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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

## SIXTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 178.**

An Act to extend the charter of the Winn Water and Power Company, and to amend the same.

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

Section 1. The rights, powers and privileges of the Winn Water and Power Company which were granted by chapter one hundred forty-five of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred ninety-five are hereby extended, and the persons named in said act, their associates and successors, shall have all the rights, powers and privileges that were granted them by said act, to be exercised in the same manner and for the same purposes as specified in said act; and the organization of said corporation as now existing, is hereby ratified and confirmed.

Charter extended.

—organization confirmed.

Section 2. Section six of said chapter one hundred forty-five is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words: 'and to locate, erect and maintain in said river above said dam and below the mouth of the Mattawamkeag river piers and booms for the purpose of collecting and holding logs and other lumber coming down said river and destined for use and manufacture at said Winn, provided, that said piers and booms are so located and erected that they will not impede the passage of other logs and lumber down said river;' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 6, amended.

'Section 6. Said company is authorized to lay and maintain its pipes under, in and over the Penobscot river, and to build and maintain all necessary structures therefor, and to locate, erect and maintain in said river above said dam and below the mouth of the Mattawamkeag river, piers and booms for the purpose of collecting and holding logs and other lumber coming down said river and destined for use and manufacture at said Winn, provided, that said piers and booms are so located and erected that they will not impede the passage of other logs and lumber down said river.'

Authorized to lay pipes under and over Penobscot river, and erect piers and booms.

Section 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 16, 1899.

**Chapter 179.**

An Act to amend "An Act to incorporate the City of Gardiner."

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

Section 1. Section two of chapter two hundred and ninety-six of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and

Section 2, chapter 296,

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special laws  
1883,  
amended.

eighty-three, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the words "at large" in the fifth line, and adding the following; 'city marshal and street commissioner, and it shall take a plurality of all ballots cast in said city to elect said alderman at large, city marshal and street commissioner, and the duties of said alderman at large shall be the same as those of the other members of the board of aldermen, and the duties of the city marshal and street commissioner shall be the same as now prescribed by law,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Election of  
aldermen at  
large and  
other of-  
ficers.

'Section 2. At the annual election for the choice of mayor and other officers, after the abolition of the common council, should said body be abolished, the qualified electors in each ward shall, in addition to voting for their ward officers and mayor, vote for an alderman at large, city marshal and street commissioner, and it shall take a plurality of all ballots cast in said city to elect said alderman at large, city marshal and street commissioner, and the duties of said alderman at large shall be the same as those of the other members of the board of aldermen, and the duties of the city marshal and street commissioner shall be the same as those now prescribed by law.'

—duties.

Inconsis-  
tent acts,  
repealed.

Section 2. After the adoption of this act all acts and portions of acts of said city charter inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 16, 1899.

### Chapter 180.

An Act authorizing the inhabitants of Foxcroft, to make appropriation for free use of books in the Thompson Free Library.

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

Town au-  
thorized to  
use Thomp-  
son free  
library.

Section 1. The inhabitants of the town of Foxcroft are hereby authorized to raise and appropriate a sum, not exceeding five hundred dollars annually, to be paid to the treasurer of the Thompson Free Library Association of Dover for the free use of the books of said library association for the inhabitants of said Foxcroft; and the acts, vote and proceedings of said town of Foxcroft in relation thereto at its annual town meeting held March thirteen, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, are hereby confirmed and made valid and legal.

—doings of  
town, made  
valid.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 16, 1899.