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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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offense, if the quantity shall not exceed five cords, of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars. If the quantity cast or thrown in, or that shall fall or be washed in as aforesaid, at one or different times, shall exceed five cords in all, under a penalty of not less than twenty nor more than five hundred dollars; provided, however, that this act shall not apply to sawdust made by gang saws, main rotaries nor up and down saws of any kind, in water mills, now in use on said river above said dam.

—proviso.

Sect. 2. All the penalties under the provisions of the foregoing section, shall be recovered by complaint or indictment before any court having jurisdiction in like offenses, or by action of debt before any court having competent jurisdiction, for the benefit of the county where the offense was committed.

Penalties, how recovered.

Sect. 3. If the offense or offenses forbidden in the first section of this act, shall be committed by any person or persons who may be in the employ of any mill owner or owners, mill occupant or occupants, such owner or owners, occupant or occupants, shall also be liable in the same penalties, recoverable in the same manner as hereinbefore provided.

Mill owners responsible for acts of employes.

Approved February 17, 1897.

Chapter 357.

An Act to extend the charter of the Castine Railway and Navigation Company, and to amend its charter and certain additions thereto.

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

Sect. 1. The Castine Railway and Navigation Company is hereby granted an extension of two years from and after the approval of this act in which to avail itself of the rights, powers, privileges and immunities heretofore granted to said company by the legislature. Provided, however, that nothing contained in this act shall be construed as in any manner extending, reviving or continuing any of the rights, powers or privileges heretofore granted to the Penobscot Central Railroad, nor any such rights, powers or privileges heretofore acquired by said Castine Railway and Navigation Company by lease or conveyance from said Penobscot Central Railroad.

Charter extended for two years.

—act shall not revive rights of Penobscot Central Railroad.

CHAP. 358

Charter of
Castine
and Bangor
Railroad
Company,
amended.

Sect. 2. Section one of chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Castine and Bangor Railroad Company," is hereby amended by inserting after the word "Castine," in the fourth line of the last sentence of said section, the words 'and Brooksville.'

Section 15,
repealed.

Sect. 3. Said chapter one hundred and thirty-eight is hereby amended by striking out all of section fifteen.

Section 3,
chapter 543,
private
laws, 1889,
amended.

Sect. 4. Section three of chapter five hundred and forty-three of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, is hereby amended by adding to said section the following words, 'and the towns of Bluehill and Surry, and to some point on the west side of Union river in the city of Ellsworth.'

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

Approved February 18, 1897.

Chapter 358.

An Act authorizing the City of Lewiston to refund a part of its debt.

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

City of
Lewiston
authorized
to issue
bonds.

Sect. 1. To meet its bonds now outstanding and maturing in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, the city of Lewiston is authorized to issue bonds to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, payable at a period, or periods not exceeding thirty years after the date thereof, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. Said bonds shall be issued under the seal of the city and shall be signed by the mayor and treasurer of the city, and the coupons attached to said bonds shall be signed by the city treasurer.

—when
payable.

—rate of
interest.

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

Approved February 18, 1897.