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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1901.

Chapter 442.

An Act to legalize and make valid the acts and doings of the City Council of the City of Saco, pertaining to the annual appropriations and the commitment of Taxes for the year nineteen hundred.

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

Section 1. All the acts and doings of the city council of the city of Saco, at the meetings of said city council held August twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred, and September fifteenth, nineteen hundred, are hereby legalized and made valid. The assessors committed the taxes for the year nineteen hundred to the collector before the annual appropriations were made and voted by the city council, contrary to the provisions of law, and all acts pertaining to said commitment of taxes and said appropriations for said year nineteen hundred are hereby legalized.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 21, 1901.

Doings of city council of Saco made valid.

Chapter 443.

An Act in relation to the annual town meeting of the Town of Boothbay Harbor

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

Section 1. The town of Boothbay Harbor is hereby authorized to hold its annual town meeting on the second Monday in January and shall hold said meeting annually on said day for the performance of all duties required by law to be performed in March, provided this act is accepted as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. The duties required of the selectmen of said town under section eleven of chapter four of the revised statutes shall be performed on or before the twentieth day of December annually.

Section 3. The duties required of the selectmen of said town under section twelve of chapter four of the revised statutes shall be performed on the secular day next preceding said second Monday of January or on the morning of said day.

Section 4. The inhabitants of said town may at said January meeting annually appoint their treasurer a collector of taxes as provided by section one hundred and seventy-six of chapter six of the revised statutes.

Section 5. The duties required of the road commissioner of said town, if any such officer is elected, required by section six of

Town authorized to hold; annual meeting on second Monday of January.

-proviso.

Certain duties of selectmen shall be performed on or before Decem ber 20, annually

When certain , other duties shall be per formed.

Appointment of treasurer and collector.

Duties of road commissioners shall be Снар. 444

performed on or before December 20. chapter thirty-two of the public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine to be performed on or before the twentieth day of February annually shall be performed on or before the twentieth day of December annually.

Annual meeting in January shall be legal. Section 6. The said town at its annual meeting in January aforesaid shall have all the powers and be subject to all the duties of towns at their annual March meetings as now or hereafter regulated by law.

Act shall take effect when accepted by voters.

Section 7. The foregoing sections of this act shall not take effect until the same shall be accepted by majority vote of the legal voters of said town present and voting at the annual meeting of said town in March, nineteen hundred and two, an appropriate article therefor having been first inserted in the warrant therefor. The town clerk shall certify the action of such meeting to the secretary of state. If said majority vote is so adopted, the tenure of all officers elected at such meeting shall be determined by the provisions of this act.

—tenure of officers.

When section shall take effect. Section 8. For the purposes of section seven this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 21, 1901.

Chapter 444.

An Act to authorize the town of East Machias to erect and maintain a half tide dam across the East Machias River on or near the site of the former dam.

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

Town authorized to maintain dam in East Machias river.

Section 1. The town of East Machias is hereby authorized to erect and maintain a half tide dam across the East Machias river on the site of a former dam as now marked in said river near the residence of Mrs. Pamelia S. Nash.

May appropriate money to build dam. Section 2. The said town is also authorized to appropriate sufficient money to build said dam and to make from time to time such further appropriations as may be necessary to maintain the same at any regular town meeting or at any special town meeting called for that purpose, in the same manner that other appropriations are made by the town, and with the same effect.

Section 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 21, 1901.