

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1893.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

1893.

Chapter 526.

An Act to extend the charter of the Norridgewock Bridge Proprietors.

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

SECT. 1. The charter of the Norridgewock Bridge Proprietors is hereby extended for the period of ten years from the first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred ninety-five.

Charter,
extended for
ten years.

SECT. 2. The rate of tolls shall be the same as granted said proprietors by the provisions of chapter four hundred and fifty-six of the private and special laws of this state, approved February four, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred sixty-five.

Tolls.

Approved March 17, 1835.

Chapter 527.

An Act to amend Section two of Chapter five hundred eight of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred eighty five, as amended by Chapter one hundred thirty-four of Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred eighty-seven, relating to Norway Municipal Court.

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

SECT. 1. Section two of chapter five hundred and eight of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, as amended by chapter one hundred and thirty-four of the private and special acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, is hereby amended by striking out all of the nineteenth and twentieth lines of said section subsequent to the word "and" in said nineteenth line and inserting in place thereof the words 'original jurisdiction concurrent with trial justices of all other civil actions in which the debt or damages demanded do not exceed twenty dollars and the defendant or a person summoned as trustee resides in the county of Oxford,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Sec. 2 ch. 508
Special laws,
1835, further
amended.

SECT. 2. Said municipal court shall have jurisdiction as follows: first, original jurisdiction concurrent with the supreme judicial court, of the larcenies described in sections one, six, seven, eight and nine of chapter one hundred and twenty of the revised statutes, when the value of the property is

Jurisdiction.

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not alleged to exceed thirty dollars, of the assaults and batteries described in section twenty-eight of chapter one hundred and eighteen of the revised statutes, and of the offenses described in section six of chapter one hundred and twenty-four of the revised statutes, and may punish for either of said offenses by fine not exceeding fifty dollars and by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months; second, exclusive original jurisdiction of all civil actions, wherein the debt or damages demanded do not exceed twenty dollars, and both parties, or any plaintiff, and a person summoned as a trustee, reside in the town of Norway, including prosecutions for penalties in which said town is interested, and of all actions of forcible entry and detainer arising therein; and original jurisdiction concurrent with trial justices of all other civil actions in which the debt or damages demanded do not exceed twenty dollars, and the defendant, or a person summoned as trustee resides in the county of Oxford; third, original jurisdiction concurrent with the supreme judicial court, of all civil actions in which the debt or damages demanded do not exceed one hundred dollars, and both parties, or the defendant, or a person summoned as trustee, reside in the county of Oxford; provided, that any action, civil or criminal, in which the judge is interested, but which would otherwise be within the exclusive jurisdiction of said court may be brought before and disposed of by any trial justice within said county, in the same manner and with like effect as other actions before such tribunals.'

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

Approved March 17, 1893.

Chapter 528.

An Act to authorize the Richards Paper Company to issue preferred stock.

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

SECT. 1. The Richards Paper Company is hereby empowered to issue either first or second preferred stock or both, in such amounts, not exceeding in aggregate five hundred thousand dollars, upon such terms and conditions and