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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 284.

An Act to amend the charter of the Ossipee Valley Telegraph and Telephone Company.

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

Section 1. Section five of chapter four hundred and one of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, as amended by section three of chapter one hundred and ninety-five of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, is hereby amended by striking out the word "eight" in the fifth line of said section and inserting in the place thereof the word 'fifty,' so that said section shall read as follows:

Section 5, chapter 401, special law of 1885 as amended by chapter 395, laws of 1899, further amended.

'Section 5. The amount of the capital stock shall be fixed by vote of the corporation, but not to exceed the amount that may, from time to time, be determined to be necessary for the purposes herein specified, but not to exceed in all the sum of fifty thousand dollars, and said corporation may purchase, hold, sell and convey real estate and personal property necessary for the purposes contemplated in this charter, and may issue its bonds in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each, and secure the same by a mortgage of its lines, franchises and property, or in any other manner it may deem proper.'

Capital stock.

—may hold real estate, issue bonds and mortgage property

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 26, 1901.

Chapter 285.

An Act to amend Section two of Chapter one hundred and sixty-six of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by Chapter forty of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, relating to the Fort Fairfield Village Corporation.

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

Section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-six of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by chapter forty of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, is hereby amended by adding after the words "sprinkling streets" in the eighth line of said section the words 'and for lighting streets,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 2, chapter 166, special laws, 1887 as amended by chapter 40, laws of 1899, further amended.

'Section 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized and vested with power at any legal meeting called for the purpose, to raise money to purchase, repair and preserve one or more fire engines,

Authorized to raise money for certain purposes.

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and all other necessary apparatus for the extinguishment of fires, to build and repair engine houses, to construct reservoirs and aqueducts, to contract with individuals or corporations for a supply of water for the extinguishment of fires and for sprinkling streets, and for lighting streets, and to maintain within said limits an efficient fire department, to defray the expenses of a night watch, a police force and all other necessary measures for the better security of life and property, and the promotion of good order and quiet within its limits.'

Approved February 26, 1901.

Chapter 286.

An Act to incorporate the Union Boom Company.

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

Corporators.

—corporate name.

Section 1. Richmond L. Melcher, Waldo Pettengill, George D. Bisbee, their associates, successors and assigns are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Union Boom Company, with all the rights and privileges and subject to all the duties and obligations of similar corporations under the laws of this state.

Authorized to maintain piers and booms in Androscoggin river.

—shall not obstruct passage of logs.

Section 2. Said corporation, its successors and assigns are hereby authorized and empowered to locate, construct and maintain in the Androscoggin river, between the Dixfield toll bridge, between Dixfield and Peru and the railroad bridge at the southerly line of the Albert Dunn farm in the town of Canton, county of Oxford, piers and booms for the purpose of collecting, holding and sorting logs, pulp wood and other lumber coming down said Androscoggin river. Said works shall be so constructed as to provide for the prompt and convenient passage of all logs, pulp wood and other lumber that may come within the same, without unreasonable or unnecessary delay.

May take lands.

Section 3. Said Union Boom Company, its successors and assigns may take such lands as may be necessary for the erection and maintenance of said piers and booms mentioned in section two, and connecting the same with the shores and may with their agents and teams pass and repass over said shores to and from the same, over the lands of other persons and corporations for the purpose aforesaid, and for the operation and management of said piers and booms. Said company shall be held liable to pay all damages that shall be sustained by any person or corpora-

—liable for all damages.