receptacles of said corporation, contrary to its regulations, or shall willfully injure any conduit, pipe, reservoir, flush tank, catch basin, man hole, lamp hole, outlet, engine, pump, or other property held, owned or used by said corporation for the purposes of this act, shall pay twice the amount of damages to said corporation, to be recovered in any proper action; and every such person, on conviction of either of said acts of willful injury aforesaid, shall be punished by fine not exceeding two hundred dollars, and by imprisonment not exceeding one year.

Penalty, for willful injury to works.

SECT. 9. The affairs of said corporation shall be controlled by a board of directors consisting of not less than five members, who shall be citizens of the town of Fort Fairfield, and elected annually by a vote of the stockholders of the corporation; and the board of directors shall choose such other officers as may, from time to time be required by the by-laws of the corporation.

Board of directors, qualification and election of.

SECT. 10. Any two of the persons mentioned in the first section of this act, may call the first meeting of said corporation by publishing notice therefor, two weeks in a newspaper printed in the county of Aroostook.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 11. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 18, 1891.

## Chapter 77.

An Act to incorporate the East Bluehill Telephone Company.

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

SECT. 1. Henry A. Wallace, A. J. Grindle and W. H. Wallace, their associates, successors and assigns are hereby created a body politic, by the name of the East Bluehill Telephone Company, with all the powers, rights and privileges, and subject to all the duties and obligations granted and pre-

Corporators.

—corporate name.

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—authorized to construct a telephone line.

—route.

May locate its line along any public way, etc.

—may remove obstacles.

—collect tolls.

Damages, how estimated in case of disagreement.

Authorized to connect with other lines.

Capital stock.

First meeting, how called.

scribed by the general laws of this state relating to corporations. Said corporation shall have the right to locate, construct, maintain and operate a telephone line from the village of Bluehill to the village of East Bluehill and from thence to some point in the town of Surry.

§ SECT. 2. Said company shall have the right, within the limits aforesaid, to locate, construct and maintain its line upon and along any public way, 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, remove obstacles when necessary, within the limits aforesaid, except ornamental, fruit or shade trees, and with the power to establish and collect tolls on said line, provided, that the rights to construct and maintain said lines shall be subject to the provisions of chapter three hundred and seventy-eight, public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, and all rights and powers granted by this act shall be exercised in accordance with said chapter three hundred and seventy-eight.

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 as for land taken for highways.

SECT. 4. Said corporation is hereby authorized to connect its line or lines with those of any other company, or to sell or lease its line either before or after completion to any other telephone or telegraph company, upon such terms as may be mutually agreed upon, which sale or lease shall be binding upon the parties, or to purchase or lease any other line or lines of telephone or telegraph, upon such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon.

SECT. 5. The amount of the capital stock shall be fixed by vote of the corporation, but not to exceed the amount that may from time to time be considered to be necessary for the purposes herein specified, but not exceeding six thousand dollars, and said corporation may purchase, hold, sell and convey real estate and personal property necessary for the purposes contemplated in this charter.

SECT. 6. Any one of the corporators named in this act, may call the first meeting of this company by mailing a written notice to each of the other corporators, 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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SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved Februray 18, 1861.

### Chapter 78.

An Act to incorporate the Thomaston Bank and Trust Company.

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

SECT. 1. C. Prince, William J. Singer, Niven C. Mehan, B. W. Counce, Charles H. Washburn, Edwin A. Robinson, F. H. Jordan and T. A. Carr, or such of them as may by vote accept this charter, with their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a body corporate and politic, to be known as the Thomaston Bank and Trust Company, and as such, shall be possessed of all the powers, privileges and immunities, and subject to all the duties and obligations conferred on corporations by law, except as otherwise provided herein.

Corporators.

—corporate name.

SECT. 2. The corporation hereby created shall be located at Thomaston, in the county of Knox and state of Maine, and may establish agencies in any part of this state.

Location.

SECT. 3. The purposes of said corporation and the business which it may perform, are: first, to receive on deposit, money, coin, bank notes, evidences of debt, accounts of individuals, companies, corporations and municipalities, allowing interest thereon, if agreed, or as the by-laws of said corporation may provide; second, to borrow money, to loan money on credits or real estate or personal security, and to negotiate loans and sales for others; to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of all obligations secured by mortgages of real estate running to the said Thomaston Bank and Trust Company; to issue its own bonds or obligations based upon real or personal property conveyed to it in trust, to secure the payment of such bonds or obligations and the interest thereon; third, to hold for safe keeping all kinds of personal or mixed property, and to act as agent for the owners thereof, and of real estate, for collection of income on the same, and

Purposes.