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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 196**Chapter 196.**

An Act to amend Section two of Chapter eighteen of the Revised Statutes, relating to Ways.

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

Sec. 2, ch. 18,
R. S., further
amended.

Section two of chapter eighteen of the revised statutes as amended by chapter two hundred and fifty-nine of the public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine is hereby amended by adding thereto after the word "responsible" in the first line of said section, the words 'and that an inquiry into the merits is expedient,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Notice, how
given, proved
and recorded.

'SECT. 2. Being satisfied that the petitioners are responsible, and that an inquiry into the merits is expedient, they shall cause thirty days' notice to be given of the time and place of their meeting, by posting copies of the petition, with their order thereon, in three public places in each town in which any part of the way is, and serving one on the clerks of such towns, and publishing it in some newspaper, if any, in the county. The fact that notice has been so given, being proved and entered of record, shall be sufficient for all interested, and evidence thereof.'

Approved March 10, 1893.

Chapter 197.

An Act to further amend Section nine of Chapter fifteen of the Revised Statutes relating to Burying Grounds.

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

Sec. 9, ch. 15,
R. S., further
amended.

SECT. 1. Section nine of chapter fifteen of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter forty-seven of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, is hereby further amended by adding to said section as amended the following words: 'nor the extension thereof away from any dwelling house,' so that said section shall read as follows :

When town
officers may
enlarge public
cemetery.

'SECT. 9. The municipal officers of any town, may on petition of ten voters, enlarge any public cemetery or burying yard or incorporated cemetery or burying yard within their town, by taking land of adjacent owners, to be paid for by

the town or otherwise as the municipal officers may direct, when in their judgment public necessity requires it, provided, that the limits thereof shall not be extended nearer any dwelling house than twenty-five rods, against the written protest of the owner, made to said officers at the time of the hearing on said petition. Nor shall any person, corporation or association establish, locate or enlarge any cemetery or burying ground by selling or otherwise disposing of lots so that the limits thereof shall be extended nearer any dwelling house than twenty-five rods against the written protest of the owner, provided, that nothing in this section shall prohibit the sale or disposition of lots within the limits of any existing cemetery or burying ground, nor the extension thereof away from any dwelling house.'

SECT. 2 This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 10, 1893.

Chapter 198.

An Act to amend Section thirty-one of Chapter forty of the Revised Statutes, relating to Inland Fisheries, as amended by Chapter two hundred sixty-six of the laws of eighteen hundred eighty-five, Chapter seventy-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred eighty-seven, Chapter two hundred nine of the laws of eighteen hundred eighty-nine, Chapter twenty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred ninety-one, and Chapter eighty of the laws of eighteen hundred ninety-one.

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

Section thirty-one of chapter forty of the revised statutes as amended by chapter two hundred and sixty-six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, chapter seventy-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, chapter two hundred and nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, chapter twenty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one and chapter eighty of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one is hereby amended by restoring in the tenth line the words 'Eastern Penobscot river in Orland,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

SECT. 31. The following waters and their tributaries are exempt from the provisions relating to migratory fishes and the supervision of the fishways by the commissioners, that is to say, Royall's river in North Yarmouth, Sewall's pond or

Sec. 31, ch. 40,
R. S., further
amended.

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