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LUBEC WATER COMPANY.

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use and purposes aforesaid. And said trustees, upon such conveyance and delivery of such deed, are authorized, instructed and directed to procure teachers and put in operation such school, and cause the same to be conducted at a cost per year not greater than that of either of the present normal schools, such cost to be deducted and paid from the public school funds.

Appropriation for repairing and erecting buildings. Section 3. The sum of five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated for the year nineteen hundred and three, and a like sum of five thousand dollars for the year nineteen hundred and four, the same or so much of the same as may be necessary, to be used by said trustees in repairing buildings upon said lot of land, and in erecting any other necessary and needful buildings on said lot of land.

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Section 4. But said sums shall not be available unless said lot and buildings are donated to the state as provided in section two of this act.

Section 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 20, 1903.

Chapter 224.

An Act to amend the charter of the Lubec Water Company.

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

Section I. Section six of chapter four hundred and eightynine of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and one is hereby amended by inserting after the word "town" in the thirteenth line the following words: "The above commissioners, with such additional commissioners as the town may, from time to time, elect, shall apply the surplus funds arising from said system solely for the purpose of the liquidation of the water works loan,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 6. For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act, the town of Lubec, at a meeting duly called therefor, may, as soon as this act takes effect, and shall, as soon as the town comes into ownership, control or management of a system of water works, by building, purchase, or otherwise, elect by ballot three water commissioners, the three first chosen as aforesaid, shall serve, one for one year, one for two years, and one for three years, and thereafterwards one commissioner shall be elected annually in the month of March to serve for a term of

Section 6 of chapter 489, private and special laws of 1901, amended.

Water commissioners shall be elected by ballot.

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three years. Said commissioners are authorized to fix the water rates and determine the conditions and manner of the water supply, and shall have the general control and management of the water system owned by the town. The above commissioners, with such additional commissioners as the town may, from time to time, elect, shall apply the surplus funds arising from said system solely for the purpose of the liquidation of the water works loan. They shall receive such compensation for their services as may be fixed by the town.'

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 23, 1903.

Chapter 225.

An Act relating to the powers of the Portland and Rumford Falls Railway.

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

Section I. The Portland and Rumford Falls Railway is hereby authorized and empowered to guarantee the payment, both principal and interest, or either, of the bonds of other railroad corporations, upon such terms as said corporations may mutually agree.

Section 2. The Portland and Rumford Falls Railway is hereby authorized and empowered to lease the Rumford Falls and Rangeley Lakes Railway and any other railroad that may connect with the latter railroad on such terms as may be mutually agreed upon.

Section 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 23, 1903.

Rumford Falls Ry. empowered to guarantee payment of bonds of other railroads.

Portland and

Authorized to lease Rumford Falls and Rangeley Lakes Ry.

Chapter 226.

An Act to authorize Frederick J. Merrill of Damariscotta to construct a tide wheel in tide waters of the Damariscotta River.

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

Section 1. Frederick J. Merrill is hereby authorized to build and maintain a tide wheel in the tide waters of the Damariscotta river, and within the limits herein described, as follows:

Beginning on the east shore of said Damariscotta river, on the land of said Frederick J. Merrill, at low water mark, thence

Frederick J. Merrill authorized to maintain a tide wheel in Damariscotta river.

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