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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 35.

An Act to extend and amend the charters of the Penobscot Boom Corporation and of the Penobscot Lumbering Association.

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

Charter renewed and extended, fifteen years.

Section 1. An act to extend and amend the charters of the Penobscot Boom Corporation and of the Penobscot Lumbering Association, approved February eight, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, with all its sections and provisions, together with all sections and provisions still remaining in force of other acts relating to said corporation and association, as amended, is hereby renewed and extended for the period of fifteen years from the time heretofore fixed, so that the charter of the Penobscot Boom Corporation and the charter of the Penobscot Lumbering Association are hereby extended fifteen years from the respective limits heretofore fixed; subject to the following alterations.

Rate of tolls for use of booms, changed.

Section 2. The compensation for the use of the booms, shores, buildings and other structures of said boom corporation by said lumbering association is hereby changed from the sum of seven and one-half cents a thousand feet given by the second section of said act approved February eight, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, and established at the sum of four cents a thousand feet, and all taxes to be assessed on the booms, shores, buildings, and other structures of said boom corporation used by said lumbering association during the term of any lease thereof from the boom corporation to said lumbering association shall be paid by said lumbering association.

If association fails to take lease, then boom corporation shall perform the duties imposed by its charter.

Section 3. If said association should neglect to take a lease of the booms, shores, buildings and other structures of said boom corporation for the term of fifteen years, during which the charter of said lumbering association is hereby extended, or should abandon the duties imposed, or should fail to take a farther lease for the term covered by the extension of the charter of the boom corporation after the expiration of the charter of said lumbering association as hereby extended, and the booms should come back into the management of said boom corporation, the boom corporation is to raft the logs and perform the duties imposed upon it by its charter as amended, at a price to be fixed by a commission to be appointed by the chief justice of the state of Maine.

Rate of interest reduced.

Section 4. The rate of interest fixed by section nine of "An Act to incorporate the Penobscot Lumbering Association and to amend the charter of the Penobscot Boom Corporation,"

approved April five, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, is hereby reduced from twelve to six per cent, to apply as well to excess as to deficiency of advance payment.

Section 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 21, 1899.

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Chapter 36.

An Act to amend the charter of the Public Works Company.

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

Section 1. The Public Works Company is hereby authorized to convey to Indian island in the Penobscot river a supply of pure water for domestic, manufacturing and municipal purposes, with all the rights, powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties, restrictions and liabilities contained in the charter of said company and acts amendatory thereof.

Company authorized to supply Indian Island with water.

Section 2. For the purposes aforesaid the said company is authorized to lay, construct and maintain its mains and pipes under, in and across the Penobscot river and to build and maintain all necessary structures therefor; all to be done at such places as may be necessary for said purposes and not to obstruct the public use of said river.

May lay pipes under Penobscot river.

Section 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 21, 1899.

Chapter 37.

An Act to incorporate the Ticonic Foot Bridge Company.

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

Section 1. William T. Haines and Harvey D. Eaton, with their associates and successors are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of the Ticonic Foot Bridge Company, for the purpose of erecting and keeping in repair a foot bridge over the Kennebec river from the easterly end of Temple street in Waterville to the opposite shore in Winslow. Said corporation shall have power to take and hold such real estate as may be necessary to carry into effect said object and to make all needful rules and regulations governing the use of said bridge, and

Corporators.

Corporate name.

—purposes.

—may take real estate.