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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 363.

An Act to authorize the town of Abbot to raise and appropriate money for a Soldiers' Monument.

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

The town of Abbot is hereby authorized to raise and appropriate the sum of eighty dollars annually for five years, to pay Peleg Washburn for the erection of a soldiers' monument in said Abbot, the same to be the interest on two thousand dollars at four per cent interest.

Town of Abbot, authorized to raise money for a soldiers' monument.

Approved February 7, 1893.

Chapter 364.

An Act to empower the Georges Valley Railroad Company to issue bonds and mortgage its franchises.

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

SECT. 1. The organization of the Georges Valley Railroad Company, a corporation organized under the general laws of the state of Maine, the articles of association of which having been approved by the railroad commissioners, October four, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine; the certificate of organization of which, having been issued, as provided by law, by the secretary of state, is hereby ratified and confirmed.

Organization, Georges Valley R. R., ratified.

SECT. 2. All acts heretofore done by the railroad commissioners in approving the locations, establishing crossings and changing the gauge of the Georges Valley Railroad and the change of highway along same, and in reviving the rights of said corporation, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Locations and crossings, etc., ratified and confirmed.

SECT. 3. All acts heretofore done and contracts entered into by said corporation and its officers, in pursuance of the objects specified in its certificate of incorporation, are hereby ratified and confirmed; and said corporation shall have all the powers, rights and privileges specified in its said certificate of organization, and be subject to the limitations, duties and restrictions, which by law appertain thereto.

All acts, made valid.

SECT. 4. Said corporation is hereby authorized to make, issue and secure, by such mortgages of its franchises and property, as it may from time to time determine to execute

Authorized to issue bonds and mortgage property.

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therefor, bonds in such sums and to such an amount, and on such time, as it may from time to time determine.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 8, 1893.

Chapter 365.

An Act authorizing the Rumford Falls Light and Water Company to issue mortgage bonds, and extend its plant.

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

Organization of
the Rumford
Falls Light and
Water Company,
ratified.

—authorized to
issue bonds and
mortgage
property.

May take land.

Liability for
damages, and
how ascertained
in case of dis-
agreement.

SECT. 1. The Rumford Falls Light and Water Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the state of Maine, which organization is hereby ratified, confirmed, and declared to be legal and valid, is hereby authorized and empowered to issue its bonds, secured by mortgage of its property and franchises or any part thereof, from time to time and in such amounts as it may deem necessary, provided that the aggregate of such issues shall not exceed two hundred thousand dollars.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized for the purposes of its organization, to take and hold, by purchase or otherwise any lands or real estate necessary therefor, and may enter upon or excavate through any lands when necessary for said purposes in the towns of Mexico and Peru in the county of Oxford, or either of them.

SECT. 3. Said corporation shall be held liable to pay all damages that shall be sustained by any person or corporation by the taking of any land or other property, or by flowage, or by entering upon or excavating through any land for the purpose of erecting poles or laying down pipes and aqueducts, building dams and reservoirs, and also damages for any other injuries resulting from said acts; and if any person sustaining damage as aforesaid and said corporation cannot mutually agree upon the sum to be paid therefor, either party may cause the damages to be ascertained in the same manner and under the same conditions, restrictions and limitations as are by law prescribed in the case of damages, by the laying out of railroads.