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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

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'Sect. 6. Said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to locate, build and maintain in Sheepscot river at any point or points between said saw mill of George S. Burrill in the town of Jefferson and the outlet of Long pond in the town of Windsor, piers and booms for sorting out logs and lumber coming down said river and for holding the same for use and manufacture at said Burrill's mill, and are not to occasion any unreasonable delay or obstruction in the driving of any other logs or lumber. Said corporation may take such lands as may be necessary for the erection and maintenance of said piers and booms and connecting the same with the river shore, and may with its agents, servants and teams pass and repass over said shores and to and from the same over the land of other persons for the purposes aforesaid, and for managing said piers and booms, making compensation therefor as is provided in the case of land taken in laying out highways.'

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 20, 1897.

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May build dams and booms in town of Windsor.

—shall not delay the driving of logs.

—may take land.

—compensation.

Chapter 472.

An Act to incorporate the Livermore Falls Light and Power Company.

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

Sect. 1. John H. Maxwell, William A. Stuart, John L. Cummings, Daniel J. Bogan, Edmund Eaton, their associates, successors and assigns are hereby made a body politic and corporate by the name of the Livermore Falls Light and Power Company, and as such shall have and possess all the rights, powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and obligations conferred and imposed on corporations by law, except as otherwise provided in this act.

Corporators.

—corporate name.

Sect. 2. Said corporation shall be located in the town of East Livermore, in the county of Androscoggin and state of Maine, and its business shall be confined to the towns of East Livermore and Livermore, in the county of Androscoggin and the town of Jay, in the county of Franklin.

Location.

Sect. 3. For any of the purposes aforesaid, said corporation is hereby authorized to generate electricity for the purpose

Authorized to generate electric

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Electricity for lighting purposes, in certain towns.

Certain towns authorized to contract for the lighting of streets.

May furnish light and power in certain towns, to manufacturing corporations, etc.

May furnish light and heat to any dwelling house.

May lay down pipes, erect posts and wires along highways.

—shall repair streets, etc., to the satisfaction of selectmen.

Liable for damages to streets.

of lighting the public streets within said towns of East Livermore, Livermore and Jay.

Sect. 4. The towns of East Livermore, Livermore and Jay are hereby authorized to contract with said corporation for lighting the streets within said towns of East Livermore, Livermore and Jay, upon such terms as they may mutually agree.

Sect. 5. The said corporation is hereby authorized to generate electricity for the purpose of furnishing light and power to any individual, manufacturing establishment, corporation or electric railroad, situated or located within the limits of East Livermore, Livermore or Jay.

Sect. 6. The said corporation is hereby authorized to furnish light and heat to any dwelling house or other building, located within the limits of East Livermore, Livermore and Jay.

Sect. 7. Said corporation is hereby authorized to lay down and maintain in, under, through, along, above and across the highways, ways, roads, streets, railroads, bridges and lands, in said East Livermore, Livermore and Jay; and to take up, replace and repair all such pipes and fixtures, and to erect and maintain such posts, wires and other fixtures as may be necessary for the objects of its incorporation, and may enter upon and dig up any land, way, street or road in said East Livermore, Livermore and Jay, for the purposes aforesaid, and in general may do any other acts and things necessary, convenient or proper to be done for the complete establishment and maintenance of its works and plants, provided always, that the said corporation shall, at its own expense, and to the satisfaction of the selectmen of the towns of East Livermore, Livermore and Jay, without unnecessary delay, repair said lands, ways, streets, roads and bridges in every part where they shall be entered upon and dug up, and restore the covering, pavements and sidewalks thereof, respectively.

Sect. 8. Said corporation shall be liable in all cases to repay the said towns of East Livermore, Livermore and Jay all sums of money that said towns shall be obliged to pay on any judgment recovered against them for damages occasioned by any obstruction, digging up, or displacement of any land, way or street, by said corporation, together with counsel fees and expenses necessarily incurred in defending said towns in actions therefor, provided however, that said corporation shall have notice of the commencement of any and all suits for such dam-

age, and shall have the right to defend the same at its own expense.

Sect. 9. The capital stock of said corporation shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and said corporation, for the purposes of this charter, may hold real and personal estate, necessary or convenient therefor, and not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars.

Capital stock.

Sect. 10. Said corporation may issue its bonds for the construction of its works upon such rates and time as it may deem expedient, to any amount not exceeding the amount of its capital stock subscribed for, and secure the same by mortgage of the franchise and property of said company.

May issue bonds and mortgage property.

Sect. 11. The first meeting of said company may be called by written notice thereof, signed by any incorporator, served upon each incorporator, by giving in hand, or leaving the same at his last usual place of abode, seven days before the time of the meeting.

First meeting, how called.

Sect. 12. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 20, 1897.

Chapter 473.

An Act to legalize the incorporation of Wales Grange, Number Forty, Patrons of Husbandry.

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

Sect. 1. The acts and doings of Wales grange, number forty, patrons of husbandry, at a meeting of said grange held June twenty, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, for the purpose of organizing said grange into a corporate legal body, under chapter fifty-five of the revised statutes of Maine, so far as relates to insufficient notice and other informalities, are hereby legalized and made valid, and said grange is hereby declared to be a legal corporation.

Doings of Wales Grange, legalized.

Sect. 2. All the acts and doings of said corporation by its executive committee in issuing notes to create a fund to purchase flour and grain, and for the construction of its plant, so far as relates to any imperfection in the organization of said corporation, are hereby confirmed and declared legal and valid, but the contract rights of third persons are not hereby affected.

Doings in issuing notes, made valid.